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## **1,000 Volunteers Still Needed for Make A Difference Day Nearly 100 Projects to Choose from**

**[Larimer County, Colo]** – With three weeks until the Make A Difference Day kickoff, United Way of Larimer County’s Volunteer Center announced today that it still needs 1,000 volunteers to assist in nearly 100 projects across Larimer County.

Make A Difference Day, hosted by United Way of Larimer County, kicks off Monday, October 17<sup>th</sup> and continues through Sunday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>. Service projects range from building garden beds, putting on a fresh coat of paint, to helping transform a farm into a Halloween paradise for kids. There are service projects for people of all ages, and varying skill levels.

Make A Difference Day is national day of helping others by volunteering in communities across the country. In Larimer County, the event is a week-long event because of its popularity and continued success. “Make A Difference Day is successful each year because of the outstanding commitment from members of the community, said Adam Molzer, director of United Way of Larimer County’s Volunteer Center.

Nonprofit organizations often rely heavily on volunteers to do what many businesses have the resources to do themselves. “It’s a win-win for everyone who participates,” said Molzer. “It feels good to give your time to help others, and the nonprofit organizations appreciate the help.”

To sign up for a Make A Difference Day project, go to [www.unitedwayoflarimercounty.org](http://www.unitedwayoflarimercounty.org).

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