



Belonging ... Because of You

Annual Report 2026



Dave Thomas
Foundation
for Adoption

Forever Families for Children in Foster Care

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Wendy's Wonderful Kids Impact

AS OF JUNE 2026

Across the
United States & Canada:

16,000+

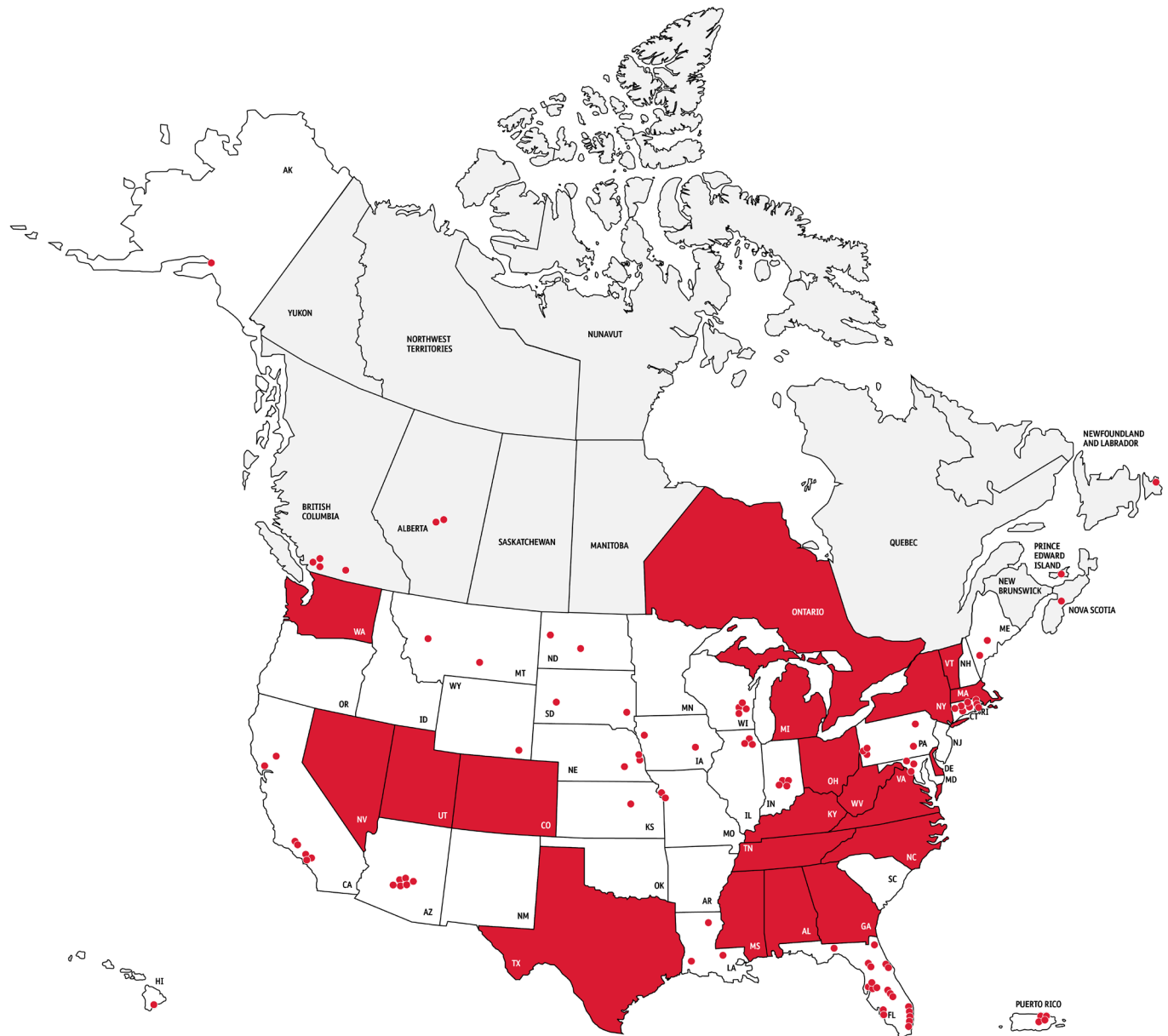
adoptions

500+

recruiters

19

scaling states,
provinces &
territories



■ states/provinces/territories scaled or currently scaling to ensure enough recruiters are in place to serve the majority of the focus population waiting to be adopted

● recruiters

A Message from the President & CEO



Dear Friends, 

Belonging. Along with the basic needs of shelter, food and health, a sense of belonging is often recognized as a human right ... something we all need to survive.

Through our work at the Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption, we know that a having a permanent family can give a child a sense of belonging that will help carry them forward in life.

That is why we do what we do. No matter the role we play in this work, each of us fervently believes that every child deserves the best possible opportunity for a bright future.

In our 2026 fiscal year, our caring supporters helped turn that belief into action.

We celebrated that more than 16,000 children in the U.S. and Canada have been adopted through Wendy's Wonderful Kids. And our program began fully scaling in Virginia, increasing the number of recruiters in the state from three to 15. We also continued conversations about expansion with several other states and deepened our work in Puerto Rico.

This year's 21st annual Wendy's Wonderful Kids Summit offered beautiful, full-circle moments where two families who were served by our program shared their stories in front of rooms full of Wendy's Wonderful Kids recruiters and supervisors. Each presentation was a powerful testimony about how our mission, and all who support it, changes lives.

We continued raising awareness among the child welfare community about the importance and possibility of achieving permanency for every child — with our ads attracting 20 million+ impressions. Partnerships advance our work, and this year, we awarded 13 national grants to support child welfare professionals in implementing best practices and expand post-permanency resources for children and families.



*Adrian, who adopted
three children with the help of
Wendy's Wonderful Kids, speaking at Summit*

This year marked the release of the 20th annual 100 Best Adoption-Friendly Workplaces list, with organizations atop the list, such as Ferring Pharmaceuticals, NVIDIA, MongoDB Inc., KPMG LLP, and the National Basketball Association (NBA).

Building awareness of the urgent need for foster care adoption also continues to be a priority. This year, we shared a growing number of guest blogs from those with lived experiences in adoption or foster care. Their willingness to share their stories through Foundation channels provides a sense of connection and belonging for others looking for support.

Our public service announcements reached new audiences through TV, radio, digital media, movie theaters, publications, billboards, shopping centers, and new this year, airports in Atlanta, Chicago, Denver, Los Angeles, Puerto Rico and more — attracting 4 billion impressions. And corporate partners elevated the importance of our mission through their networks.

It was an impactful year, because of supporters like you. As you read this report, I hope you feel both as proud and determined as I do to continue this critical work.

With deep gratitude and all good wishes,



Rita L. Soronen
President & CEO



“

I want my boys to know that
no matter what, they have
a place to belong. They have
people to call their family,
their brothers, their father.
They always have a place
to call home.

”

— Joe, who adopted 10 sons
from foster care





A Place to Belong

ALLISON AND AUSTIN'S STORY

As experienced foster parents, Adam and Shannon have learned the importance of connection and belonging for children in foster care.

"We had about 23 kids in and out of our home in the last four years," said Shannon. "My favorite thing is that we get all these kids in our home, and they can sit at our table and relate to one another."

So, when Adam and Shannon were presented with the opportunity to open their home to Allison and Austin as a foster placement, they didn't hesitate.

"We just really hit it off," said Shannon about their first meeting with the siblings.

Wendy's Wonderful Kids recruiter Mikayla had joined the team of child welfare professionals working with Austin and Allison when they were living with Adam and Shannon.

In getting to know the family, it didn't take long for Mikayla to see that they

belonged together.

“I felt happy because they are a safe family. They treat me kindly, and they actually care about us,” Allison said.

With help from the Foundation and our caring supporters, Allison and Austin officially joined Adam and Shannon’s family on National Adoption Day at ages 9 and 7.

Mikayla said she knew Adam and Shannon were the right family because of the commitment they had to the siblings.

“They went through a lot of challenges, and they didn’t give up,” Mikayla said. “They were in it for the long haul.”

Adam and Shannon also knew that giving their children a sense of belonging included keeping them connected to their biological family. They have made sure that Austin and Allison can keep a relationship with their biological grandfather. He stepped in as a guardian for the siblings when their parents struggled with substance abuse, but he wasn’t able to care for them permanently because of his health.

Today, the siblings are making special memories and dreaming about their futures.

“I’m glad my sister and me are together,” Austin said. “Adoption to me means that I’ll have a great home.”

“It’s so important for Austin and Allison to know that they are together and that they can always depend on each other. They shared that relationship before they came into our home.”

— Adam, dad

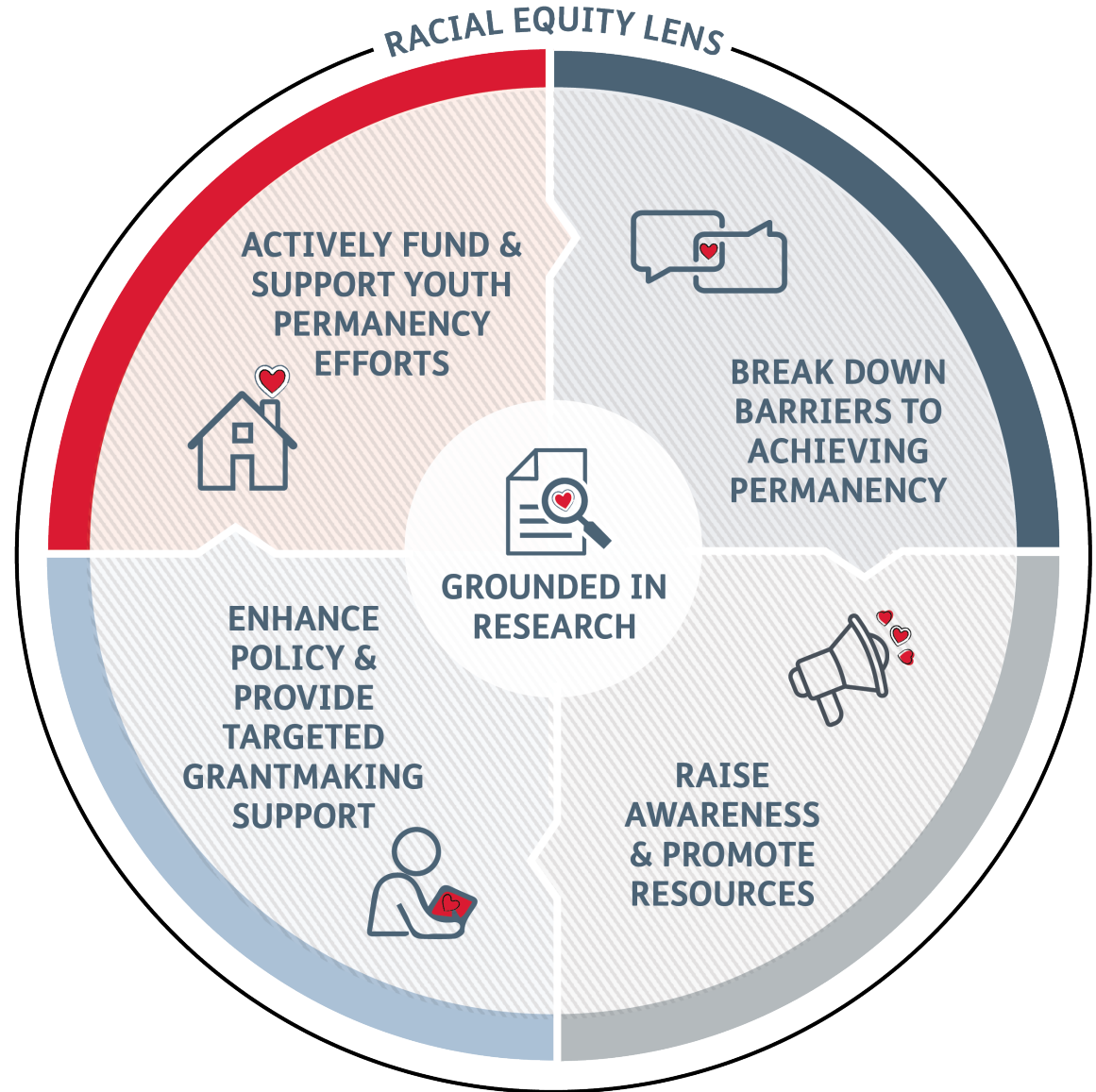


Strategic Priorities & Signature Programs

To advance our mission, the Foundation believes it is not just about building an approach that finds forever homes for the longest-waiting children in foster care. It is about understanding the needs and lived experiences of the children and youth we serve, improving access for families who want to adopt from foster care and building an organization that supports the broader child welfare community in the U.S. and Canada.*

The Foundation's strategic priorities and signature programs are grounded in research and created with a racial equity lens.

We are committed to nurturing a diverse, inclusive and equitable work environment for our staff, while advocating for measurable change toward racial equity within the child welfare system.



**The Foundation raises awareness, promotes educational resources and provides grants to agencies partnering with us to implement Wendy's Wonderful Kids to achieve permanency for children through the separate not-for-profit corporation, Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption-Canada. All other programs only operate in the U.S.*



ACTIVELY FUND & SUPPORT YOUTH PERMANENCY EFFORTS

Through the Wendy's Wonderful Kids program, we provide funding and establish innovative co-investment partnerships with states and territories to support the hiring of adoption professionals, known as recruiters, who serve children most at risk of aging out of foster care. Wendy's Wonderful Kids recruiters implement an evidence-based, child-focused model to find the right family for every child in their care. To support the continued expansion of Wendy's Wonderful Kids, the Foundation is committed to raising awareness and creating resources for child welfare professionals about the importance of achieving legal permanency for every waiting child ... no matter their story.



BREAK DOWN BARRIERS TO ACHIEVING PERMANENCY

The Foundation works to break down barriers for families pursuing adoption through programs, such as Adoption-Friendly Workplace. Each year, we partner with an independent, nonprofit research institute to conduct the Best Adoption-Friendly Workplace survey and release a list recognizing organizations with best-in-class adoption and foster care benefits. New this year, participating organizations had the opportunity to earn certifications for being Adoption- and Foster-Friendly Workplaces. We also offer a toolkit to help employers develop their policies and share stories of impact.



RAISE AWARENESS & PROMOTE RESOURCES

We take a collaborative approach to raising awareness of the urgent need for foster care adoption. More than 25 years ago, the Foundation co-founded National Adoption Day to encourage courts to open their doors on or around the Saturday before Thanksgiving each year to finalize and celebrate adoptions from foster care. To date, the adoptions of more than 95,000 children across the U.S. have been recognized through this annual event. We also conduct research to better understand beliefs about foster care and adoption and expand the reach of our mission. We use that information to educate through public service announcements, social media and free resources that support the adoption journey. In 2026, we created PSAs translated in Spanish to reach even more people in Puerto Rico and Spanish-speaking regions in the U.S.



ENHANCE POLICY & PROVIDE TARGETED GRANTMAKING SUPPORT

In addition to funding Wendy's Wonderful Kids grants in nearly all 50 states, D.C. and Puerto Rico, the Foundation awards strategic national grants to adoption agencies and organizations that help to advance our mission and nurture viable practices that: support specialized foster care and adoption communities; address critical policy enhancements; identify emerging best practices that facilitate more effective, streamlined and supportive adoptions, including post-permanency support; and urgently raise child welfare awareness.

Forever Home Society Member Spotlight

DR. BOB BUSH & WILLIAM SHAY

In a tremendous act of generosity that will leave a legacy of love, Dr. Bob Bush set up an endowment for the Foundation after selling his family home in San Francisco.

The William E. Shay – Robert A. Bush Jr. Fund honors both Bob's commitment to our mission, as well as the lived experience of his good friend Bill.

Bill was adopted at a young age and always knew that foster care and adoption were important causes to his parents. When his parents passed, Bill researched organizations to which loved ones could donate in memoriam. That's when he learned about the Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption.

Bill recognizes the advantages he had by being adopted by devoted parents at an early age, and he wants to give back to children who haven't had that same kind of support in their childhood.

"Everyone deserves a loving, stable home," Bill said. "It's the best way to help a child have the best chance to thrive."

Bob loves that the Foundation is addressing an urgent, but often overlooked, national crisis, while remaining committed to values of inclusivity and belonging.

"Seeing an organization where that was a core value is important," Bob said.

Thank you to Dr. Bush for your incredible gift, and to Bill for spreading awareness of the Foundation's mission!

"The work of the Foundation is so important because it's about belonging and people choosing each other, every day."

— Dr. Bob Bush



Bob

Bill



Laura (mom) and Sean (adopted at 15)



Ken (dad), Samantha (adopted at 14)
and Aaryn (mom)



Christian (adopted at 13), Sean (dad) and Brody (brother)

“

Every youth deserves permanency.
Every human being deserves
permanency. And it's important for
the youth to feel that sense of
belonging, to feel that they have
someone in their life that loves and
cares about them forever.

”

— Sandra, Wendy's Wonderful Kids recruiter

Wendy's Fundraising

For as long as the Foundation has been working to achieve Dave Thomas' vision of a permanent home and a loving family for every child, the Wendy's family has been there to support us.

United by the commitment of our shared founder, we are continually grateful for their dedication to our mission.

Wendy's restaurant campaigns for 2025–2026 featured the fan favorites of Boo! Books and Frosty Key Tags, which raised more than \$17 million.

In 2026, Round Up for Adoption, a simple fundraising program that gives customers an easy way to support the Foundation year-round, expanded to more than 100 franchise organizations and The Wendy's Company, adding up to 4,000 restaurants across the country. This included a special campaign engaging customers during May's National Foster Care Month.

Round Up is a great example of how small moments of support can come together to make a big impact for children waiting in foster care. Thank you to all the restaurants who participate in this program!

All together, The Wendy's Company, Quality Supply Chain Co-op, Inc., franchisees, suppliers, distributors, employees and customers raised a total of more than \$21 million during fiscal year 2026 benefiting the Foundation.

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We couldn't do this work without our partners in the Wendy's family! From The Wendy's Company, franchise owners to restaurant crews, suppliers and customers ... together, we are cementing the legacy of Dave Thomas and **changing lives every step of the way.**”

— Rita Soronen



4,000+

**restaurants
participating in
Round Up
for Adoption**

DAVE'S LEGACY OF LOVE SOCIETY

Dave's Legacy of Love Society is the Foundation's highest level of recognition for Wendy's franchise organizations that go all in to support our mission.

These are organizations that sell 1,000 Boo! Books and 1,000 Frosty Key Tags per restaurant (averaged across all sites).

The Foundation is honored to recognize 18 franchise organizations in the class of 2025–2026.



BASEC Management, Inc.*

Chris & Emily Lane

The Briad Group

Jennifer Mackenzie

Classic Foods, Inc.*

Todd Ricks & Robert Pincock

Delight Restaurant Group*

*Andrew Krumholz, Rich Krumholz,
Mary Mount & Penny Sanchez*

Dixon Management Inc.

Randy & Patricia Dixon

Fifth and Broad Partners, LLC

Sean Thomas

Monticello Development Company

Greg Bell

RDR Foods, Inc.*

Ron & Diane Ross

Sinkula Investments

*Cindi Sinkula, Jessie Aston
& Tracy Wadsworth*

T & C Foods, Inc.*

Joe Curran & Andy Curran

The Rawson Group

Laura Butrico

Ver Helst Enterprises*

Dave, Anne & Matt Ver Helst

Wendkutt, Inc.

Kevin Trovillion

WenDover, Inc. / WenVenture, Inc.

Diane Beaver

Wendy's of Bowling Green*

*Mike, Ryan & Shawn O'Malley,
John & Joey Hughes*

Wenesco Restaurants

Kevin Woodside & Phillip Anastos

Wentana, LLC*

WTC Ventures, Inc.*

“

*I think everybody needs
some sort of stability.*

*I mean, people need
a place to belong.
They need connections.*

”

— Barbara, adopted Brianna at 17



**Celebrating five years or more in Dave's Legacy of Love Society*

Event Fundraising

THE DAVE GOLF CLASSIC & QSCC'S PARTNERSHIP

For years, friends and partners across the Wendy's system have gathered to raise money for the Foundation at The Dave Golf Classic and Partnership Summit.

This year, the event was hosted by Quality Supply Chain Co-op, Inc. (QSCC), and their continued commitment to the Foundation played a key role in the event's success.

In just a few days, more than 400 attendees raised more than \$1.3 million in support of our mission.

"Giving back is an important part of what we do at QSCC, and we are so thankful that across our organization, we see a deep commitment to the Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption. From events to matching campaigns and different opportunities to raise awareness, QSCC is proud to be a partner to the Foundation's mission," said Pete Suerken, President & CEO.

QSCC also contributes matching gift sponsorships for the Foundation, payroll deduction and year-round fundraising for employees, the Frosty 5k, Partnership Summit and more. Pete Suerken also serves on the Foundation's board of trustees, and Chris Stojanovski, VP of Canadian Supply Chain, serves on the board of directors for the Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption-Canada.

For nearly 10 straight years, QSCC has been recognized on the Foundation's 100 Best Adoption-Friendly Workplaces list for providing first-in-class benefits, including financial reimbursement and paid leave, to employees who chose to grow their families through adoption.

Since 2011, QSCC has raised more than \$6.4 million for our mission!

Thank you to QSCC for your leadership in making The Dave 2026 a success!





SMASH PARK

This spring, Smash Park — a social entertainment venue with locations in Ohio, Iowa, Nevada and Minnesota — supported the Foundation through two special fundraising promotions.

In April, they donated a portion of their brunch sales, and during National Foster Care Month, they created a specialty beverage with a percentage of proceeds benefiting the Foundation.

“Smash Park is all about bringing people together,” said Monty Lockyear, Co-Founder and CEO of Smash Park. “The opportunity to have fun and support a mission that helps children in foster care have the sense of belonging we all need was a no-brainer for us. We’re honored to have helped the Foundation this year!”

Thank you to Smash Park for making a difference and engaging guests in helping find safe, permanent and loving families for the longest-waiting children in foster care.

“Even as adults, we still need people. **Belonging is important.**
We all need somebody we can call when life happens.”

— Lacey Mai, Wendy’s Wonderful Kids supervisor



Thank You, Donors

Thank you to the Foundation's donors for their unwavering support in realizing our vision that every child will have a permanent home and a loving family.



THE DAVE THOMAS LIFETIME OF GIVING SOCIETY

The cumulative giving of the following individuals and organizations has reached or exceeded \$1 million to the Foundation.

AKSAN Enterprises / United Fortune, Inc.	Dave Thomas Family Companies, LLC	MUY! Hamburger Partners, LLC	Wenco Wendy's Franchises
All-Star Management, Inc.	Delight Restaurant Group	NPC Quality Burgers, Inc.	Wendelta, Inc. / Carlisle Corporation
James Annenberg La Vea Charitable Foundation	The Duke Endowment	Parco, Ltd.	The Wendy's Company
Aramark Uniform Services / Crest Uniform	First Sun Management Corporation	Pennant Foods Corporation	Wendy's Advertising Fund, Inc. (NY DMA Co-Op)
Arizona Restaurant Company, LLC	Flynn Restaurant Group	Primary Aim LLC	Wendy's National Advertising Program, Inc.
Barco Uniforms, Inc.	FourCrown, Inc.	Quality Supply Chain Co-op, Inc.	Wendy's of Bowling Green, Inc.
Blue Meridian Partners	Fourjay, LLC	MacKenzie Scott	Wendy's of Colorado Springs, Inc.
Bodan AKSAN IA, LLC	Fox Group	Stanton & Associates, Inc.	Wendy's of Montana, Inc. / Wendy's of Montana Foundation
James Bodenstedt	Freddie Mac Foundation	Starboard Group	Wendy's Philadelphia ADI Co-Op
Briad Wenco, LLC	Group W AKSAN IA, LLC	John and Becki Stock	Wenmarr Management Company, LLC
Bridgeman Foods, Inc.	Donna J. Gustafson Trust	SWBG Operations Group	Wentana, LLC
Calhoun Management Corporation	Hamra Enterprises	Tar Heel Capital / FFC Limited Partnership	WKS Frosty Corporation
Carolina Restaurant Group	Haza Foods, LLC	Dave Thomas Memorial Classic	WTCWend
Cedar Enterprises, Inc.	Hoover Foods, Inc.	I. Lorraine Thomas	
The Coca-Cola Company	JAE Restaurant Group	Thomas 5 Limited	
Jeffrey and Sandi Coghlan	JAGS, Inc. / Wendschmidt, Inc.	Thomas 7 Limited	
Cotti Foods Midwest, Inc	Legacy Restaurant Group, LLC	Valenti Mid-Atlantic / Mid-South Management, LLC	
DavCo Restaurants, Inc.	James & Eileen Manning Charitable Trust	Wen Zak, Inc.	
	Meritage Hospitality Group		

FOREVER HOME SOCIETY

The following individuals have made their intentions known or have included the Foundation in their estate plans.

Anonymous (5)	Catherine Miller
Brad and Marcia Ballinger	Joyce Nurenberg
Richard A. Benefiel	Mary Susan Rath
Robert A. Bush Jr., MD	Jackie Renjifo
Joseph Chiara	Francis T. Roy
Louis and Mary Pat Dusing	Lois Roycraft
Aaron and Mary Hackett	Joseph Salkowitz
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John Lehnert	I. Lorraine Thomas
Denny and Pam Lynch	Joe and Cathy Turner
David R. Maxwell and Deborah E. Maxwell	

ENDOWMENT

The following individuals and organizations have made generous donations to the Foundation's Endowment Fund.

William E. Shay - Robert A. Bush Jr. Fund
Denny and Pam Lynch Family Fund
Donna J. Gustafson Trust
Coghlan Family Endowed Fund
I. Lorraine Thomas Fund
Andres and Jennifer Garcia Endowed Fund
The Russell Fund for Adoption
R.L. and Barbara Richards Fund
James & Eileen Manning Fund
Shore Morgan Young Wealth Strategies Fund

Thank You
to the Foundation's
supporters at all levels.

We are honored to recognize all U.S. donors contributing \$1,000 or more between July 1, 2025–June 30, 2026 at davethomasfoundation.org/supporters

“The work of the Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption matters so deeply. Their mission matches everything I stand for: giving children in foster care the chance to experience belonging, stability and unconditional love. Every child deserves that opportunity, and every child deserves a family.”

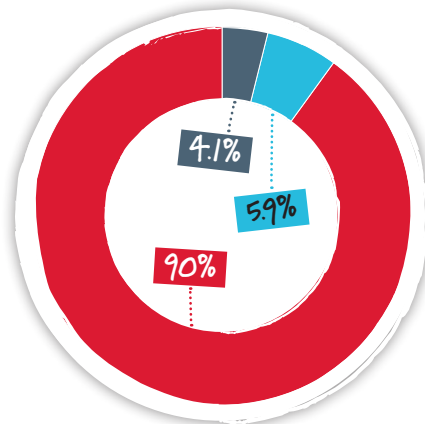
— Rachel, transracial adoptee, advocate and author

Financial Summary

U.S. Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets for July 1, 2025–June 30, 2026

	JUNE 30, 2025			JUNE 30, 2026		
	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
Revenues, Support and Other Income						
Contributions	\$31,737,847	\$8,836,500	\$40,574,347	\$53,620,509	\$5,140,187	\$58,760,696
Donated PSA broadcasting	\$49,210,702	—	\$49,210,702	\$52,267,754	—	\$52,267,754
Government contracts	\$12,630,436	—	\$12,630,436	\$11,467,995	—	\$11,467,995
Investment income (loss), net	\$5,510,540	\$32,752	\$5,543,292	\$8,030,887	\$96,348	\$8,127,235
In-kind contributions	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest income	\$596,389	—	\$596,389	\$770,137	—	\$770,137
Net assets released from restrictions	\$11,474,749	(\$11,474,749)	—	\$4,886,250	(\$4,886,250)	—
TOTAL REVENUES, SUPPORT AND OTHER INCOME	\$111,160,663	(\$2,605,497)	\$108,555,166	\$131,043,532	\$350,285	\$131,393,817
Expenses						
Grants and allocations	\$28,806,678	—	\$28,806,678	\$26,941,379	—	\$26,941,379
Donated PSA broadcasting	\$49,210,702	—	\$49,210,702	\$52,267,754	—	\$52,267,754
Other program expenses	\$12,422,559	—	\$12,422,559	\$14,090,398	—	\$14,090,398
Total program expenses	\$90,439,939	—	\$90,439,939	\$93,299,531	—	\$93,299,531
Fundraising	\$5,306,834	—	\$5,306,834	\$6,130,311	—	\$6,130,311
General and administrative	\$3,604,465	—	\$3,604,465	\$4,204,382	—	\$4,204,382
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$99,351,238	—	\$99,351,238	\$103,634,224	—	\$103,634,224
Change in net assets	\$11,810,425	(\$2,605,497)	\$9,204,928	\$27,409,308	\$350,285	\$27,759,593
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$97,012,578	\$3,268,562	\$100,281,140	\$108,823,003	\$663,065	\$109,486,068
NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR	\$108,823,003	\$663,065	\$109,486,068	\$136,232,311	\$1,013,350	\$137,245,661

All numbers reflected above include U.S. financial data only.



(U.S.) Fiscal Year 2026

- 4.1% Management and General
- 5.9% Fundraising
- 90% Program Services, including:

Wendy's Wonderful Kids:	Adoption-Friendly Workplace:	Program Grants & Awareness Programs:	National Adoption Day / Month:	Post-Adoption:
\$137,245,661	\$394,754	\$59,354,527	\$32,906	\$1,651,439

By the Numbers

U.S. Statements of Financial Position

	JUNE 30, 2025	JUNE 30, 2026
Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$19,973,548	\$25,156,139
Receivables		
Contributions, net	1,262,216	\$784,603
Government contracts	2,806,436	\$1,890,741
Prepays and other assets	492,732	\$648,468
Investments	80,311,744	\$103,235,101
Quasi-endowment	5,225,754	\$6,076,156
Endowment	448,717	\$793,866
Property and equipment, net	6,785,055	\$6,592,865
TOTAL ASSETS	\$117,306,202	\$145,177,939
Liabilities		
Accounts payable	538,942	\$509,157
Grants payable	6,547,131	\$6,485,437
Accrued liabilities	734,061	\$937,684
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$7,820,134	\$7,932,278
Net Assets		
Without Donor Restrictions	108,823,003	\$136,232,311
With Donor Restrictions	663,065	\$1,013,350
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$109,486,068	\$137,245,661
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$117,306,202	\$145,177,939

The Foundation is proudly accredited and certified by the following organizations:



Your gift is appreciated and may be tax deductible pursuant to IRC § 170(c). A copy of our latest financial report, along with a full and fair description of our programs and a list of organizations and entities to which the Foundation has made contributions during the past twelve months, may be obtained by contacting the **Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption** (the "Foundation") at 4900 Tuttle Crossing Blvd., Dublin, OH 43016 or 1-800-ASK-DTFA. The Foundation's mission is to dramatically increase the number of adoptions of children waiting in North America's foster care systems. The Foundation is exempt from federal income taxation under section 501(a) and described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. If you are a resident of one of these states, you may obtain financial information directly from the state agency:

FLORIDA – A COPY OF THE OFFICIAL REGISTRATION AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION FOR THE FOUNDATION (REGISTRATION NO. CH3956) MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE DIVISION OF CONSUMER SERVICES BY CALLING TOLL-FREE, 1-800-435-7352, WITHIN THE STATE OR VISITING <https://www.fdacs.gov/Consumer-Resources/Charities>;

MARYLAND – For the cost of copies and postage, documents and information submitted under the Maryland Solicitations Act can be obtained from the Maryland Secretary of State;

MICHIGAN – The Foundation's Michigan registration number is MICS No. 11789;

MISSISSIPPI – The official registration and financial information of the Foundation may be obtained from the Mississippi Secretary of State's office by calling 1-888-236-6167;

NEW JERSEY – INFORMATION FILED WITH THE ATTORNEY GENERAL CONCERNING THIS CHARITABLE SOLICITATION AND THE PERCENTAGE OF CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED BY THE CHARITY DURING THE LAST REPORTING PERIOD THAT WERE DEDICATED TO THE CHARITABLE PURPOSE MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY BY CALLING 973-504-6215 AND IS AVAILABLE ON THE INTERNET AT <http://www.state.nj.us/lps/ca/charfrm.html>;

NEW YORK – You may obtain information on charitable organizations and obtain a copy of our latest financial report from the New York Attorney General's Charities Registry at www.charitiesnys.com or, upon request, by contacting the Office of the Attorney General, Charities Bureau, 28 Liberty Street, New York, NY 10005, or calling (212) 416-8401;

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VIRGINIA – A financial statement is available upon request from the Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services;

WASHINGTON – The Foundation's registration required by the Washington Charitable Solicitations Act is on file with the Secretary of State, and additional financial and other information can be obtained by contacting the Washington Secretary of State's Charities Program by calling 360-725-0377 or by visiting <https://ccfs.sos.wa.gov/#/>;

WEST VIRGINIA – West Virginia residents may obtain a summary of the registration and financial documents from the Secretary of State, State Capitol, Charleston, West Virginia 25305;

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REGISTRATION OR LICENSING WITH ANY OF THESE AFOREMENTIONED STATES DOES NOT IMPLY ENDORSEMENT, APPROVAL OR RECOMMENDATION BY ANY STATE.

MISSION

Dramatically increase the number of adoptions of children waiting in North America's foster care systems.

WE BELIEVE ...

Every child deserves a safe, loving and permanent family.

No child should linger in foster care or leave the system at age 18 or 21 without a permanent family of their own.

Every child is adoptable.



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