

A note from the Executive Director

In our 22nd year, your agency continued its long-term trend of growth in service, with yet another year of growth in the number of volunteers. In FY2016, we expanded our volunteer community by 5% to 513, an increase of 26 volunteers over the previous year. With the modest budget we have for awareness-building, it warms my heart that we continue to grow, year after year. This is a testament to the strength of the mission of IRS.

Our growth is continuing in both our existing metro areas, and in new areas that did not previously have an IVC chapter. In FY2016, we planted two new IVC chapters, in Buffalo, New York, and Milwaukee, Wisconsin. And we are grateful that we continue to hear from people interested in helping to get IVC started in their own communities across the United States.

From a financial perspective, FY2016 continued the turnaround started in FY2015. While our revenue (\$1.613 million) and expenses (\$1.500 million) were essentially flat versus last year, we once again

**Not just volunteers - they're super-volunteers**

*"They are wonderful people who truly contribute to our mission. Their skill level is such that if we hired them as employees, we wouldn't be able to afford them."*

IVC Partner – Providence, RI

finished the year with a surplus, which allowed us to pay down another portion of the deficit we incurred in FY2014. Again in 2016, IVC benefited from a Challenge Grant, this time from a Catholic charitable foundation, that allowed us to ever so slightly exceed last year's record amount of revenue, clearing \$1.6 million for the second time. Please take a look at the [complete audited financial statements](#), posted on the IVC website, for full details.

I continue to be confident about the future of IVC. Aside from the fact that the need for experienced, skilled volunteers continues to grow – including in places where IVC has not yet been planted – the number of men and women approaching retirement age – over 10,000 per *day* – offers an abundant supply of potential volunteers. And many of those men and women over 50 are looking to ‘experience making a difference’; putting their skills, experience and compassion to work, helping their brothers and sisters lift themselves out of poverty.

**Getting more than they give...**

*“I have found that volunteering through the IVC has given me a purpose, especially at this time in my life. Through it I have received much more than I've done for others. The IVC is truly a source of happiness for me!”*

Ignatian Volunteer – Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN

Please join me in thanking God for the guidance and wisdom of the Holy Spirit, the generosity of our donors, and the compassion and service of our volunteers, regional councils, spiritual reflectors, and our board, who have all played important roles in helping IVC to deliver

continued strong results under challenging circumstances. And please pray for IVC and the people we serve, so that we can continue to expand our programs and engage ever more volunteers in service, while building our financial strength in the coming years.

In gratitude,



Mary McGinnity, Executive Director

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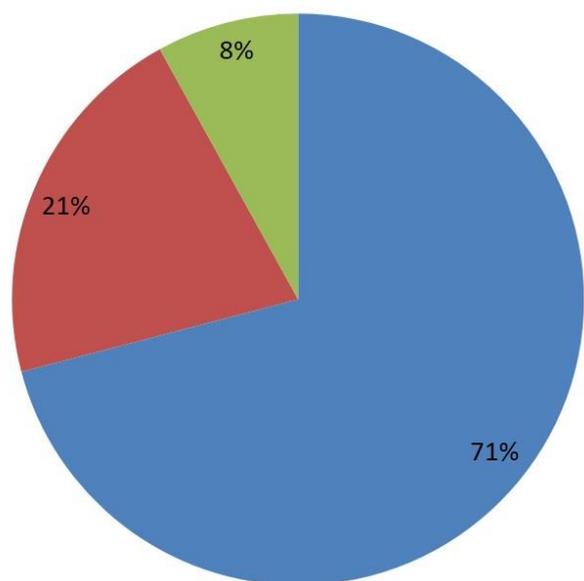
**IVC Regions:** Baltimore, Buffalo, Chicago, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Detroit, Los Angeles, Milwaukee, Minneapolis/St. Paul, New England, New York/Metro, Northern Virginia, Omaha, Philadelphia/South Jersey, San Diego, St. Louis, Syracuse, Washington DC/Metro Maryland

## Fiscal Year 2016 Summary

### FY2016 Highlights

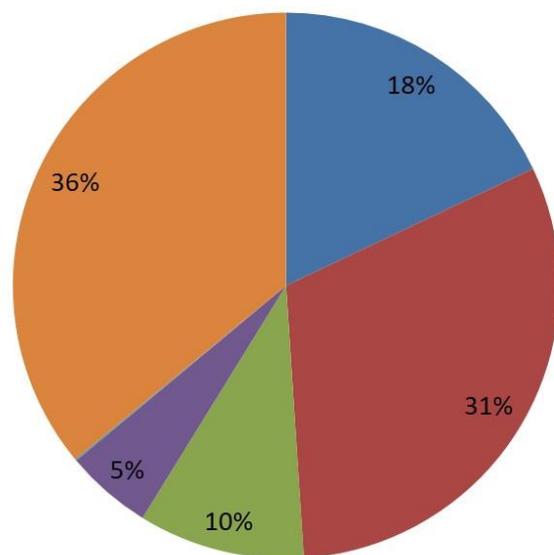
- With your help, we placed 513 volunteers with local agencies; our largest corps of volunteers ever!
- After 4 years and a rigorous application process, IVC was awarded the Maryland Association of Nonprofit Organizations' Standards for Excellence certification. The Standards for Excellence Accreditation is considered a gold standard accreditation for non-profits across the country.
- The IVC board approved developing a program to engage Jesuit Colleges and Universities in a partnership to bring their 50 and better alumni to live out their Ignatian values by volunteering with IVC
- GreatNonprofits.org designated IVC as a Top Nonprofit for the fourth consecutive year 2016, based entirely on the feedback of our stakeholders: volunteers, donors, board members and partners.

#### Expense Composition FY 2016



■ Program Services ■ Management & General ■ Fundraising

#### Revenue Composition FY 2016



■ Foundations ■ Individuals ■ Events ■ Jesuit Support  
■ Campaign 0% ■ Partnership Fees ■ Other Revenue 0%

IVC National Board of Directors for FY 2016

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Note: A full copy of the FY 2016 financial statement is available on the IVC website: [www.ivcusa.org](http://www.ivcusa.org), or by calling the IVC National Office toll free at 888-831-4686. Additional financial & organizational information is available online through Guidestar ([www.guidestar.org](http://www.guidestar.org)).

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