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The Anoka County Fairgrounds Fall Festival Donates \$7,000 to NACE Food Shelf, Embracing Community Giving

Anoka, Minnesota - 10/18/2023 - The Fall Festival at The Anoka County Fairgrounds, which took place from October 6th to 8th, has donated \$7,000 to the NACE (North Anoka County Emergency) Food Shelf. This contribution was made possible by the event's attendees; the festival had over 6,000 attendees during its 3 day run. A portion of the gate admission was used for the donation to the NACE.

Michaela Liebl, Fair Manager of The Anoka County Fairgrounds, expressed her appreciation for the community's support and stated, "The Anoka County Fairgrounds Fall Festival embodies the spirit of giving back and celebrating our community bonds."

The Anoka County Fairgrounds' contribution will play a vital role in furthering the NACE Food Shelf's mission to offer essential support to individuals and families in the area.

"This is really helping us right now when we have more than doubled the people we are serving and the food cost has tripled over the last two years," Susan Diersen, Executive Director at NACE food shelf.

This donation demonstrates how community events can have a positive influence. The Anoka County Fairgrounds, together with The Fall Festival, continues to serve and support the community.

Since the Holiday In Lights will not take place at The Anoka County Fairgrounds this year, which has historically been able to donate to the NACE, the \$7,000 donation to the food shelf will make a significant impact on the local community during the holiday season.

"We are saddened to confirm that Holiday In Lights won't be held this year, but we remain optimistic about bringing something special back to the community in the future," said Liebl.

A heartfelt thank you goes out to The Fall Festival partners for their invaluable support to the community: Compass Child Care, Sunrise Events & Craft Shows, Conn Human Performance, Bach to Rock, Spark Music School, Jam Hops, Anoka Lions, Farrells Extreme Bodyshaping, Route 65, Mad City Windows & Baths, Magnifi Financial, and Fleet Farm.

Upcoming Anoka County Fairgrounds Events:
The Springtime & Sunshine Festival: May 10-12, 2024
The Anoka County Fair: July 23-28, 2024

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