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Rapid Relief Team Supports Cuba Township Food Pantry

Local Volunteers Donate 800+ Pounds in Food Boxes

[Barrington, IL – July 3, 2024] – The Rapid Relief Team (RRT), the charitable arm of the Plymouth Brethren Christian Church (PBCC), put together and donated 50 Family Food Boxes to the Cuba Township Food Pantry earlier this month as part of their annual The Land We Love Run.

The donation, which provided around 1,200 meals for the food pantry, [earned](#) RRT this year's Most Donations medal.

RRT's Food Box contains non-perishable food supplies with sufficient items to feed a family of four, up to three meals over 48 hours. It typically contains cereal, canned fish, vegetables and fruit. Sweet treats like candies or chocolates are included as well.

"RRT's Food Box was created to provide temporary relief for those who may have been affected by domestic violence, financial insecurity or temporary displacement because of humanitarian or natural disasters," said Ben Diener, RRT Team Leader.

Cuba Township Food Pantry is a 501(c)3 nonprofit that supports underserved individuals in the Barrington Community, providing non-perishable foods, paper products, cleaning supplies, and toiletries. Through its collaboration with local groups like RRT, the pantry is able to expand its reach and effectiveness and deliver even greater assistance to neighbors in need.

In 2023, RRT supported 1,407 events, served 374,203 event meals, 1,035,584 Food Box meals and contributed 61,805 volunteer hours globally. For more information about the Rapid Relief Team and their initiatives, please visit www.rapidreliefteam.org.

For more information about Cuba Township Food Pantry and to view their wish list, visit their website [here](#).

About Rapid Relief Team (RRT): RRT is a global network of over 14,500 volunteers who assist emergency services during disasters and crises by providing meals and other forms of support. Established in 2013 by the Plymouth Brethren Christian Church, RRT is dedicated to showing kindness through its actions, embodying the spirit of community and support in times of need. For more information, visit [RRT's website](#).

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