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MONTANA SERVICE PROJECTS AIM TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

MISSOULA –

Members of Montana Campus Corps will hold service projects in several communities across the state to celebrate Make a Difference Day on Saturday, Oct. 27.

During the nation's largest day of service, Campus Corps volunteers will participate in projects in **Billings, Bozeman, Butte, Columbia Falls, Havre, Helena, Missoula, Pablo** and **Wolf Point**.

Volunteers will sponsor food drives in Butte and Billings, help out at homeless shelters in Helena and Missoula, improve a daycare facility in Pablo, run an essay contest for middle school students in Havre, work on a Habitat for Humanity house in Columbia Falls and more.

Make a Difference Day, with millions of past participants, was founded by USA Weekend magazine.

Montana Campus Corps is sponsored by the Montana Campus Compact, a consortium of colleges and universities throughout the state committed to renewing the public purposes of higher education. More information is online at <http://www.mtcompact.org>.

For more information about community projects and how to sign up to volunteer, call Emily Clark of The University of Montana at 406-243-5671 or e-mail clark@mtcompact.org.

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