

EAGLE SCOUT PROJECTS

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PROJECT GUIDELINES

1. Choose from the list of specialty kits listed on the following page.
 - a. Each kit should have each of the required items on the list and be assembled into gallon-sized bags.
 - b. We require a minimum of 100 kits but most scouts are able to complete more than 250, depending on their troop size and number of participants.
2. Write your project proposal, taking into consideration our project guidelines and the resources of your project participants. Your project should be both challenging and feasible. A typically project includes plans for:
 - a. Organizing a fundraiser and/or food drive to collect the necessary items
 - b. Recruiting volunteers and overseeing the kit assembly process
 - c. Arranging transportation to drop the completed kits at Community Action when they are done.
3. Contact the volunteer coordinator to set an appointment to get your project proposal approved and paperwork signed. It is important that you schedule your meeting at least 48 hours in advance and arrive promptly at the scheduled time.
4. Make project plans and get your project reviewed by the BSA local council.
5. Once it is approved, you may begin your project.
6. Please contact the volunteer coordinator with any questions that arise along the way.
7. Schedule a final appointment to drop off the completed project and get a final signature of approval.
8. Celebrate! Know that your efforts have helped many people in need and Community Action could not function without the help of volunteers and donors. If you had a positive experience working with us, please tell us and others about it. Thank you!

Regards,

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SPECIALTY KITS

ORDERED BY DEMAND

KID'S NUTRITION PACKS

Required items:

- 100% Juice Box
- Entree (Kraft Easy Mac, Chef Boyardee Microwave Meal, etc.)
- Package of fruit snacks
- Package of peanut butter crackers
- Fruit cup
- Fruit and grain bar
- Granola bar

ADULTS' HYGIENE KITS

Required items: All sizes accepted

- Shampoo
- Soap
- Toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Deodorant
- Toilet paper

Additional items:

- Comb
- Lotion
- Conditioner
- Washcloth
- Razor
- Mouthwash
- Floss

HOMELESS KITS

Required items: All sizes accepted

- Candles in a glass jar
- Waterproof matches
- Flashlights
- Replacement batteries for flashlight
- Emergency blankets
- Can opener

CHILDREN'S HYGIENE KITS

Required items: All sizes accepted

- Child-size toothbrush
- Toothpaste
- Soap
- Shampoo

Additional items:

- Lotion
- Floating bath toy
- Conditioner
- Washcloth

BACK-TO-SCHOOL KITS

Kit should contain at least five items:

- Notebooks
- Pens & pencils
- Crayons/colored pencils
- Glue sticks
- Erasers
- Pencil sharpener
- Stapler
- Staples
- Tape
- Calculator
- Scissors
- Paper clips

BIRTHDAY KITS

Required items

- Card
- Birthday candles
- Cake mix
- Matches
- Small toy
- Streamers or other decorations

ABOUT COMMUNITY ACTION SERVICES AND FOOD BANK

Community Action Services and Food Bank is dedicated to fostering self reliance in the individuals, families and the community. It is the only food bank that services Utah, Wasatch and Summit counties and relies heavily on community support.

In 2015, Community Action Services and Food Bank provided food assistance to 8,333 families, totaling 20,408 people from their four pantries in Utah, Wasatch and Summit Counties. Of the individuals served, 37 percent are under the age of 18.

In addition to food, Community Action also provides many other services, including emergency shelter, bus tokens and community gardens. They work with 40 partner agencies such as soup kitchens, senior centers and schools to assist those in need. This year, Community Action had requests from local schools for more than 3000 Kids' Nutrition Packs each week during the school year.

Community Action is located at 815 South Freedom Boulevard in Provo, Utah. For more information about our programs and services and how to get involved, please visit our website www.communityactionuc.org.

