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HILLSDALE COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION TO HOST 7TH ANNUAL GREAT GIVE TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2021

Hillsdale, Michigan, November 19, 2021: #GivingTuesday is a global day of giving fueled by the power of social media and collaboration. The Hillsdale County Community Foundation will celebrate on November 30, 2021, by sponsoring the largest day of giving in Hillsdale County at The Great Give.

Celebrated on the Tuesday following Thanksgiving (in the U.S.) and the widely recognized shopping events Black Friday, Small Business Saturday, and Cyber Monday, #GivingTuesday kicks off the charitable season, when many focus on their holiday and end-of-year giving.

Please plan now to support our local non-profit agencies. There are multiple ways to donate:

Pre-giving: Now through 1 p.m. on November 29, drop off, mail, or online (<u>www.abouthccf.org</u>) to donate to your favorite non-profit agency. Drop off 9-noon or 1-4 p.m. at 2 South Howell Street, Hillsdale or mail to PO Box 276, Hillsdale, Michigan 49242.

Day of the Event: Tuesday, November 30, from 9 a.m. -4 p.m. at the HCISD Parke D. Hayes Educational Building, 310 W Bacon Road, Hillsdale. There will be drive through and drop off options for donors at the Parke Hayes Educational Building.

Online: Online gifts are encouraged using the HCCF website, www.abouthccf.org.

The HCCF is encouraging Hillsdale County residents to celebrate the spirit of philanthropy by donating to our local nonprofits. Funds from a bonus pool will be distributed and awarded by the HCCF to participating agencies during The Great Give.

Participating Organizations Include:

 CAPA • CASA • Child Care Network • Domestic Harmony • Early Pregnancy Loss Association • • Greater Hillsdale Humane Society • Great Start Collaborative •
• Helping Hands Pregnant Resource Center • Hillsdale County Senior Services Center • • Hospice of Hillsdale County • St. Peter's Free Clinic • • Hillsdale County Community Foundation •

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