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Call to Action: 11th Annual Oregon Lawyers Against Hunger (OLAH) Campaign

Oregon Lawyers Against Hunger (OLAH) has a lot to be proud of. They've raised \$977,000 since OLAH started in 1997. This means that OLAH has helped the Oregon Food Bank network bring more than 5 million pounds of food to approximately 100,000 families in need in the state of Oregon.

Oregon Lawyers Against Hunger began in 1997, and has until this year been primarily a campaign of Portland based lawyers. 2008 is the first year NeighborImpact's Food Bank, a member of the Oregon Food Bank Network, has expanded the OLAH campaign with a call to action of Central Oregon Lawyers.

Now more than ever the NeighborImpact Food Bank, local recipient of all funds raised from Central Oregon lawyers during the OLAH campaign, needs action from the lawyers living & working in Central Oregon communities. NeighborImpact's Food Bank has seen an unprecedented increase in the need for food resources this fall, and needs fundraising action from the Central Oregon community to continue providing food resources to our struggling neighbors.

Oregon Lawyers Against Hunger's mission is "*Lawyers supporting the Oregon Food Bank's mission to eliminate hunger*". NeighborImpact's Food Bank is a member of the Oregon Food Bank Network. The Oregon Lawyers Against Hunger Campaign is taking place right now! It started on Monday October 6th and end this Friday, October 17th. For information on how to contribute contact Rachael at NeighborImpact: rachaelm@neighborimpact.org; or visit the OLAH website at: www.oregonlawyersagainsthunger.org

NeighborImpact is the Community Action Agency for Crook, Deschutes, and Jefferson Counties; it is dedicated to empowering individuals and families to succeed in becoming engaged citizens in the community. NeighborImpact's service delivery is divided into two broad categories, Early Care & Education Services, and Housing & Emergency Services, which includes the Food Bank. The Food Bank works with local agencies in the community and the Oregon Food Bank to provide a system for accessing emergency and supplemental food.

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