Ways to Give...

❖ Time:
  o Volunteer opportunities at the Hallie Q. Brown Community Center:
    ▪ Grounds Maintenance-help with the weeding and planting of the grounds adjacent to the building.
    ▪ Clean out-storage rooms, garage space and basement areas.
    ▪ General Repairs-some of the repairs are small (lock replacement, hanging shelves…) and some are large (garage door repair, …)
    ▪ Development (finding and organizing grants that are appropriate to the services we provide)
  o Volunteer opportunities at the Preschool Program:
    ▪ Sort and straighten storage rooms and classrooms
    ▪ Help organize and implement yearly yard sale
    ▪ Help implement daily activities with the children
  o Volunteer opportunities at the Food Shelf / Clothing Closet:
    ▪ Cleaning and organizing the clothing closet on an ongoing basis
    ▪ Building new clothes hanging racks to better organize the clothing
    ▪ Biannual cleaning of the food shelf and clothing closet
    ▪ Painting entry area
    ▪ Shelving food donations (this opportunity is not offered all year round we only need help with this several times a year)

❖ Money:
  o Monetary donations can be made to help support the following areas of HQB:
    ▪ Hallie Q. Brown Community Center-to support the general operations of the organization
    ▪ Food Shelf-to support the purchase of food items to be given out to the community
    ▪ Child Care-to support the general operations
    ▪ School Age program-to support the general operations
    ▪ School Age program-to support over night camping trips taken during summer camp
    ▪ School Age and Preschool program-scholarships to sponsor children enrolled in programs

❖ Items:
  o Food Shelf / Clothing Closet:
    ▪ Paper bags (with or without handles)
    ▪ Plastic bags (all sizes)
    ▪ Food, Cleaning items, Hygiene items, Pet food, Pet toys
    ▪ Small household items (please call food shelf if you have questions)
    ▪ Clothing (must be clean and in good repair, seasonably appropriate preferred)
    ▪ Children’s items (games, puzzles, toys, must be clean, have all of the pieces and be in good repair)
    ▪ Cleaning products to clean food shelf/clothing closet (please specify if it is for food shelf use or for food shelf clients to take home)
  o Preschool / School Age Program:
    ▪ Art Supplies
    ▪ Games-Board games and Education computer games
    ▪ Air Pump with needles
    ▪ Toys and balls
    ▪ Camping items, tents and grill utensils
    ▪ First Aid Kits