

REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT TEAM #2

فريق مساعدة اللاجئين #٢

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Who We Are: A group of volunteers who are committed to peace and social justice by helping refugees. Our team includes community activists of all ages: professors, teachers, students, business owners, financial advisors, homemakers, seniors and scientists.

Our Mission: To provide transitional support to refugees in Pomona & San Gabriel Valleys as refugees work to gain their independence.

What We Do: Fundraise to supplement refugees' rent, provide furniture, transportation; assist registration for social services, schools, medical appointments and English language classes.

Our Resettlement Agency: *IRIS (Interfaith Refugee and Immigration Service)* a non-profit organization based in Los Angeles that offers refugee resettlement assistance, employment placement services and immigration legal aid.

Our Partners: *Organizations with networks and connections to strengthen our efforts.*

- Claremont Presbyterian Church, Claremont, CA
- Islamic Center of Claremont, Pomona, CA
- First Presbyterian Church, Pomona, CA
- Temple Beth Israel, Pomona, CA
- The American Institute for Progressive Democracy (nonpartisan)

Our Advocates: *People who commend, share and publicly support our work.*

- Ann R. Schiff, President & CEO, Pilgrim Place, Claremont, CA
- Barbara Aswad, deceased, PhD, Professor Emerita of Anthropology, Wayne State University, MI
- Mahmoud Tarifi, Officer at Islamic Center of Claremont & Leader in the Muslim community
- Thomas Thorward, President, *Next Generation Solutions, Inc.*, a software development firm
- Zayn Kassam, PhD, Author & Professor of Religious Studies, Pomona College, CA
- And more . . .

Our Supporters: YOU

Donate: Go online to www.refugeeteam2.org or make checks *payable to:*

*Claremont Presbyterian Church** or *Temple Beth Israel**

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Please write "Refugee Resettlement Team #2" or "RRT #2" in memo.

All funds donated will go directly to refugee families. Thank you for your support.

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*Temple Beth Israel tax ID # 95-2111157. Both are tax-exempt 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations. All donations are tax-deductible to the extent permitted by law.

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