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***Clarksville Locals Live United  
on Longest Day of the Year.***

*Volunteers Spruce Up Fairgrounds Park*

**Clarksville (June 23, 2008)** – On Saturday, June 21st, the longest day of the year, United Way of the Greater Clarksville Region volunteers joined United Ways across the country in the first annual [United Way Day of Action](#). The event was part of United Way's new *LIVE UNITED* campaign and served as a call-to-action for individuals to come together in collective efforts to make needed changes in their communities.

“Advancing the common good means recognizing that we are all connected and interdependent. It involves creating opportunities for a better life for all. When individuals, organizations, governments and businesses set aside their special interests and work together, we can make a difference. When we reach out a hand to one, we influence the condition of all. Living United means being part of the change,” says Debbie Bates, 2008-2009 Campaign Chair.

The United Way of the Greater Clarksville Region would like to thank all the volunteers who answered the call to Live United by replacing the mulch and sand at the Fairground Park and by being a part of improving the health, education and income of people in Montgomery, Houston and Stewart Counties and the Fort Campbell Area. Because united we stand. United, we elevate. United, we can change what we see in our world.

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