



## REQUEST FOR COVERAGE

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### **Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank sends hurricane disaster relief to Louisiana**

Friday, September 17 is Hunger Action Day – a day where efforts across the country are focused for greater hunger-fighting impact. It also happens that on this day, Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank (The Food Bank) is preparing to send almost 25,000 pounds of food and water to the Greater Baton Rouge Food Bank as the area experiences continued flooding from the remnants of Hurricane Nicholas.

Working in partnership with with Feeding America and the Brothers' Brother Foundation, the Food Bank shipment includes 20 pallets of water, non-perishable food and MREs (meals ready-to-eat). Brother's Brother Foundation is arranging for delivery of the food on Monday.

**WHAT:** Food Bank prepares food to support disaster relief in Louisiana

**WHEN:** Hunger Action Day, Friday, September 17 at noon

**WHERE:** Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank- 1 N. Linden St, Duquesne

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Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank is a nonprofit organization that distributes food for nearly 45 million meals annually across 11 counties in southwestern Pennsylvania through a network of more than 850 agencies, partners and programs. The Food Bank was founded in 1980 and is a member of Feeding America, the leading domestic hunger-relief charity in the U.S. For more information on hunger in our region or how to get involved, visit [pittsburghfoodbank.org](http://pittsburghfoodbank.org).