

From the office of
Mayor Oscar B. Goodman

Proclamation

- Whereas; the Campbell Soup Company will team up with the National Association of Letter Carriers (NALC) to collect food donations in order to provide assistance to the rapidly increasing number of Americans who are struggling with hunger during the NALC's annual *Stamp Out Hunger* food drive; and
- Whereas; the *Stamp Out Hunger* drive is a nationwide effort to provide food to local food banks and pantries that would otherwise have depleted stocks during the summer months and are experiencing universal increases in demand for emergency food assistance due to the current recession as well as growing unemployment rates; and
- Whereas; the nation's 230,000 letter carriers will collect food donations left at the mailboxes of generous Americans in more than 10,000 local communities and deliver them to food banks and other hunger relief organizations; and
- Whereas; now in its 18th year, the *Stamp Out Hunger* effort is the nation's largest single-day food drive, having collected nearly one billion pounds of food since its inception in 1993, including a record setting total of 73.4 million pounds in 2009; now
- Therefore; I, the Mayor of the City of Las Vegas, County of Clark, State of Nevada, hereby proudly proclaim May 8, 2010 to be:

National Association of Letter Carriers Food Drive Day

IN THE CITY OF LAS VEGAS AND ENCOURAGE ALL
CITIZENS TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS WORTHY CAUSE THAT ASSISTS
MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY WHO ARE IN NEED.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF:
BY THE POWERS GRANTED TO ME,
I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND
AND CAUSED THE SEAL OF THE
CITY OF LAS VEGAS TO BE AFFIXED
THIS 4TH DAY OF MAY, 2010.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Oscar B. Goodman".

HONORABLE OSCAR B. GOODMAN
MAYOR, CITY OF LAS VEGAS

Submitted at City Council

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