

## THE BRIDGE HOMELESS RECOVERY ONE PERSON AT A TIME

Recognized by the State of Texas as a model for homeless recovery.

The Bridge through its many partnerships provides meals, shelter, primary and behavioral health care, job placements and housing to around 85 percent of Dallas County's homeless population.

Over 1,800 housing placements since opening in May 2008!



The Bridge has contributed to
the revitalization of downtown
and its surrounding
neighborhoods by serving as a
magnet for the homeless
community that otherwise would
be roaming the streets.

The Bridge is a great neighbor,
as evidenced by the relocation
of its entrance to accommodate
the Farmers Market
stakeholders.

The Bridge saves taxpayers tens
of millions of dollars annually by
keeping the homeless out of the
county's criminal justice and
hospital systems.

Violent crime downtown has dropped more than 40 percent since The Bridge opened in 2008.

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