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FIRST LADY KAREN W. KASICH VISITS BUTLER COUNTY EDUCATIONAL SERVICE CENTER TO DISTRIBUTE WEEKEND MEALS TO CHILDREN IN NEED

MIDDLETOWN, OH – First Lady Karen Waldbillig Kasich today visited Butler County Educational Service Center to distribute weekend backpacks to children and families participating in the Second Harvest Weekend Backpack Program.

“By providing weekend meals to children, the backpack program offers assistance to Ohio families in need,” said First Lady Karen Waldbillig Kasich. “We’re fortunate to have a network of foodbanks in Ohio that work tirelessly to ensure our children are provided with basic necessities.”

The visit follows the earlier donation of \$95,000 to the Ohio Association of Second Harvest Foodbanks (OASHF) and its member foodbanks, specified in support of the program. Kasich selected OASHF, Ohio’s largest charitable response to hunger, as one of the charitable organizations to receive remaining transition funds from the Kasich-Taylor New Day Committee, Inc., among others. OASHF was selected for their commitment to the health and wellness of children in Ohio.

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