

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
CITY OF NAPERVILLE, ILLINOIS
PROCLAMATION

**33rd ANNUAL LETTER CARRIERS' "STAMP OUT HUNGER" FOOD DRIVE DAY
MAY 10, 2025**

WHEREAS, Hunger issues concern all of us; we are dedicated to the ideal that no one should go hungry; and

WHEREAS, Every second Saturday in May, the National Association of Letter Carriers and the National Rural Letter Carriers Association mobilize to combat hunger during the "Stamp Out Hunger" Food Drive; over 1.9 billion pounds of food has been collected nationally; and

WHEREAS, In 2024, Naperville letter carriers collected nearly 60,000 lbs. pounds of donated food for distribution by Loaves & Fishes Community Services to low-income families.

WHEREAS, Loaves & Fishes Community Services has witnessed an overwhelming surge in demand for its services, indicating the profound impact of economic hardships faced by many individuals and families, now serving over 10,000 people a week; and

WHEREAS, the need for food continues to grow at a rate that outweighs the available supply, highlighting the persistent challenges faced by our community; and

WHEREAS, the resilience and compassion exhibited by all involved exemplify the spirit of unity and care that defines our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott A. Wehrli, Mayor of the City of Naperville, Illinois, do hereby proclaim May 10, 2025, as

**Letter Carriers' "Stamp Out Hunger" Food Drive Day
in the City of Naperville, Illinois**

AND FURTHER, I urge Naperville residents to recognize our letter carriers and support the food drive by placing healthy non-perishable food items near your mailbox on Saturday, May 10, 2025.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the City of Naperville, this 6th day of May, 2025.



Scott A. Wehrli
Mayor

