



Valley Fire Protection Systems Indiana Food Drive

Valley Fire Protection Systems Indiana is teaming up with the Food Bank of Northwest Indiana again to help put a stop to hunger. The mission of the Food Bank of Northwest Indiana is *“to provide nutritional support to those in need of hunger relief through its network of 100 community agencies across Lake and Porter Counties-with the ongoing focus of ending hunger and helping individuals in our community move towards self-sufficiency.”*

The Food Bank of Northwest Indiana was founded in 1982. It was originally a barn, but has grown into a facility that acquires, stores and distributes over 5 million pounds of food throughout Lake and Porter Counties. The Food Bank is an affiliate of Feeding America, the nation’s largest food bank network. For more than three decades, the Food Bank has served as a link for food relief to families, the elderly, children and other individuals.

We will be hosting a food drive and would like to ask for your help.

- **WHEN: Monday November 9th - Monday December 14th**
- **WHERE: 8635 Louisiana Pl Merrillville IN 46410**
- **TIME: Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:00pm**

I have attached a list of non-perishable foods that the food bank is in need of this coming holiday season.

Last year we collected 219 lbs. of food. This year I would like to try to double that amount. So please help by donating and lets all work together to put a stop to hunger.

Thank you,
Valley Fire Protection Systems

