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## Christie Administration Launches Sixth Annual "Season of Service"

Sunday, November 20, 2016

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### *Officials Continue Tradition of Volunteerism*

**Trenton, NJ** – Tomorrow, Christie Administration officials will continue a tradition of service begun in 2011 by Governor Christie and First Lady Mary Pat Christie as a way to give back to the greater New Jersey community by volunteering time and assistance to those in need. This sixth annual "Season of Service" will spotlight a variety of activities that serve New Jersey's most vulnerable, including those impacted by addiction, Garden State veterans and the homeless.

"Demonstrating our support is the greatest gift we can give to those in need," said Governor Christie. "For the past six years, Mary Pat and I, and my Cabinet members have made a commitment to the importance of service through our annual 'Season of Service.' I'm proud that these efforts by my administration continue to reflect our dedication to serving New Jerseyans across the state."

Since 2011, Cabinet members and officials have participated in more than 250 service opportunities throughout the state – volunteering at food banks, soup kitchens and shelters serving meals, packing boxes or delivering meals. They have also helped in recovery and rebuilding after Sandy as well as focusing on drug abuse and addiction and the work being done to overcome the disease.

**Please see below for a full list of Administration officials who will be participating in community service events over the week of November 21 – 25. Any inquiries on the below events should be directed to the corresponding department or agency.**

**Monday, November 21, 2016**

### **MIDDLESEX COUNTY**

**WHO:** BPU Commissioner Upendra Chivukula**WHAT:** Prepares Thanksgiving Food Packages**WHEN:** 11:30 a.m.**WHERE:** Five Loaves Food Pantry

100 College Avenue

New Brunswick, NJ

**PRESS:** OPEN, No Availability

### **OCEAN COUNTY**

**WHO:** DMAVA - Members of NJ Army and Air National Guard**Stay Connected**  
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**WHAT:** Distributes Thanksgiving Meal Packages

**WHEN:** 1:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** The Salvation Army

1738 NJ-37

Toms River, NJ

**PRESS:** OPEN, No Availability

**Tuesday, November 22, 2016**

#### **CAMDEN COUNTY**

**WHO:** BPU Commissioner Dianne Solomon

**WHAT:** Delivers Thanksgiving Meals to Homebound Individuals

**WHEN:** 9:30 a.m.

**WHERE:** Jewish Family and Children Services of Southern NJ

1301 Springdale Rd #150,

Cherry Hill, NJ

**PRESS:** OPEN, No Availability

#### **PASSAIC COUNTY**

**WHO:** Office of Homeland Security Director Christopher Rodriguez and Staff

**WHAT:** Holiday Meal Service and Thanksgiving Turkey Distribution

**WHEN:** 11:00 a.m.

**WHERE:** Oasis

59 Mill Street

Paterson NJ

**PRESS:** OPEN, No Availability

**HUDSON COUNTY**

**WHO:** Labor & Workforce Development Acting Commissioner Aaron Fichtner and Assistant Commissioner Jeff Stoller

**WHAT:** Holiday Meal Service

**WHEN:** 12:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Goodwill Industries

400 Supor Blvd.

Harrison, NJ

**PRESS:** OPEN, No Availability

**Wednesday, November 23, 2016**

**MORRIS COUNTY**

**WHO:** BPU President Richard Mroz

**WHAT:** Renovation Work at Homeless Shelter

**WHEN:** 10:00 a.m.

**WHERE:** Volunteers for America Delaware Valley

Somerville Home Shelter

22 E Main Street

Somerville, NJ

**PRESS:** OPEN, No Availability

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