

# FINANCIAL & EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE WAYNE COUNTY

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## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

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**Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency**  
(734) 284-6999

Provide a wide range of programs, resources, and services to low-income persons in Wayne County. The agency does not cover the metro Detroit area.

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## EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE

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**Career Closet**

Fort Street Presbyterian  
631 W. Fort St  
Detroit MI 48213  
(313) 579-9160

Website: [www.fortstreet.org](http://www.fortstreet.org)

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**CareerDress**

Lighthouse of Oakland County  
4615 Woodward  
Pontiac MI 48342  
(734) 362-7048

Website: [www.dccwf.org](http://www.dccwf.org)

By appointment – nonprofit provides services to low-income families in addition to clothing, closed-toed shoes, handbags, and jewelry for women going into the work force.

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**Dress for Success**

(212) 532-1922

The goal of the Dress for Success organization is to promote the economic independence of struggling or disadvantaged women by providing professional attire, career development tools, and a network of support to help women be successful in both work and in life. Located in more than 90 cities in the US.

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**Free job training**

1-877-348-0502

Website: <https://www.michworks.org>

The United States Department of Labor created the Workforce Investment Act. Services are available for the unemployed, low income, seniors, and youths that can provide them with job training and skills that are needed in the work force.

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**Goodwill Industries**

(313) 557-8778

Email: [Jobs@goodwilldetroit.org](mailto:Jobs@goodwilldetroit.org)

Website: [www.goodwilldetroit.org/careers](http://www.goodwilldetroit.org/careers)

This national organization provides career counseling, job placement and training programs, and resources that can help people find both temporary and permanent jobs. Increase your skills and get assistance in finding a job.

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## **Jackets for Jobs**

5555 Conner, Suite 2097

Detroit MI 48213

(313) 579-9160

Email: [avaughn@jacketsforjobs.org](mailto:avaughn@jacketsforjobs.org)

Website: [www.jacketsforjobs.org](http://www.jacketsforjobs.org)

Business wear for men and women. MUST be in a Work First program and registered on the Michigan Talent Bank.

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## **Mercy Education Project**

1450 Howard St

Detroit MI 48216

(313) 963-5881

This group is dedicated to providing education, academic and life skills, and to help assist at-risk women and girls in achieving academic success and with a goal of eventual self-sufficiency.

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## **The Shirt Box's N.S.O. Gentleman's Clothing Closet Neighborhood Service Organization**

32500 Northwestern Hwy

Farmington Hills MI

(248) 851-6770

Website: [www.theshirtbox.com](http://www.theshirtbox.com)

Men looking to get back on track can shop free for business attire.