Farmingville, NY - On November 26, Councilwoman Connie Kepert announced the First Annual Holiday Food Drive to benefit Blessings in a Backpack, an organization that provides food for school children who may otherwise have little or no food to eat on the weekends during the school year. The food drive will extend from Monday, December 1, through Tuesday, December 30. Donation drop-off locations include the Town Hall main lobby, One Independence Hill in Farmingville, the Town Council Offices main lobby, the Town of Brookhaven Building Department front desk, Town of Brookhaven Planning Department front desk, and the Town Highway Department located at 1140 Old Town Road in Coram.

Suggested food items for donation include all non-perishables and canned goods. Some of the most requested items are canned soup, canned tuna, Knorr pasta sides, macaroni and cheese, microwaveable soup, and Belvita Breakfast Bars. For more information, contact Councilwoman Kepert's office at 451-6968. Click here to see flyer.