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ConocoPhillips Alaska Employees Donate 454,500 Meals to Food Bank of Alaska

Anchorage, Alaska – ConocoPhillips Alaska employees are making a significant impact in the fight against hunger by donating 454,500 meals to Food Bank of Alaska. The first delivery – a tractor-trailer carrying 42,000 pounds of food – will arrive at the Food Bank of Alaska warehouse at 2pm on Thursday, December 19, 2024.

This annual employee-driven food drive continues to be the largest food drive in Alaska and one of the largest in the United States.

"This donation comes at a critical time," said Cara Durr, CEO of Food Bank of Alaska. "The rising cost of food and distribution, paired with increased need, has made it more challenging than ever to meet the demand. The extraordinary generosity of ConocoPhillips Alaska employees—combined with this financial gift—ensures we can deliver nearly 455,000 meals to families statewide. We are deeply grateful for their continued commitment to fighting hunger in Alaska."

The 454,500 meals includes a food donation of 75,000 meals and a matching financial gift from ConocoPhillips Alaska will help provide an additional 379,500 meals.

"Our employees are proud supporters of Food Bank of Alaska's mission to nourish our friends and neighbors across the state," said Erec Isaacson, President of ConocoPhillips Alaska. "Year after year, they step forward with unwavering enthusiasm to ensure this food drive makes a meaningful difference in the communities where we live and work."

Media Invitation

- **Date:** Thursday, December 19, 2024
- **Time:** 2:00pm
- **Where:** Food Bank of Alaska Warehouse, 2192 Viking Dr Anchorage, AK 99501
- **Visual Opportunities:** The arrival of the tractor-trailer, unloading food donations and interviews with key leaders.

Available for interview:

- **Cara Durr**, CEO, Food Bank of Alaska
- **Daniel Bentle**, Chief Philanthropy Officer, Food Bank of Alaska
- **Tani Kron**, ConocoPhillips Alaska Employee and Food Drive Lead

About Food Bank of Alaska:

Food Bank of Alaska works to eliminate hunger statewide through collaboration with more than 150 partner agencies. Last year, the organization distributed over 6.7 million pounds of food to families, seniors and children across Alaska. For more information, visit www.foodbankofalaska.org.

About ConocoPhillips Alaska:

ConocoPhillips Alaska has been a leader within Alaska's oil industry for more than 50 years. The company is committed to operating with the highest safety standards, responsibly developing Alaska's resources, promoting economic opportunity for Alaska, and being a valuable community partner. For more information, visit www.conocophillipsalaska.com.