



Dear Valued Vendor:

We need your help!

On Monday, November 22nd, the nonprofit foundation established by Ocala native and Buffalo Bills CB Drayton Florence will be at the Ed Croskey Education Center for a "Day of Thanksgiving" to distribute Thanksgiving dinner boxes to some the area's neediest families.

With your support, the Drayton Florence Foundation and the program's key partner, Take Stock in Children, hope to feed 110 families who have been identified and selected through the Public Education Foundation of Marion County. The actual number of families we are able to serve will depend greatly upon the generosity of companies like yours.

We'd like to request you support of this year's program through the donation of enough product for inclusion in 110 Thanksgiving dinner boxes.

While we are open to donation of any quantity or type, the boxes traditionally have included a 10 lb. turkey, dinner rolls, a box of stuffing, two canned vegetable sides, a box of instant potatoes and a dessert.

The families will have a two-hour time window to come pick up their dinner package, and members of the Florence family and representatives from the Drayton Florence Foundation, Take Stock in Children and many community dignitaries will be on hand to greet the families.

The Drayton Florence Foundation will issue a news release leading up to the food distribution event inviting media to cover the event and will be more than happy to include recognition for you in return for your generosity. In each of the last several years, media turnout has been significant. In addition, pictures and stories will be posted on the Drayton Florence Foundation and Buffalo Bills web sites.

We hope you'll consider working with us to benefit this very worthwhile cause.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter. Please let me know if you have any questions. I can be reached by cell at (727) 501-6767.

Sincerely,

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