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CAP Celebrates 60 Years of Service

In 2026, CAP Services proudly marks 60 years of serving and strengthening communities across Central Wisconsin.

To celebrate this milestone, we are planning a special 60th Anniversary Community Celebration fundraiser on May 21, 2026. This event will honor our history, celebrate the people who make our work possible, and invest in the future of the families and communities we serve. Event details will be announced soon — we hope you'll save the date.

A Legacy of Community Impact

CAP Services, Inc. was incorporated in 1966 as the Central Wisconsin Economic Opportunity Committee, Inc., initially serving Portage, Waushara, and Marquette counties. In 1975, the organization became CAP Services, Inc., expanding into Waupaca County in 1978 and Outagamie County in 1991.

Over the past six decades, CAP Services has remained dedicated to transforming lives through services that promote child and family development, safe and affordable housing, transportation access, fair lending opportunities, job skills training, and health and safety services. CAP serves thousands of individuals and families each year through more than two dozen programs.

Honor CAP's Decades of Dedication

We invite businesses, organizations, and community partners to join us as sponsors for this special anniversary event. Sponsorship opportunities are available at a variety of levels to fit your budget.

If you're interested in securing your sponsorship early or learning more, please contact Scott Norder, Director of Community Engagement, at snorder@capmail.org or 715-318-8896.

As we celebrate 60 years of service, we look ahead with gratitude and determination. Thank you for being part of our journey — and our future.

President & CEO Marks 25 Years at CAP

On February 26, 2026, President & Chief Executive Officer Nicole Harrison celebrates 25 years with CAP Services. This remarkable milestone is a reflection of Nicole's unwavering commitment to the community.

Since assuming the role of President & CEO in 2020, Harrison has guided the agency through significant organizational evolution, economic challenges, and transformative programming. Under her direction, CAP has expanded operations, strengthened its community impact, and maintained a culture grounded in integrity, collaboration, and forward-thinking strategy.

"Reaching 25 years at CAP is both humbling and inspiring," said Harrison. "The true achievement belongs to our dedicated staff and trusted partners who have made this journey possible. Together, we have built an agency that not only adapts to change but leads it."

Throughout her tenure, Harrison has served in numerous roles within the organization, including Family Development Manager, Family Literacy Program Manager, Assistant Director of Family Development, Assistant Director of Skills Development, Director of

Human Development, and Chief Program Officer.

Her leadership has consistently emphasized long-term sustainability, ethical governance, and meaningful community engagement—ensuring the organization remains well-positioned for success in the decades ahead.

As CAP Services celebrates Nicole's quarter-century of service, the agency also looks toward the future. With a strong foundation and a bold strategic roadmap, CAP is poised to continue innovating and delivering exceptional programs to families and communities across Outagamie, Portage, Waupaca, Marquette, and Waushara counties.

Please join us in congratulating Nicole Harrison on 25 years of outstanding leadership and dedication.



Save the Date CAP's 2026 Events

Take A Ride Fundraising Bike Ride

May 9 - Central Waters Brewing Company in Amherst

CAP's annual fundraising bike ride offers participants a choice of scenic loops of 10, 30, or 50 miles through the beautiful central Wisconsin countryside.

Paid registrants will receive water/snack comfort stops, Central Waters Brewing Company beverage chip, and a commemorative pint glass.

"Great route, staff that really wants the event to be as good as possible, I will highly recommend this ride to other cyclists, thanks for putting on such an enjoyable event!" - Quote from a past participant

\$35 thru 04.20.26 | \$50 after | Kids 12 & under FREE



Learn more at capservices.org/events/

Make Miracles Happen Golf Outing

June 4 - Crystal Springs Golf Course, Seymour

Help "make miracles happen" for families in need in Northern Outagamie County! All proceeds benefit Community 2000 in Seymour, WI. Get your team together for a day of fun at the 22nd annual Make Miracles Happen Golf Outing on June 4. Watch for details coming soon.



Green Bay Packers Foundation Supports CAP

CAP's Family Crisis Center was recently awarded a grant from the Green Bay Packers Foundation for our work with survivors of domestic violence. This generous support allows us to continue providing critical services to individuals and families in our care while strengthening our efforts to transform people and communities in pursuit of social and economic justice.

Nicole, CAP President & CEO, and Audelina, FCC Rural Outreach Coordinator, were honored to attend the grant presentation in December and represent our incredible team and the families we serve.



We extend our sincere thanks to Packers Outreach for investing in our community and helping us continue to make a meaningful difference. Together, we are building stronger, safer futures.

Connect with CAP



Interested in learning more about what CAP has to offer?

Scott Norder, CAP's Director of Community Engagement, would love to connect with you. Whether you'd like to explore our agency's history, learn more about specific programs, or discover ways to support our work, Scott is happy to share more.

Reach out to him at snorder@capmail.org to start the conversation.

Successful Challenge Match Exceeds \$5,000 Goal

CAP Services extends a huge thank you to the J. J. Keller Foundation, Inc. for providing a Challenge Match Grant that helped the agency meet its 2025 year-end giving goal.

J. J. Keller
Foundation, Inc.

Challenge Match grants are awarded to nonprofit organizations to help build their fundraising capacity and inspire greater community support. Through this generous opportunity, the J. J. Keller Foundation matched donations from new donors and increased gifts from existing donors—amplifying the impact of every contribution.

Thanks to the Foundation's generosity and the support of our community, CAP Services raised more than \$23,000 in new and increased donations. These funds will directly support CAP's programs and services, strengthening our ability to serve individuals and families throughout our community.

We are deeply grateful for the partnership and commitment of the J. J. Keller Foundation and all who contributed to making this campaign a success.

Free Tax Assistance

Available Through CAP's VITA Program

Tax season is here — and you may be able to file your federal and state income taxes for free!

CAP Services offers free tax preparation through its Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program for individuals and families with annual income at or below 200% of the federal poverty level (income limits vary by household size).

In-Person Appointments Available

Appointments are offered at the following locations:

Stevens Point: Serving residents of Portage County.

Waupaca: Serving residents of Waupaca County.

Wautoma: Serving residents of Waushara & Marquette counties.

Appointments are required, so call 715-343-7100 to confirm eligibility and schedule your visit.

Qualified residents can also file online for free at [MyFreeTaxes.com](https://www.myfreetaxes.com).

This option is ideal for individuals who may face barriers to in-person services and are comfortable filing online.

For full income requirements and additional details, visit: [capservices.org/vita](https://www.capservices.org/vita)

Don't miss out on this opportunity to save money and get trusted assistance this tax season!

Share this newsletter with a friend or have them sign up on our website at [capservices.org](https://www.capservices.org). Follow us on social media.

