



A Message  
from the **PRESIDENT**

Anthony L. Jenkins, Ph.D.

Dear Students, Faculty and Staff:

West Virginia State University's seventh annual WVSU Cares Day will be held Saturday, April 20, 2019. Cares Day is a campus-wide day of community service. Volunteers comprised of WVSU students, faculty, staff and alumni come together once a year to complete projects that benefit Kanawha and Putnam County's not-for-profit organizations and community agencies as a way of thanking the community for their support of the institution and its mission.

Last year's event resulted in over 350 volunteers serving at 37 project sites. The day was truly impactful for volunteers and our hosts. Our volunteers had fun working with each other and learning about various organizations, many of which serve our local community every day, as they fulfilled community service hours.

Building on last year's success, we look forward to an inspirational volunteer event serving sites around our community.

Volunteers are needed and are crucial to the success of this event. The planning team will match volunteers with project sites. I urge all of you to register today! Volunteer registration is required and may be completed online at [www.wvstateu.edu/caresday](http://www.wvstateu.edu/caresday).

Thank you for your ongoing support of this very special University initiative.

Sincerely,

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