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Nova Classical Academy  
426 Osceola Ave S  
Saint Paul, MN 55102

Dear Friends,

On behalf of Second Harvest Heartland and those we serve, thank you for the generous contribution of 1,515 pounds of food collected during your recent Food Drive. This provides 1,183 meals, transforming the lives of the many children, families and seniors in our community who need our support.

Hunger has doubled in our service area over the past five years. Today, 40% of the people we serve are children under the age of 18. Here in the breadbasket of the world's wealthiest nation, there's simply no reason our neighbors should have to go without food tonight.

We're continually inspired by the incredible generosity displayed by supporters like you. Together, we're turning hunger into hope for so many people who need our help, if even for a short time until they get back on their feet.

When you support Second Harvest Heartland, you're helping ensure that children receive the nutrition they need to develop strong minds and bodies; that seniors remain strong and independent; and that working families can better manage their budgets, eliminating the need to make difficult choices between food and other necessities.

On behalf of those we serve, thank you for your commitment to our work, and for your genuine display of goodwill during a difficult time for so many people. Tonight, a family will sit down to a plentiful meal at their dinner table, and give thanks for you.

Sincere thanks,

Heidi Yankovec  
Events Manager

Sara Ibis  
Campaigns Coordinator

Thank you!