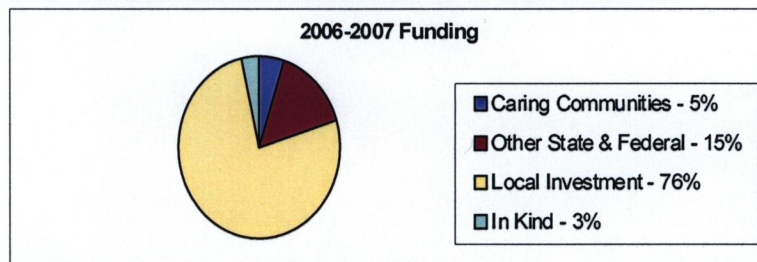
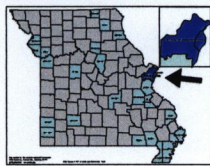


Area Resources for Community and Human Resources (ARCHS)

Established: 1995



FY07 Result Achievement: Children & Youth Succeeding in School

September 2007

FY 07 Community Profile:

ARCHS is the community partnership serving the Greater St. Louis Region. (2.7 m population).

ARCHS has an active 25 member board and 27 employees. This year, ARCHS managed more than 400 active community partnerships that served more than **120,000 citizens**.

ARCHS is in the second year of implementing a lifelong learning (L3) community partnership model that focuses on:

- Pre-Kindergarten
- Grades K-12
- Adult Continuing Education
- Community Education

ARCHS' L3 model emphasizes education related programming. L3 creates a unifying structure for ARCHS to best fulfill its role as a state partnership and enhance its ability to positively address the six core results. During FY 07, ARCHS experienced success in enhancing current partnerships and creating new ones.

ARCHS manages its partnerships through a formal business model called SOFA:

- Social Responsibility
- Objective Evaluation
- Financial Soundness
- Accountable Results

In FY 07, ARCHS created a new partnership database to monitor the progress of its contracted fee-based or in-kind partnerships with a focus on financial and program results (leveraged dollars, people served, etc.) This allows for real time data to be used to make any necessary adjustments to ARCHS' contracted partnerships to assure their optimal success and maximize outcomes.

FY 07 Major Collaborative Accomplishment:

ARCHS is the largest provider of subsidized after school services in Greater St. Louis and one of the largest in the State with 14 sites serving 2,000 students. In this role, ARCHS was asked to spearhead a major community partnership activity per the request of the Mayor of St. Louis – The After School for All Partnership (ASAP).

ASAP is a community-wide public and private based effort to increase the supply and quality of after school programs for the City of St. Louis through a coordinated system. In 2006, only 9% of the children in the City of St. Louis had access to an everyday, quality after school program, compared to the national average of 22%. ASAP is working to ensure that 5,600 more elementary/middle school students will have access to after school activities.

In FY 07, ARCHS led a public/private campaign that resulted in more than **\$1.5 million** in new funding to provide new after school services to **1,283 students**. The new ASAP programs will begin in FY 08 (Fall 07). A RFP processes identified providers to manage the new or expanded after school programs at public/private schools and community sites across the city that had identified needs or gaps in services.

ARCHS worked with St. Louis for Kids, the Mental Health Board and other leading organizations to create and foster ASAP.

ASAP is focused on supporting students':

- Academic Support & Enrichment
- Social & Life Skills
- Health & Recreation
- Character Development
- Parent/Family Involvement

List of Partners:**After School Locations: (1,283 Students Added)**

- Accion Social Comunitaria
- Adams Park Community Center
- Ashland Elementary
- Baden Elementary
- Bryan Hill Elementary
- Cleveland High School
- Cote Brillante Elementary
- Dignity House
- Farragut School
- Herzog Elementary
- Hodgen Elementary
- Hope Lutheran School
- Langston Middle
- Lexington Elementary
- Lyons Elementary
- Mark Twain Elementary
- Monroe Elementary
- Nance Elementary
- Peabody Elementary
- Scuggs Elementary
- St. Francis Cabrini Academy
- St. James the Greater School
- St. Margaret of Scotland School
- Tandy Rec. Center
- West End Mt. Carmel
- West End Rec. Center
- Woerner Elementary

After School Providers: (27 Locations Managed)

- Accion Social Comunitaria
- St. Louis Dept. of Parks & Recreation
- Discovering Options
- Grace Hill
- Herbert Hoover Boys & Girls Club
- Kids Hope United/Stray Dog Theatre
- Neighborhood Houses
- Non-Public School Committee
- Northside Community Center
- Progressive Youth Connection
- Provident
- St. Louis Scores
- Support A Child/A Better World International
- West End Mt. Carmel
- YWCA/Family Resource Center

Public/Private Funders: (\$1.5 Million)

- A.G. Edwards
- Anheuser-Busch Foundation
- City of St. Louis
- City of St. Louis Dept. of Parks, Recreation & Forestry
- Civic Progress
- Commerce Bank (Stupp Foundation)
- Deaconess Foundation
- Greater St. Louis Community Foundation
- Incarnate Word Foundation
- Kalish Foundation
- Lutheran Foundation of St. Louis
- Mental Health Board of Greater St. Louis
- Monsanto Fund
- Pettus Foundation
- Saigh Foundation
- St. Louis Public Schools
- State of Missouri Dept. of Social Services
- United Way of Greater St. Louis

Civic Leaders: (ASAP Advisory Board)

- Office of the Governor
- Office of the Mayor of St. Louis
- Gary Bess, Director, St. Louis Parks Dept.
- Dr. Diana Bourisaw, Superintendent, St. Louis Public Schools
- Don Cuvo, Executive Director, Mental Health Board of Greater St. Louis
- Gary Dollar, CEO, United Way of Greater St. Louis
- Tom Irwin, Exec. Director, Civic Progress
- David Luckes, President and CEO, Greater St. Louis Community Foundation
- Bridget McDermott Flood, Executive Director, Incarnate Word Foundation
- Bahi Okupa, Attorney
- Amy Shaw, VP, KETC-TV
- Les Sternman, Executive Director, East-West Gateway Council of Governments
- Rosella Wamser, Community Volunteer
- Dr. Wilma Wells, Educator
- Michael West, New Business Dev. Executive, Ameren
- Jama Dodson, Executive Director, St. Louis For Kids