

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Another fantastic year of GIVING on this THANKSGIVING holiday! Due to the generous donations of all who participated, we were able to distribute 625 Thanksgiving meals to families experiencing food insecurity in Howard County and surrounding areas. Our partnership with HCAR Cares continues to be a strong force in rallying the community to take part in this heartwarming experience of helping those in need. Thank you to HCAR Cares and its business community for their continued support of our holiday basket collection with 400 baskets distributed from their location.

In addition to the tremendous support of HCAR Cares and our individual donors, I want to thank the following: TriCity Eagles Ice Hockey, RHHS Hawks Fight Hunger student group, FQMS Helping Hands student group, Triadelphia 7th Day Adventist Church, Sami Love, Your Journey Day Care, West Friendship Livestock 4H, RHHS Ice Hockey, Howard County Agricultural Center and EMT Training at the ARL Bldg, Weight Watchers, Singer/EVI, several book clubs and neighborhoods. This list truly exemplifies what a village can do when we come together!

Neighbor Network is proud to support our local families referred by the Howard County Multiservice Center, Bridges to Housing Stability of Howard County, the Howard County Public School System, Columbia Community Care, The Choice Program- which spans several counties, the Johns Hopkins Bay View Child Psychiatry Outreach Program, the ARC of Howard County, HopeWorks of Howard County and the Linwood Center. The issue of food insecurity is a widespread one, which prompted Neighbor Network to extend its reach to Cherry Hill Strong, a community of Baltimore City, and to the Baltimore City Public School System. Your generous donations have helped to feed so many, and for this, I'm very grateful to each and every one of you.

A special thank you to all those who volunteered to help with every aspect of our holiday program from shopping, filling, loading/unloading and delivering of our Thanksgiving Baskets. We couldn't do this without your help!

We will continue our efforts to support those experiencing financial hardship through our Christmas Adopt a Family Program. For further information, please contact me or visit our website: <https://www.neighbor-network.org/>

Happy Holidays!

Karen Mobley
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Neighbor Network