



# Co-op Market Grocery & Deli 2017 Donation Request Form

Co-op Market is proud to work with others in our community to enhance quality of life for our friends and neighbors. **Please review our Donation Policy before submitting your request.**

Organization Name Presbyterian Hospitality House

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Type of Organization:

- Agricultural
- Environmental
- Health-oriented
- Educational
- Community
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received any donations from Co-op Market within the last year? Y / N

Type of donation you are requesting:

- Gift Certificate
- Gift Basket
- Food
- Lend-a-Hand Register Round-up\*
- Sponsorship

*\*If you are submitting a Lend-a-Hand request, please apply by 12/1/16. Include a detailed statement on your letterhead of your organization's goals, how they align with our mission, and how the donations will be used to meet them.*

How will Co-op Market's participation be recognized? The Co-op would be recognized with Applause letter and photo in Newsminer, we will have staff, foster parents, board members spread the word to shop at

If your request is being made for an event, please provide the following information: Co-op's Round up!

Event Name/Date \_\_\_\_\_

Description of Event \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Attendance \_\_\_\_\_

Please send along with your request:

- ✓ • Any additional materials (flyers, posters, brochures) that represent your organization or event.
- ✓ • Proof of non-profit status (501C3), if applicable.

# Presbyterian Hospitality House

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Our motto at Presbyterian Hospitality House (PHH) is to Intentionally Create a Brighter, Safer, Future for Alaskan Children and Families. We accomplish this by helping Alaska's troubled youth and families so they may contribute to the social and financial well-being of their community. Currently, PHH serves over 100 young people at any one time. Our professional staff have been providing a variety of vital services for almost 60 years! Our alumni are typically able to function as productive members of our community and stay in frequent contact with staff for support and to express their appreciation.

Each of our 12 residential treatment programs serves 5 emotionally disturbed youth, aged 12-18. Most youth's stay in treatment depends on their progress in meeting the individual treatment goals, but averages 9 to 12 months. Problem behaviors are identified and corrected, while positive behaviors are reinforced. Our residential treatment programs are in cozy, clean, family-style homes and are located in and around Fairbanks.

PHH offers an array of services to meet the needs of our community. We provide a safe place for youth who are in protective custody for less than 16 hours until they can be safely released to a parent or guardian. Our Independent Living Program serves young men and women who want to learn skills necessary to be on their own. Youth 18-23 reside together and are supervised by a Residential Coordinator. Individual treatment plans focus on youth learning skills and values to successfully gain employment and to move into their own apartment. Our Therapeutic Foster Care Program is for children, 5 and over, who cannot yet return to their natural or adoptive home. To assure high quality foster care personnel, PHH has asked professionals in our community to take one youth and see him or her through high school. Parenting with Love and Limits reaches both youth who are returning to their own home and those youth who we hope to deter from residential treatment. This evidenced based program has reduced recidivism rates in other states.

Currently, PHH has a small, crowded office and training center. The demand for our services is growing therefore; we are raising funds for a new Family Training and Administrative Center. We own property on the Chena River and have plans for a clean, energy efficient, low emission building. This building will allow for Family Training, youth study area, meeting space and offices. We want to create a welcome environment for our youth and their families to receive services while in Fairbanks.

PHH staff members teach good nutrition and healthy personal habits, we strive to graduate youth who will contribute to the community in a positive economic way. Members of the Board and our staff are regular Co-op Market shoppers, support the Co-op Market mission, and think PHH would be an excellent candidate for the Lend-a-Hand Register Round-up. For any funds we receive, 25% would be used for our new Administrative Family Training Center and 75% would be for youth services not covered by other funds such as special needs, trips home for funerals or food to send home with youth, We are grateful for the Lend-a-Hand program and thank you for your time.



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