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Thank you for helping us “Stuff a Bus” - TWICE!

EVERETT – The annual Stuff a Bus charity drive, sponsored by the Amalgamated Transit Union Local 883, in partnership with Fred Meyer and Everett Transit, continues to break previous records!

The Fred Meyer at Murphy’s Corner brought in 7,636 pounds of food, 2,412 toys and clothing items with an estimated value of over \$23,500 and over \$1,200 in cash donations.

New this year was a second location at the Monroe Fred Meyer location. In our first year we received an overwhelming response from the community which donated 5,601 pounds of food and over 200 toys as well as \$940 in cash donations!

This annual event benefits local families supported by Volunteers of America Western Washington (VOAWW). On behalf of all the families served this year, VOAWW staff and volunteers extend a sincere “Thank you!” to the community for your generosity this holiday season.

We thank you for your support each year and look forward to seeing you at next year’s event!

For more information on the event, or to see a timelapse of last year’s bus, please visit us at www.voaww.org.

About VOAWW

Volunteers of America Western Washington (VOAWW) serves a six-county region, providing food, housing, and support services for people wherever they are struggling along the continuum of life – from families and children to seniors and people with developmental disabilities. Each year, VOAWW responds to 350,000 requests for assistance. For more information, visit www.voaww.org.

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Event Pictures available upon request.