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Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc.®, Alpha Gamma Eta Omega Chapter Delivers More Than 65 Meals and Fresh Pies to Local Families on Thanksgiving Eve

Newburgh and Wappingers Falls, NY – On Thanksgiving Eve, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.®, Alpha Gamma Eta Omega Chapter proudly expanded its commitment to community care by distributing more than 65 freshly prepared meals and pies to families in need. This initiative was an extension of the chapter's CHIPP program, which supports families and individuals who benefit from transitional and emergency assistance.

This year's effort was made possible through generous collaboration with Outback Steakhouse in Wappingers Falls, which cooked all of the turkeys in house and packaged every meal for distribution, the T Mobile Store in Newburgh, and Meals on Wheels Greater Newburgh, which donated additional meals and holiday pies. Together, these partners ensured that families experiencing hardship received a warm, high quality holiday meal prepared with care.

"Thanksgiving is about community, compassion, and connection. By working together, we were able to reach families who are navigating difficult transitions and ensure they felt supported during the holiday," said Tasmanika Rich, Event Lead.

Volunteers delivered meals directly to families living in transitional housing and to individuals served through CHIPP related programs. The meals included turkey, sides, desserts, and fresh pies, offering a complete holiday experience for households across the region.

Alpha Gamma Eta Omega Chapter remains committed to service, economic uplift, and community centered programs that meet families where they are. Through partnerships and year round outreach, the chapter continues to prioritize those who face food insecurity, housing instability, and limited access to resources.

For more information about upcoming events, partnerships, or service initiatives, please contact Alpha Gamma Eta Omega Chapter at www.akaalphagametaomega.org.

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Editor's Note: Courtesy photos of the event are linked below:

People in the photo from left to right: (Rasheena Wilson, President, Dion Walker-Duncan, Vice-President, Saalihah Akbar, Melanie S. Graham, Jay King (T-Mobile), Alicia Smith, Tasmanika Rich, Netikka D. Seward and Anquinette Hayles) - **PHOTO ONE CLICK HERE**