

- Serve Day is simply an effort for the people who call our area home to join together to make a positive difference in our communities. It began fourteen years ago with a small group of people with a similar vision for improving the areas we live in. Since then, it has grown and is now lead by Better Together, Inc. and a team of community minded leaders who direct hundreds of volunteers in multiple communities.
- In 2024 we had a little over 850 volunteers in 6 communities complete 90 projects
- Show the video from last year (http://serveday.info/)
- At serve day we do projects for individuals and for the community
- Individual projects such as: Building wheelchair ramps, fixing sidewalks to reduce the risk of injury, replacing storm windows to reduce heating bills, providing fans/installing window air conditioners, providing wood for winter heating
- Community Projects such as: Park clean up and beautification, repairs at the free Health Clinic, painting at the fairgrounds, providing support services to local food banks, graffiti removal

## Where is Serve Day?

 The majority of projects happen in Malheur County, Oregon and Payette County, Idaho.

## Who is involved in making Serve Day happen?

- At the top level of organization is our Better Together Board: Better Together is non for profit organization that exists to connect resources and volunteers with needs in our community in order to improve the area in which we live, with a high priority on projects that will increase the safety and health of individuals.
- Next is the Serve Day leadership team who works for months to organize, promote, fundraise, evaluate project requests and rally volunteers.
- Speaking of volunteers, anyone can be involved with Serve Day such as civic organizations, businesses, faith-based organizations, clubs, associations, high school and college teams and individuals. It is our hope that volunteers would come from all over the western treasure valley!

## When is Serve Day?

- Our Next Community Serve Day is scheduled for April 26, 2025!
- For most projects, you can expect to be finished sometime around lunch, but depending on the project there may be a bit of pre/post-work that will need to be done.

## How do I get involved?

Two ways: join a team or suggest a project

- To join a team, go to serveday.info and click on 'join a team'. From there you can sign up as an individual, with your family or with your business/organization.
- To suggest a project: go to serveday.info and click on 'suggest a project'. From there, give us the information of the project that is needed for evaluation. Our team will take it from there! We will connect with the home owner or person who suggested the project and send an evaluator to the site to determine if it is something we can do. If it is an approved project, we make all the arrangements to cover it on Serve Day!