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RE: Food Bank receives \$10,000 donation from Millennium Pipeline

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

ELMIRA, N.Y. – The Food Bank of the Southern Tier received a \$10,000 holiday donation from [Millennium Pipeline Company](#), a natural gas delivery company that serves communities throughout the Southern Tier. This generous gift will be used to support the Food Bank’s hunger relief programs, including the [BackPack Program](#) and [Mobile Food Pantry](#).

"Millennium is proud to support the Food Bank of the Southern Tier and the amazing work they do throughout the year, but especially during the holidays when so many people need so much," said Michelle Hook, Director of Public Relations for Millennium Pipeline. "Millennium has a presence in many communities across the Southern Tier, so it's very important to us to be good neighbors and give back to the communities we serve."

Millennium Pipeline gives a significant gift to the Food Bank at the end of each year, when donations are especially needed. Over the years, the company’s annual gift has provided almost 80,000 meals for neighbors in need throughout the Southern Tier.

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ABOUT THE FOOD BANK OF THE SOUTHERN TIER

Established in 1981 and headquartered in Elmira, NY, the [Food Bank of the Southern Tier](#) distributes food and other grocery products to people in need through a network of more than 150 partner agencies including food pantries, meal kitchens, shelters and other hunger relief organizations in Broome, Chemung, Schuyler, Steuben, Tioga and Tompkins Counties. The Food Bank also administers several direct service food distribution programs including the [BackPack Program™](#) and [Mobile Food Pantry](#). The Food Bank is a member of [Feeding America](#) and a regional agency of [Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Rochester](#). The Food Bank helps fulfill Catholic Charities’ commitment to create a just and compassionate society rooted in the dignity of all people by working together to build and sustain hunger-free communities throughout the Southern Tier.