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## **"Families Helping Families in Houston"** Nine Years of Building Relationships Matter

**Richmond, Tx. October, 2022** -- As Families Helping Families Houston (FHF-Houston) celebrates nearly a decade of feeding those in need during the Thanksgiving Season in Fort Bend County, developing long lasting relationships matters. This effort has been extremely successful and recognized, based on the relationships built and earned over the years.

A small gesture of helping a church member who lost everything in a house fire, prompted FHF-Houston founder, Quincy Collins to see the need and because of his relationships with numerous families and friends, they collected food and household items to help out. The rest is history. Since then, hundreds of volunteers, community organizations and Fort Bend families have supported the Families Helping Families Houston vision to provide groceries to **pre-selected** families suffering from food insecurities.

FHF-Houston has grown from feeding 50 families in the early years to providing groceries to 3thousand families last year. FHF-Houston has targeted areas that include Alief, Stafford, Richmond and Rosenberg to ensure that many students, who depend on school sponsored meals, are not left out during the one-week Thanksgiving holiday recess.

Partnerships developed over the years have growth to include support from Fort Bend families, churches, community groups, charitable organizations as well as the Fort Bend County Sheriff's Office, Fort Bend Constables and other Law Enforcement Agencies. Last year the FHF-Houston effort drew the attention of of a global logistics company, CEVEA – CGM. They provided 3-thousand turkey's and a host of volunteers to help with the food distribution effort.

• If three-thousand (3,000) families donate \$100.00 each, we could reach our goal and continue our mission in providing a happy holiday to those in need.

So, if you are a caring resident, member of a charitable organization or a philanthropic business owner, you can help. Visit our website and sign up to sponsor and volunteer for this year's event <u>https://www.fhfhouston.com/</u>.

This year, the distribution site will be at Fort Bend ISD Dulles High School located at 500 Dulles Ave, Sugar Land, TX on Saturday, November 19, 2022 from 8am-4pm.





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