

Liftup Welcome Video Script for Onboarding Course

- Visual slideshow with voiceover narration
- Estimated run time: 2-3 minutes.
- Script not to exceed 500 words.
- Audience: new Liftup Volunteers and Staff in the Donation Center

Slide 1: Welcome to Liftup

Welcome to Liftup. We are so thrilled that you have decided to dedicate your valuable time and energy to our organization and to contribute to your community.

Slide 2: Serving over 10% of Routt County residents.

When community members generously donate their items to the donation center, they are helping to contribute to the over 10% of Routt County residents who rely on our services for food, financial, and housing assistance.

Slide 3:

Purchases made in the LiftUp Thrift Store directly fund our operations and programs.

Liftup recipients are then served through our Food Banks and Community Support services, which include emergency financial assistance and scholarships.

Slide 4: We process up to 2,000,000 pounds of donations per year!

We process from 680,000 pounds up to almost 2 million pounds of donations a year.

The donation center has a small staff of employees, and dozens of volunteers to help us process donations to sell in the Thrift Store.

Slide 5: Half of our donations go to another thrift store in Cañon City, Colorado.

Because of the large amount of donations we receive, we are only able to sell about half of the donations in the Liftup Thrift Store.

The other half of the donations get passed to another thrift store in Cañon City, Colorado, which has a much larger facility and works with a rag market, so they can utilize clothing we cannot sell.

Slide 6: Unsuitable donations get passed or thrown away.

If donated items are in bad condition or not suitable for use, the Liftup staff carefully pack them and take these items to a truck that will deliver them to the other thrift store. And for things that are broken or dirty beyond repair, our staff must throw them away.

Slide 7: We appreciate high quality donations.

This can use up time and effort that could be used to help the Donation Center by processing things that can be sold in the Thrift Store. This is why it's very important for our community members to donate things that are still in good condition and can be useful to others.

Slide 8: We value our staff and volunteers.

As a volunteer or staff member, your time and effort is hugely important. Our mission is to serve our community by providing resources and assistance to meet basic human needs and strengthen self-sufficiency. Your contribution is what makes Liftup such a valuable resource to the Steamboat Springs and Routt County community. Thank you for taking your work here as seriously as we do. We value you!