

## **Julie Victory**

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Julie began volunteering at homeless shelters and tutoring youth at a shelter in downtown St. Paul, Minnesota where she truly recognized her passion for helping people. Since returning to Michigan in 2000, she has been involved with sheltering individuals experiencing homelessness in Livingston County, Michigan. Five years ago, she accepted a position as a board member of the Severe Weather Network of Livingston County. Her work at the shelter has been in the areas of fundraising, raising awareness, recruiting and managing volunteers, and helping guests any way possible. Julie earned her Master's Degree in teaching students with Learning Disabilities from Madonna University, Livonia, Michigan and earned her Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education from Eastern Michigan University. She also completed the Urban Education Program at Hamline University, St. Paul, Minnesota. When not teaching, Julie enjoys being an active volunteer at St. Patrick Parish in Brighton and here at SWN.