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BILLINGS METRO **VISTA** PROJECT



HomeFront

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Fourteen full-year VISTA members and Summer Associates served between 2012 and 2023 focusing on the following initiatives:

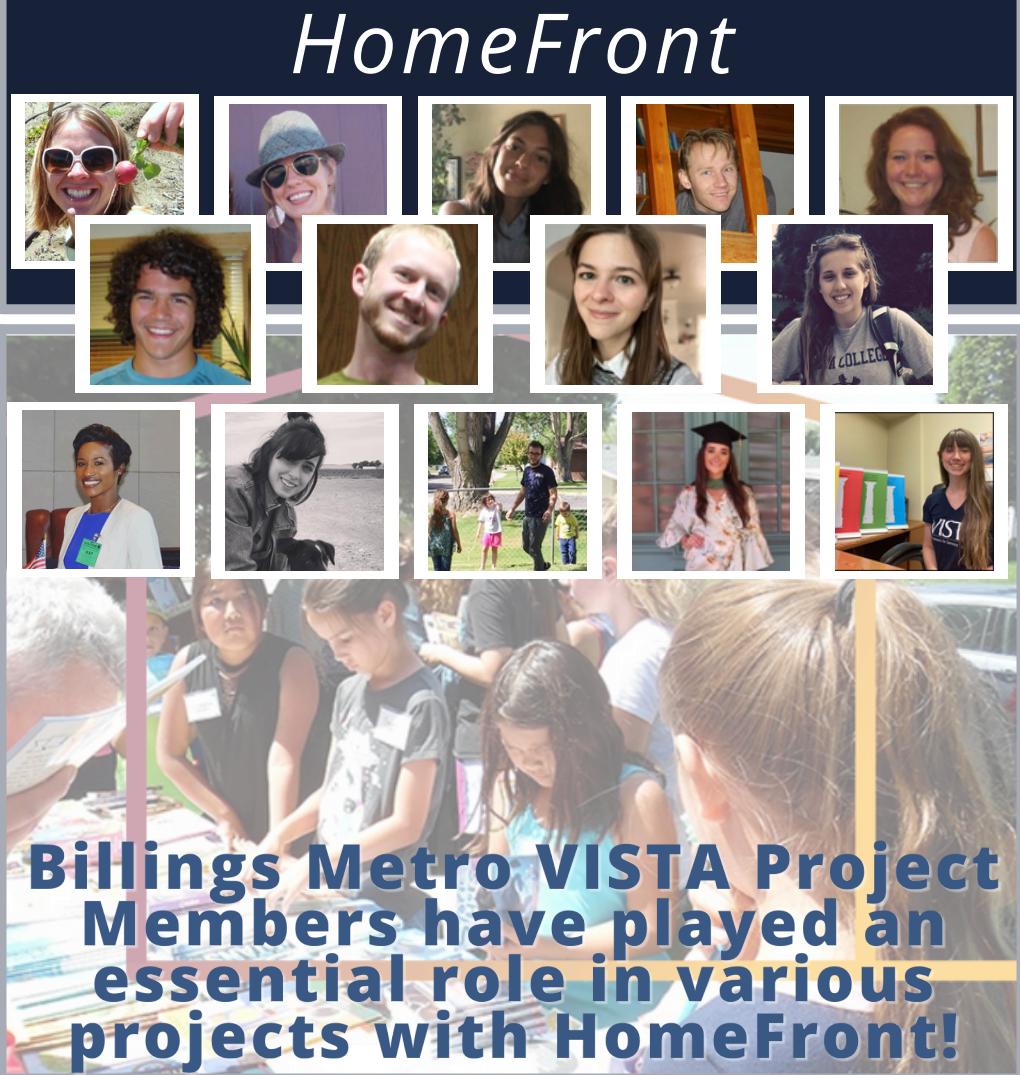
- Food Security
- Education and Literacy
- Housing

QUICK FACTS:

- Over \$33,700 generated
- 280 volunteers recruited & trained
- 7 new or expanded services and programs



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Billings Metro VISTA Project Members have played an essential role in various projects with HomeFront!

Since 2012, Billings Metro VISTA Project members have served with Homefront, formerly known as the Housing Authority of Billings, on a variety of Food Security and Education projects including but are not limited to: assisting in expanding food security through projects bolstering existing and establishing new community gardens throughout Billings; creating garden learning programs that utilize the space to offer summer educational opportunities for youth; and developing / launching Wild Words, a reading program with the goal of increasing literacy skills for children residing in public housing through the provision of an enhanced literacy program. Through a community capacity-building approach, these projects worked in partnership with families/individuals, community groups, and agencies to help people gain the skills, resources and support needed to develop and sustain educational programming, literacy initiatives, and food security through community gardens.