

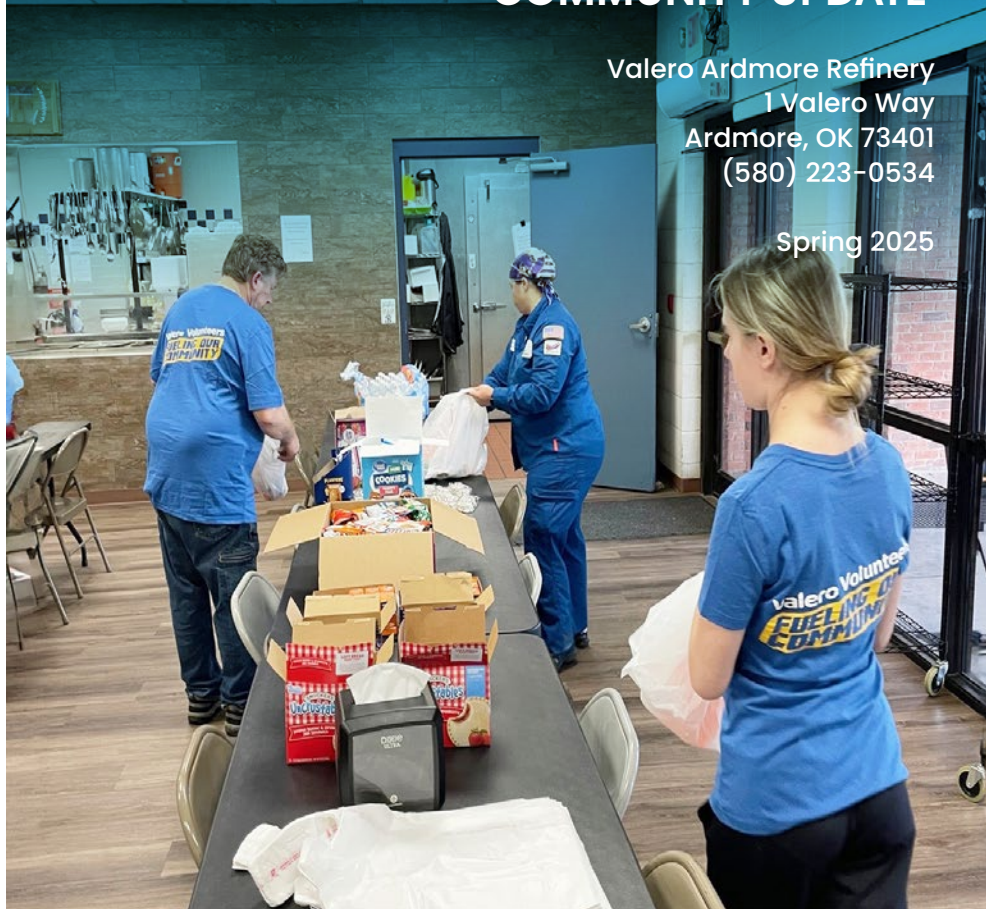


GOOD THINGS ARE HAPPENING HERE. **RIGHT NOW.**

Ardmore Refinery COMMUNITY UPDATE

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Spring 2025



Letter from Vic Rhodes

Vice President & General Manager, Valero Ardmore Refinery

Dear Ardmore Community Members,

We are excited to bring you the annual Valero Ardmore Refinery community newsletter highlighting our dedication to making a positive impact in our community.

First, thank you for being great partners in building a stronger and thriving community. Through volunteerism, charitable giving, and our commitment to excellence in everything we do, we strive to fuel the community in which we live and work.

In 2024, we successfully completed maintenance projects to ensure safe, stable, and reliable operations which is critical to our mission of being a good employer and maintaining our right to operate in the community. Looking ahead, this Spring, there will be a large planned maintenance event at the refinery. Increased traffic, lights, and sounds at the plant may occur for a few weeks. We are coordinating with local



law enforcement to minimize traffic congestion as much as possible. We appreciate your understanding during this maintenance turnaround period.

Our refinery also achieved one of our best years in reliability and environmental performance, with no recordable employee injuries, alongside significant community engagement. Our annual United Way campaign demonstrated the generosity of our employees, achieving the most successful year ever. Valero Ardmore Refinery raised \$1,071,789 for the United Way of South Central Oklahoma, supporting 29 agencies! Through our Foundation and local budgets, we funded \$180,000 of additional community giving and we supported our community with more than 10,500 volunteer hours.

On behalf of the Valero Ardmore Refinery, thank you for your support in helping us make a difference in our community. Together, we are fueling the future for Ardmore and our surrounding communities.



Vic Rhodes

Valero Chairman's Environmental Award



The Valero Chairman's Environmental Award recognizes a refinery that demonstrates the highest level of regulatory compliance combined with strong performance. This year the Ardmore Refinery received this Environmental Award for the second time, the first being in 2013. Last year, Ardmore had only one scorecard event. The site reduced scorecard events by 80% versus its prior five-year performance.



United Way of South Central OK Premier Sponsor Award



United Way of South Central OK Million Dollar Award

Valero's Pillars of Support

Education



Health Care



Civic



Basic Needs



More than **\$9 million** in charitable contributions from Valero Ardmore Refinery since 2017.

EDUCATION & COMMUNITY

In 2024, donated over **\$180,000** in both in-kind items and financial support to area public school systems and nonprofit organizations

MEDICAL DONATION

Donated **\$90,000** to the Southern Oklahoma Ambulance Service supporting their new building campaign.

DISASTER RECOVERY

Donated **\$100,000** to the Long-Term Recovery Fund and **\$150,000** in supplies and fuel cards for the three counties impacted by the April 27, 2024, tornadoes.

Investing in Our Community 2024



Community Highlights

Our Valero volunteers were busy this year logging more than **10,500 hours** of service around the community! Below are a few of our big efforts:

Here. No Matter What.

After a severe storm produced multiple tornadoes impacting our communities on April 27, 2024, Valero volunteers stepped in to assist our neighbors. Valero volunteers helped with cleanup, delivered water to homes without power or running water, and provided recovery supplies, fuel cards, and other essential resources. Volunteers also transported supplies and food to the community center.

Long-term recovery efforts are ongoing through the Long-Term Recovery Fund, which supports those affected by damage or job displacement.



Valero Days of Caring

Partnership with United Way of South Central agencies and the Southern Oklahoma Senior Citizen Nutrition Center

- **720 meals** were delivered and served to senior citizens.
- **200+ winter gear items** donated and distributed.
- **180** senior citizens served Christmas lunch and provided socks and gloves.



Salvation Army Angel Tree

1,500 gifts donated, organized, and packaged for children during Christmas.



High School Career Day



The Plainview Area Career Fair included 13 local schools, and the opportunity to educate approximately 800 students on STEM, steps towards a STEM career, and how petroleum is essential to our daily lives.

Ardmore Soup Kitchen

Valero volunteers give back at the Ardmore Soup Kitchen, cooking and serving meals, and preparing snack bags.



Ardmore Corporate Fitness Challenge



Valero Ardmore Refinery competed and volunteered in the Ardmore Corporate Fitness Challenge which supports two local organizations, Gloria Ainsworth Child Development Center and Girls on the Run.

11th Annual United Way BBQ Showdown presented by Valero

- Raised **\$471,608**, breaking existing records.
- Over **5,000** volunteer hours.
- Approximately **6,000 attendees** and **over 200 volunteers**.



The BBQ Showdown has raised almost \$2 million for United Way of South Central Oklahoma since 2013.

More than \$1 million raised for the United Way of South Central Oklahoma to be distributed in 2025

Donated **\$10 million** to United Way of South Central Oklahoma since 2017.



Benefit for Children — \$300,000 to Local Charities

100s of Charities. 1000s of lives. 1 Purpose – making a difference for children across the United States, including for those in Southern Oklahoma. Valero Ardmore Refinery distributed **\$300,000** among 12 local charities from funds raised through the Valero Texas Open and Valero Benefit for Children.



THE 2024 VALERO BENEFIT FOR CHILDREN LOCAL RECIPIENTS

- Make-A-Wish Oklahoma
- Texoma Autism and Behavior Intervention School
- Community Youth Services
- HFV Wilson Community Center
- The Grace Center of Southern Oklahoma
- Boys and Girls Club of Red River Valley
- Family Shelter of Southern Oklahoma
- 111 Project
- Hilltop Equine Therapy
- Carter County CASA
- Gloria Ainsworth Child Care and Learning Center, Inc.
- Strength in Numbers





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