2011-12 Kentucky AmeriCorps Programs Accomplishments

- 411 AmeriCorps members provided 561,750 hours of service to the Commonwealth and its citizens.
- AmeriCorps members recruited 14,537 community volunteers who provided 70,995 hours of service to their communities.
- Members and community volunteers collected 81.89 tons of food during the Make A Difference Day 2011 Food Drive – enough to feed 327,553 Kentuckians an 8-ounce serving.
- Received 1,042 applications for the 411 available slots.
- Programs retained 86.1% of their members for the entire service year.
- 382 Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards were issued.
- AmeriCorps members tutored 6,188 at-risk K-12 students.
- 1,037 at-risk students were mentored by AmeriCorps members.
- Members provided drug resistance education to 1,617 students.
- Members provided financial literacy education to 1,076 individuals.
- Members provided housing placement services to 2,501 homeless or economically disadvantaged individuals.
- 579 individuals and/or families were transitioned into safe, healthy and affordable housing.
- 103 new homes were constructed, repaired, rehabilitated and/or weatherized.
- 3,155 at-risk elderly and disabled received help with everyday living tasks so they could remain in their homes and continue to live independently.
- Members delivered 137,600 meals to at-risk seniors.
- Members provided transportation to 34,910 seniors.
- Members recruited 168 Community Emergency Response Team volunteers.
- Members helped prepare 2,482 students for college.
- Members increased the capacity for 117 local nonprofit organizations.
- 83 members and staff provided 3,278 hours of service in response to the West Liberty and Henryville tornadoes.