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MEDIA ADVISORY

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When: Thursday, September 21, 2017

Where: Food Bank of Eastern Michigan Hunger Solution Center
1939 Howard Avenue; Flint, MI 48503

When: Lunch: 11am to 2pm
Dinner: 4pm to 7pm

What: **The Food Bank's largest and most popular fundraising event!** Attendees enjoy a simple meal of soup and bread from a variety of local restaurants and take home a one-of-a-kind bowl to serve as a reminder of hunger in our communities.

Details: Attendees will also enjoy:

- Live Music
- Cooking Demonstrations
- Silent Auction and Raffle
- Learn about FBEM programs

About the Food Bank of Eastern Michigan: Serving local families in need since 1981, the Food Bank of Eastern Michigan has grown to provide over 25 million pounds of food each year through more than 415 partner agencies in 22 counties. Partner agencies consist of local soup kitchens, homeless shelters and food pantries who strive to feed more than 350,000 people who struggle with hunger throughout eastern Michigan. For more information, visit www.fbem.org.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

June 28, 2017

Responding to a State of Emergency

Recent heavy rains have caused flooding throughout much of Mid-Michigan. Many of the counties served by the Food Bank have been impacted by flood damage and some have even declared a State of Emergency. Recovery efforts are ongoing in Bay, Midland, Saginaw and Gladwin counties.

The Food Bank is working with partner agencies and community organizations to provide food to those who have been impacted by the flooding in Mid-Michigan. The following food distributions are scheduled to take place this week.

Wednesday June 28th

- 10:00am: Midland County EAS: 3917 Jefferson Ave; Midland, MI 48640
- 3:00pm: West Midland Family Center: 4011 W. Isabella Rd; Shepherd, MI 48883

Thursday, June 29th

- 11:30am: Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church: 3109 Swede; Midland, MI 48642

Friday, June 30th

- 10:00am: Midland Emergency Food Pantry: 4839 N. Coleman Schools Dr; Coleman, MI 48618

Saturday, July 1st

- 11:30am: Old Town Christian Outreach: 600 Gratiot Road; Saginaw, MI 48602

If you are in need of food assistance, a calendar of all mobile food distributions in our service area is available on our website here: <https://www.fbem.org/programs/mobile-pantry-distributions/> or "Like Us" on Facebook and follow our events page: www.facebook.com/FoodBankofemich.

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