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**HUNGER FIGHT Awarded Grant to Fight Childhood Hunger
From The Jim Moran Foundation**

JACKSONVILLE, FL – HUNGER FIGHT, Inc. announced today its continuing partnership with The Jim Moran Foundation to feed hungry children during the weekend. Hunger Fight’s Feed the Backpack program provides a 4-serving meal pack each week for children who are fed at school during the week but may face an entire weekend with little food.

Thanks to The Jim Moran Foundation, Hunger Fight received its second year distribution of \$122,408 to provide three 4-serving meal packs; a breakfast, a lunch and a dinner, to 1177 at-risk children every weekend for one year. In addition, The Foundation also awarded Hunger Fight a matching Challenge Grant which matched \$30,000 in donations.

The impact of these grants and the food they provide is significant. Hunger Fight will continue meeting the weekend nutrition needs of children in our Feed the Backpack program. Hunger Fight will also continue to respond to the needs of our community through the distribution of our meal packs to food pantries, food banks, community and other hunger programs that are serving those who are struggling to put food on the table during the Covid-19 pandemic.

“We are so very grateful and humbled by the recognition and support we receive from The Jim Moran Foundation with these grants,” said Sherri Porter, Founder and Executive Director of Hunger Fight. “These grants are crucial to the continued operations and expansion of our programs to meet the demands for food services due to the Covid-19 pandemic. Their support for the work that we do inspires us to continue making a difference in the lives of the children and families during these crucial and difficult times.”

About HUNGER FIGHT

HUNGER FIGHT is a not-for-profit organization established in 2012. Its mission is to end hunger and illiteracy through the provision of nutritious meals and books to children, seniors and families by informing, engaging and mobilizing communities and partners. For more information about HUNGER FIGHT, visit www.HungerFight.org.

About The Jim Moran Foundation:

Founded by automotive pioneer Jim Moran, the mission of The Jim Moran Foundation is to improve the quality of life for the youth and families of Florida through the support of innovative programs and opportunities that meet the ever-changing needs of the community. The Foundation has invested more than \$140 million in education, elder care, family strengthening, after school and youth transitional living initiatives since its inception in 2000 – with efforts currently focused in Broward, Palm Beach and Duval counties. Through a long-term Grant Agreement, The Foundation’s significant funders are JM Family Enterprises, Inc., and its subsidiaries, including Southeast Toyota Distributors, LLC. It is located at 100 Jim Moran Blvd., Deerfield Beach, Fla. 33442. To learn more, visit www.jimmoranfoundation.org or call (954) 429-2122.