

Positively UC

A moment to focus on the good our team is doing every day



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PICK UP UPPER CUMBERLAND TAKES OFF IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY

Pick Up Upper Cumberland, UCHRA Public Transportation's on-demand collaborative project with Uber has recently taken off in Crossville and Cumberland County. Visit www.ucpublictransit.com to learn more about this and other UCHRA Public Transportation services.



Check out this great photo recently submitted by one of our drivers!

WISH YOU WERE HERE TOURISM SERIES RETURNS MARCH 29



A brand new season of *Wish You Were Here* is coming soon! Season two premieres Wednesday, March 29; bringing all new adventures to the big and small screen.

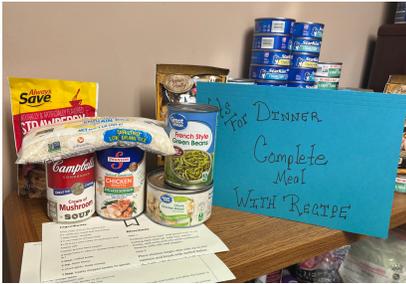
Staff will have an opportunity to attend an early screening of Season 2, Episode 1 on Monday, March 27, in the large UCDD conference room. For more information, contact Hannah Carroll at hcarroll@ucdd.org

FUND TENNESSEE ALLOCATES \$46.9M IN ASSISTANCE

TNECD and LaunchTN are hosting regional kickoff meetings to give an overview of the new Fund Tennessee initiative; recently making a stop in Cookeville at the UCDD office. TNECD will operate an initiative called Fund Tennessee, which is made up of a suite of programs from venture capital, to loan programs and technical assistance. TNECD allocated \$46.9 million for the debt program.

Read more at <https://tnecd.com/news/tn-small-businesses-approved-for-116-9-million-through-state-small-business-credit-initiative/>





SUPPORT GROWS FOR OVERTON CO. UCHRA FOOD PANTRY

The food pantry at UCHRA's Overton County office is now fully-stocked thanks to the efforts of Hutchison employees. Staff with Hutchison plants 1 and 2 collected more than 1,500 items.

"Not only are we providing food but we are also providing some recipes and meal planning ideas for the food we have in the pantry in the hope that families can have a wholesome meal with the items we have," Renea Stover, Overton County Coordinator, said.

ARP GRANT WORKSHOP HELD AT UCDD



Thank you to our friends at Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation for holding a very informative workshop on the American Rescue Plan (ARP) non-competitive grant process at our office today. The TDEC team did a great job of compiling information to help applicants navigate the process and we are thankful for their knowledge and assistance!

SAVE THE DATE: EVENTS COMING SOON TO UCDD/UCHRA

MARCH 30 & 31 2023

Mandatory Staff Spring
TRAINING SESSIONS

UCHRA TRAINING MAR. 30 @ HYDER-BURKS*
*DRIVERS DO NOT ATTEND THIS TRAINING

UCDD TRAINING MAR. 31 @ UCDD/MAIN CONFERENCE ROOM

UC•DD Upper Cumberland Development District | UC•HRA Upper Cumberland Human Resource Agency

LET'S TALK STIGMA.

Join us for a critical community conversation. This interactive conversation explores how to support our loved ones experiencing substance use disorder as well as how to care for ourselves and the wider community.

<p>MARCH 21</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overton County 9a-12p <ul style="list-style-type: none"> I am Worship White County 1-4p <ul style="list-style-type: none"> First National Bank 	<p>MARCH 23</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Putnam County 9a-12p <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UCDD office Putnam County 1-4p <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UCDD office
<p>MARCH 22</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Smith County 9a-12p <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Smith County Chamber DeKalb County 1-4p <ul style="list-style-type: none"> DeKalb County UT Extension 	<p>MARCH 24</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Putnam County 9a-12p <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Train the Trainer at UCHRA

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WHO WE ARE

OUR MISSION

To help the Upper Cumberland region cultivate self-sufficiency and build true wealth through innovation, collaboration, and leadership.

OUR VISION

A region abundant in resources, fostering a productive and vibrant life for the people of the Upper Cumberland.

get plugged in.

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