

2024 Annual Holiday Giving: \$250,000 in Donations to National and Local Non-Profits to Address Children's Needs, Hunger, and Homelessness

| Region | Recipient |
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| Boston | |
| The Greater Boston FOOD BANK | <u>Greater Boston Food Bank</u> – Works to end hunger across Eastern Massachusetts by providing individuals in need the healthy food and resources they need to thrive. |
| Feeding Eastern Massachusetts HEADING HOME | Heading Home – Provides housing and support services, to extremely low-income homeless and formerly homeless children and adults. |
| NEW ENGLAND CENTER AND HOME FOR VETERANS | New England Center and Home for Veterans – Supports veterans with innovative services that enable success, meaningful employment, and dignified independent living while housing and feeding over 300 veterans each day. |
| Chicago | |
| CHICAGO CHAPTER BLESSINGS IN A BACKPACK | Blessings in a Backpack – Provides food on the weekends for schoolaged children who might otherwise go hungry. |
| CHICAGO YOUTH CENTERS WHERE POSSIBILITY LIVES | <u>Chicago Youth Centers</u> – Ensures children have a safe place to explore, to discover, to process, and ultimately to envision a bright future that they can create for themselves. |
| GREATER CHICAGO -FOOD- DEPOSITORY. | <u>Greater Chicago Food Depository</u> – Believes that a healthy community starts with food and acts as the hub for a network of more than 800 food pantries, soup kitchens, shelters, and other programs. |

Columbus Dot's Tots – Provides support to families offering foster care, children Dot's Tots with debilitating disease, injury, and/or illness. FOUNDATION Huckleberry House – Works to ensure all young people in their community have access to a safe home environment as well as the luckleberry guidance they need to develop skills and find resources. YMCA of Central Ohio – Addresses the needs of individuals and YMCA OF CENTRAL OHIO families experiencing a homeless crisis and provides a safe and healthy environment for them to resolve their housing crisis. **Dallas** <u>Community Partners of Dallas</u> – Initiates, develops, and supports projects that make the most positive impact possible on the victims of child abuse in Dallas County. <u>Crossroads Community Services</u> – Works with surrounding Dallas communities by building long-term relationships with clients and community partners to alleviate food insecurity. **CROSSROADS** North Texas Food Bank – Finds unique solutions to the ongoing pursuit of closing the hunger gap in North Texas. NorthTexas Food Bank New York The Child Center of NY – Supports more than 55,000 children and THE CHILD families throughout New York City each year with skills, opportunities, **CENTER OF NY** and emotional support to build healthy, successful lives. <u>Crossroads Community Services</u> – An inclusive community in Crossroads Community Midtown Manhattan that provides warm meals, healthy groceries, and safe shelter. Food Bank For New York City – Empowers every New Yorker to achieve food security for good by using a network of food providers, FOOD BANK partners, and volunteers. National Feeding America – Partners with food banks, food pantries, and local food programs to bring food to people facing hunger. MERICA The Covenant House – Provides immediate and long-term support Covenant House and housing for young people facing homelessness and survivors of

trafficking.