

Press Release
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**Historic Arlington Neighborhood Association (HANA)
Sponsors Food & Toiletry Drive for Shelter, Inc.**

Historic Arlington Neighborhood Association (HANA) is sponsoring a Food & Toiletry Drive for Shelter, Inc., on Make a Difference Day, Saturday, October 25. Make a Difference Day is a national day of helping others. Last year, 3 million people volunteered on that day to help countless people in hundreds of towns.

We invite all Arlington Heights residents to make a difference. Donations are being collected at Festival Park (1 block north of Euclid and 3 blocks west of Dunton Ave.) from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM on Saturday, October 25, rain or shine. Refreshments will be available and Arlington Heights' Mayor Arlene Mulder will make an appearance at 10:00 AM.

HANA will be collecting bags of non-perishable food and travel-sized toiletries for Arlington Heights-based Shelter, Inc., nonprofit child welfare agency that provides community-based, emergency and temporary housing for children and adolescents who are abused or neglected. A detailed list of requested items is posted on HANA's web site at www.arlington-hana.com, "Documents."

HANA is a not-for-profit geographically based organization serving approximately 600 households in Arlington Heights. It is committed to building a vibrant community by promoting the historic character of the neighborhood, fostering community spirit, and increasing civic awareness for its residents. To learn more about HANA, visit our web site at www.arlington-hana.com.