



# LEE'S SUMMIT SOCIAL SERVICES

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Dear Friends,

Lee's Summit Social Services (LSSS) will hold its annual pancake breakfast on February 7, 2008 at the First Baptist Church, located at 1<sup>st</sup> and Douglas, from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. All funds raised from this event will go to support the programs at Lee's Summit Social Services.

LSSS, an emergency assistance agency, gave more than \$1.0 million worth of in-kind and monetary services during 2008 to individuals and families in need. This total includes:

- 6,272 assists to families for food
- 356 infants were given formula and baby supplies to keep them healthy
- 217 families had their electricity kept on
- 176 families had their gas bill paid to warm their homes
- 111 families had their water bills paid
- 2 senior households were assisted with emergency home repairs to make it possible to stay in their own homes longer
- 1,160 family members received clothing
- 182 seniors were provided with Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter food baskets
- 276 families were able to shop at the agency's Christmas store ensuring that 644 kids had at least one present under the tree this year
- Over 572 children were assisted with new shoes, clothing, backpacks and school supplies during our annual "Back to School Program."

- Don Kahan
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With the current downturn in the economy, our needs continue to explode. Numerous assists are given daily as the caseload continues to grow, with the population growth in our service area of Lee's Summit, Lake Lotawana, Greenwood, and Lone Jack.

This fundraiser is successful due to the generosity of the individuals and businesses that are willing to help others in their community in need.

**We are asking for your sponsorship of this event in the amount of \$250.00 or any additional amount you are able to give.** Individuals and businesses that give at least \$250 will have their name listed on the placemats at the event, in a thank-you advertisement in the local paper, and as a partner on our website. Plus, you will receive 4 complimentary tickets for the pancake breakfast.

## DIRECTOR

- Geneva J. High

Thank you so much for supporting your community with your generous donation.

**Lee's Summit Social Services is an exempt organization under section 501(C)(3) of the Internal Revenue Service Code. Your contribution may be tax deductible less any goods and services received.**