

FOR INFORMATION CALL

November 22, 2013

Ald. José G. Pérez (414) 286-3762

43rd annual Thanksgiving food drive at Centro Hispano

Centro Hispano of Milwaukee is again holding its annual Thanksgiving food drive to help families in need and is still accepting donations from companies and individuals.

The director of operations for the center has indicated that the need is even greater than usual this year, so any donation is appreciated.

Those wishing to help out can donate in any of three easy ways: online through PayPal; by mail to the Council for the Spanish Speaking, Inc., 614 W. National Ave., Milwaukee, WI 53204; or by phone, contacting Ms. Aldira Aldape at (414) 384-3700 (ext. 214).

Today (Friday, November 22) food collected from area schools will be delivered to Centro Hispano's Murguia campus, located at 1645 S. 36th St. There it will be sorted and boxed on Saturday.

Alderman José G. Pérez will be joining more than 350 volunteers to assist in the effort, but more volunteers are always welcome and the help is encouraged.

"The Centro Hispano Thanksgiving food drive is a great tradition and it is greatly appreciated, but it would not be possible without all of the help from the kind volunteers and the generous donations," Alderman Pérez said.

Approximately 1,200 individuals and families will receive a box of non-perishable food items and a small bag of produce. This year, turkeys will also be given out for the holiday.

For more information about the Thanksgiving food drive, please visit centrohispanomke.org or call Centro Hispano at (414) 384-3700.