

Volunteer Infrastructure Project 2011-2012 Program Results

238,254 hours of
AmeriCorps service
were provided by the program's 140 members.



138 nonprofit and
educational programs were served by our
AmeriCorps members. Here are just a few: Hospice of SLO County • Foothill
Unity Center • The Salvation Army • Big Brothers/Big Sisters • Kings County Action Orga-
nization • United Way • NCOE Foster Youth Education Services • Orange County Rescue
Mission • Berkeley Food & Housing Projec • Santa Cruz Public Library

VIP AmeriCorps members mobilized
52,117 volunteers who served
515,289 hours.

All partner programs grew in volunteer capacity by
implementing volunteer management best practices in
record-keeping, recruitment, utilization, and evaluation
of volunteers. 78% of sites improved
capacity by 20% or more.

6x RETURN ON INVESTMENT
of Federal dollars

\$1.9 million : federal
dollars invested

\$4.0 million: total
program cost
(including federal
investment and
matching costs)

**\$12.5
million:**
value of
VIP-generated
volunteer hours

\$12,459,688: dollar value of the hours served
by VIP-generated volunteers.

(The Independent Sector states that the value of a 2010 volunteer hour in California was \$24.18, the most recent information available.)

Our 140 AmeriCorps Members spent the year serving full-time to
**build sustainable
volunteer programs**
at our partner sites by orienting, training, and managing volun-
teers, and setting up the systems that will allow these volunteer
programs to run far into the future.

More than **77%** of our AmeriCorps
VIP Fellows grew in profes-
sional skills by **20%** or more over the year
thanks to a total of 34,404.8 completed hours of provided training. Members
gained skills in management, event planning, disaster preparedness, and
other skills that will serve them in future careers and educational endeavors.

CalSERVES **Volunteer Infrastructure Project** aims to help children and families most affected by the recent economic downturn. VIP partners with nonprofit and educational organizations every year whose goal is to make a bigger impact through effective use of volunteer programs. Partners receive a trained AmeriCorps member who builds new and effective volunteer programs.

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