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The Network celebrates 35 years serving the Richardson ISD community

(RICHARDSON, Texas – Jan. 1, 2020) Network of Community Ministries will celebrate 35 years of serving those in need in the Richardson ISD community.

Network of Community Ministries announced today the celebration of its 35th anniversary. Network of Community Ministries was established in 1985 by multiple churches in Richardson. Today the organization has over 31 stakeholders. The Network is a non-denominational, community-based organization serving nearly 9,000 individuals annually through over 47,000 units of service.



“For 35 years, Network of Community Ministries has been helping individuals in need in the Richardson ISD area,” said CEO Cindy Shafer. “We are proud of the work we have done and look forward to finding new ways that allow us to grow.” DRAFT FOR APPROVAL

Capital Campaign

Network of Community Ministries has been serving those in the Richardson ISD service area for over 35 years. The Network is launching a year-long capital campaign, starting January 1, 2020, with the hopes of fundraising \$5 million-dollars for a new building that can fit all of the Network’s current services while allowing the nonprofit room to grow.

#GrowingOurNetwork

Kicking off on January 1, 2020, the Network will begin a year-long social media campaign titled “#GrowingOurNetwork”. The campaign will feature social media posts throughout the year profiling the services offered by Network of Community Ministries and how the upcoming Capital Campaign will allow the nonprofit to grow.

Local and Celebrity Influencers

The Richardson ISD has a long list of local and celebrity influencers. The Network will be reaching out to many local and celebrity officials asking them to officially endorse Network of Community Ministries and its capital campaign in order to raise funds for a new building.

“Richardson ISD is proud to partner with an amazing organization that puts the needs of our students and families first,” Richardson ISD Superintendent Jeannie Stone said. “I am excited to celebrate the history of the Network of Community Ministries!” DRAFT FOR APPROVAL

For more information about events and activities during the 35th anniversary and capital campaign, contact the Network of Community Ministries office at 972-234-8880.

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About Network of Community Ministries:

The Network of Community Ministries helps individuals in the Richardson ISD area who are struggling to afford food, clothing and financial security through our food pantry, mobile food pantry, clothing closet, and financial assistance. For those looking for help or want to learn more about our ministry, please visit thenetwork.org.