

Community Vision 2016 Annual Report

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SEVEN CORNERS COMMUNITY COLLABORATIVE



Dear Community Vision Friends,

2016 has proven to be a record year for Community Vision. Over the past 27 years, we have forged a path to making Oregon a place where people experiencing disabilities can thrive in communities of their choice. Today, we find ourselves in a position to impact more lives in more ways than ever.

As the Oregon landscape continues to change, we have identified the growing needs of local families— access to technology, cumulative wraparound services, and a standard for accessibility and universal design. We are addressing those needs by building the Seven Corners Community Collaborative.

The Seven Corners Community Collaborative will house Portland's first Assistive Technology Center. It will be the location for three collaborative non-profits serving individuals experiencing disability. And it will be Portland's first universally designed commercial public space. It serves as our commitment to creating a bright future for Oregonians experiencing disability.

Breaking ground on the Seven Corners Community Collaborative isn't the only

highlight. We've also positioned ourselves as one of the local leaders in affordable housing by announcing Our Home, a fully accessible co-housing project for people of all abilities.

We've done all of this, while continuing to grow our transition-aged youth program, Dream Builders, and providing more IDA savings account matching funds than ever before.

We have never wavered from our commitment to providing opportunities, tools, and resources for people to live, work, and thrive in a community of their choice. I thank you for joining us in Building Big Dreams. The future is bright.

Your friend,



LETTER FROM JOE
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



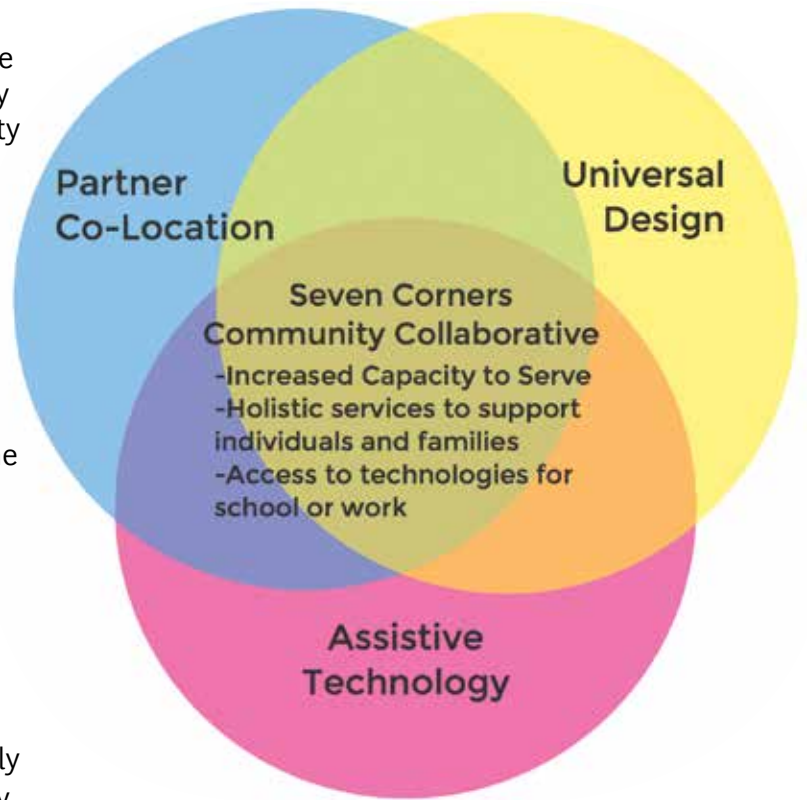
Seven Corners will be home to three collaborative nonprofits - Community Vision, FACT Oregon, and Community Pathways - that assist people with disabilities. Northwest Access Fund will also have a remote space at Seven Corners.



Serving as Portland's first fully universally-designed building, the project will set a new standard for accessibility, raising awareness of the importance accessibility for all.



The Assistive Technology Discovery Lab will allow users to test new technologies that may enable them to move more freely, effectively communicate, and live independently.



2016 Outcomes



112 Young Adults and Family Receiving Transition-Aged Programming



22 Community Vision Supported Homeowners and Renters



\$72,000 Disbursed In Matching IDA Saver Funds



78 People in Their Home of Choice Receiving Support



31 Individuals in Employment Opportunities



14 New Jobs Created

