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Information Bulletin: Fill the Wagon – Food Drive

## **Fill the Wagon – UPDATE**

The food drive to “fill the wagon” is underway. As you can see below, donations have begun to arrive. Please come by the Franconia District Station lobby at 6121 Franconia Road to drop off your non-perishable food. The joy and excitement to give is spreading. Officer Julia Elliott stated, "This food drive gives us [the Police Officers of Franconia District] a chance to have a positive interaction with the community we know and serve."

If you cannot make it to the station, then watch for the wagon. The police patrol wagon will be at local grocery stores accepting donations. The dates, times and locations are:

Dec 10	Noon – 4 p.m.	Giant (Kingstowne SC)	5870 Kingstowne Center
Dec 11	11 a.m. – 5 p.m.	Shoppers (Manchester Lakes)	7005 Manchester Lakes Blvd
Dec 12	Noon – 4 p.m.	Bloom (Gunston Plz)	7760 Gunston Plaza Dr
Dec 13	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Giant (Hayfield Plz)	7558 Telegraph Road
Dec 14	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Giant (Hayfield Plz)	7558 Telegraph Road
Dec 15	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Giant (Hayfield Plz)	7558 Telegraph Road
Dec 17	Noon – 4 p.m.	Giant (Kingstowne SC)	5870 Kingstowne Center
Dec 18	11 a.m. – 5 p.m.	Shoppers (Manchester Lakes)	7005 Manchester Lakes Blvd
Dec 19	Noon – 4 p.m.	Bloom (Gunston Plz)	7760 Gunston Plaza Dr

There are additional drop sites to collect food on behalf of the Franconia District Station. They are:

- Lorton Library 9520 Richmond Hwy. Lorton, VA 22073
  - Wilton Woods Community 6022 Florence Ln. Alexandria, VA 22305
  - Greenspring Retirement Community 7410 Spring Village Dr. Springfield, VA 22150
  - Lansdowne Community 8000 Morningview Ln. Alexandria, VA 22315
  - Bren Mar Community 6233 Indian Run Pkwy. Alexandria, VA 22312
- (Please be considerate of the residences.)



## Fill the Wagon

The Franconia Station has begun a food drive to ["fill the wagon"](#). The “wagon” is the marked police vehicle which you occasionally see patrolling the streets. It is primarily used to transport prisoners to the Fairfax County Adult Detention Center. However, this

holiday season, our goal is to “fill the wagon” full of non-perishable food items to be delivered to local food banks and churches.

As Captain Shawn Bennett, Franconia Police District Commander stated, “Police officers are members of the public; both at work and at home. They share their days off with their families, friends and communities and their workdays serving county residents by supporting their needs, resolving conflicts and fighting crime. Officers are quick to recognize that not every call for service needs to end in an arrest. Many problems can be resolved by giving to those in need. This effort allows our officers to lend a helping hand to their fellow citizens.”

We are accepting donations from now until Monday, December 20. You can deliver donations to the Franconia District Station lobby at 6121 Franconia Road. We will also be taking the wagon around town to local grocery stores and businesses to collect food donations, so be on the look-out for the police wagon in your community. A list of businesses and pickup times will be provided shortly; please help the Fairfax County Franconia District Station "fill the wagon!"



Police Patrol Wagon

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