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YWCA of WNY Co-Locates Programs with Community Action Organization

*The co-location will provide significant benefits to both the clients of
the agencies as well as the community.*

BUFFALO, NY – YWCA of WNY, housed at 1005 Grant Street, has moved some offices and teen services to co-locate with Community Action Organization of Erie County, Inc. (CAO) JFK Center, located at 114 Hickory Street.

“Moving the Education and Leadership Development of the YWCA to the JFK community center managed by the CAO has both a fiscal and functional benefit” said Deborah Lynn Williams, executive director of YWCA of WNY. L. Nathan Hare, President and Chief Executive Officer of CAO agrees, “The structured programming of the YWCA complements the current activities offered at the CAO JFK Center, making this collaboration between the CAO of Erie County, Inc. and the YWCA of WNY promising for community teens.”

The Fund for Alliances, supported by United Way of Buffalo & Erie County donations and distributed through its Not For Profit Resource Center, supported the co-location of offices and services. The financial support provided, \$11,817, will be used for legal expenses and other necessary expenditures.

For more information on YWCA of WNY please visit www.ywca-wny.org or call 852-6120.

For more information on CAO please visit www.caoec.org or call 881-5150.

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