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Hello everyone,

I'm sitting here with "Rachael the wonder dog" thinking after five years on continual growth for Hooktown Holidays Inc., how do I say thank you in the most meaningful way. I think, perhaps, the best way is to speak for those who cannot thank you themselves for your support. You would have to see for yourself, as I have, the smiles and sincere gratitude that the smallest act of kindness can bring.

2017 was quite a year. Your continued support once again allowed us to support:

- Salvation Army
- The Sharing Place
- St. Joseph Soup Kitchen
- Area Agency on Aging
- Trinity Hot Meals Program
- Veterans Emergency Help Fund
- The Rouse Business to Business Challenge providing support for the Second Harvest Food Bank of NW Pennsylvania and Children's Back Pack Program in Warren County
- "Produce Express" Program which provides food to 120 income eligible families every month.

Your Charity had a busy year. Hooktown Holidays Inc. was also able to provide support to the new Warren County Children's Advocacy Center, providing a safe and supportive environment for abused children and their families to reduce trauma and promote healing. Support was provided to our local WIC program to provide baby food, cereal, formula, diapers and personal care items for clients whose benefits are consumed prior to the end on the month.

We received a request and application for assistance from the Tidioute Angels, a group of teachers from the Tidioute K-12 Charter School providing winter apparel for students in need. Your support allowed them to continue their efforts in spite of nearly depleted funds.

Our Garden Tour was a success with over 100 visitors strolling through our gardens. We will make this an annual event.

As usual, our annual Garage Sale was also a huge success held at the Greene Estate. Thanks to all that attended and our vendors.

Any questions, concerns or suggestions regarding our group are welcome. Please call 814-688-9979; write to us at Hooktown Holidays, Inc., P.O. Box 1751, Warren, PA 16365, or stop at the house, 1201 Conewango Avenue. After all, it's YOUR charity, we work for you.

Respectfully,



Member, "Hooktown Holidays, Inc."

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