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ABOUT AMERICORPS NCCC

AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps) is a full-time, team-based residential program for men and women ages 18-24. AmeriCorps NCCC members are assigned to one of five regional campuses into teams of approximately ten members, and complete 2- to 3-month projects responding to local communities' needs in every state. Teams serve with local and national organizations, infusing resources and leading volunteers for hundreds of organizations like Habitat for Humanity and the American Red Cross. These young adults lead youth development activities, construct and rehabilitate low-income housing, clean up streams, help communities develop emergency plans, and address other pressing local needs.



ABOUT FEMA CORPS

The AmeriCorps NCCC flexible program structure allows both the opportunity to partner with non-profit or government organizations that might lack the capacity to manage longer grant programs, as well as the ability to create strategic collaborations with other national service programs and federal agencies to magnify the impact on communities served. In 2012, AmeriCorps NCCC collaborated with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and created a new unit of members called FEMA Corps. These teams are devoted solely to FEMA disaster preparedness, mitigation, response, and recovery efforts, which strengthen the nation's ability to respond to and recover from disasters while expanding career opportunities for young people. Between the traditional and FEMA Corps, up to 2,800 members serve with AmeriCorps NCCC each year.



ABOUT DISASTER RELIEF

In addition to the FEMA Corps, the traditional AmeriCorps NCCC teams are coordinated for rapid disaster deployment anywhere in the country. Trained in CPR, first aid, disaster response and firefighting, teams have responded to local and national disasters since the program was established in 1994. Since 2000, members have served more than 5.1 million hours on 1900 disaster services projects across the nation.



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McCall, ID | Girl Scouts of Silver Sage Council

An AmeriCorps NCCC team served with the Girl Scouts of Silver Sage Council, where they worked on camp infrastructure projects at their Camp Alice Pittenger in McCall, Idaho. At Camp Alice Pittenger, the team removed old flooring from the dining lodge and installed new flooring. The team built 15 kayak racks, over thirty tables, and a deck measuring 846 square feet. The team cleared 7,504 pounds of brush from the camp and refurbished a total of nine campsites. Additional tasks that the team completed around Camp Alice Pittenger include grinding 120 square feet of a cement patio, organizing several storage unit shelters, fitting 20 electrical sockets in the dining lodge, and maintaining a ropes course by leveling the ground. The also team repaired three environmental education facilities through these activities. At the administrative office in Boise, corps members cleared 500 pounds of brush, planted a dozen plants, and painted a storage shed.

Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho

An AmeriCorps NCCC team served with Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho, through the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA), a program of the Internal Revenue Service, which is a major federal anti-poverty program supporting the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) Program. This program offers direct financial support to low to moderate wage earners and is one of the most successful anti-poverty programs. The team performed outreach to spread awareness of the free tax sites, distributing over 1,500 flyers. Corps members completed 119 returns in three different communities; returning \$198,139 dollars back to tax payers. The team also served with United Way's Bank On initiative, a program developed to increase financial literacy for community members by teaching budgeting and smart money managing.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN IDAHO SINCE 2000	HIGHLIGHTED SPONSORS IN IDAHO
▶ 118,851 service hours completed	▶ Boise Salvation Army
▶ 2,631,361 dollars worth of service provided	▶ CampFire USA: Camp Sweyolakan
▶ 8,131 volunteers recruited or coordinated	▶ Girl Scouts of Silver Sage
▶ 109,773 acres of land where fire was suppressed	▶ Idaho Department of Fish & Game
▶ 173 tons of debris or underbrush removed	▶ South Central Community Action Partnership
▶ 74,721 new trees, shrubs and seedlings planted	▶ Eastern Idaho Community Action Partnership
▶ 20,130 meals served	▶ US Forest Service - Idaho Panhandle National Forest
▶ 5,163 people with disabilities assisted	



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