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"A Stronger Union Through Merger"

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Carlos Rendo
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Dear Mayor Carlos Rendo:

For more than 20 years, the National Association of Letter Carriers (NALC) has conducted an annual nationwide food drive on the second Saturday in May. Using the unparalleled postal networks, letter carriers collect non-perishable food donations on that day as they deliver mail along their postal routes. It is held in 10,000 cities and towns in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands and Guam. Among the many local volunteer groups that will help are the United Way, Salvation Army, Catholic Charities, National Guard units, American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars, Boy/Girl Scouts, various student groups, Rotary Clubs and AARP groups.

"Many people in this country struggle with hunger every day," NALC President Fredric Rolando said. "We are honored to be able to help people in need by leading an effort that brings out the best in so many Americans. Six days a week, letter carriers see first-hand the needs in the communities where we work, and we're committed to helping meet those needs." For more than a decade, the drive has annually collected more than 70 million pounds of food. Over the course of its history, the food drive has collected 1.67 billion pounds of food to help feed our neighbors.

The letter carriers in Woodcliff Lake will be participating in the NALC Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive again this year on May 11, 2019. I write to enlist your assistance in getting the word out to the citizens of Woodcliff Lake. Any help you can provide, such as a proclamation or promotion on the town web site or television station, would be greatly appreciated.

The contact for the Post Office in your town is Chris Bermudez. Chris Bermudez can be reached at 201-780-9868. Thank you very much for your assistance. Together we can make a difference in assisting those who need a helping hand.

Sincerely,

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