

# Town INTERFACE Food Drive Provides Thanksgiving Food Baskets for 823 Need Families

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**Farmingville, NY** – The Brookhaven Youth Bureau INTERFACE program had its most successful Thanksgiving Food Drive ever this year. Residents donated enough food to make Thanksgiving happier for 823 needy families. Food drop off locations were set up at four Town facilities including Town Hall in Farmingville, Henrietta Acampora Recreation Center in Blue Point, the Highway Department facility in Coram and Rose Caracappa Senior Center in Mount Sinai. The Youth Bureau INTERFACE Program is a partnership between good neighbors and the Town of Brookhaven, united in a common effort to provide help to Brookhaven’s less fortunate residents all year round.

“The success of the INTERFACE Thanksgiving Food Drive shows how generous Brookhaven residents are,” said Supervisor Ed Romaine. “Thanks to those who donated food, our Youth Bureau staff and volunteers, 823 needy families across Brookhaven were able to enjoy Thanksgiving in the true spirit of the holiday season.”

Pictured preparing baskets with volunteers for last year’s food drive are Councilman Neil Foley (sixth from left) Youth Bureau staff members Liz Derkevics and Josephine Lunde (fifth and third from right). For more information about the Town of Brookhaven Youth Bureau Interface Program and how you can volunteer, contact Josie Lunde at 451-8011 or visit [www.brookhavenny.gov](http://www.brookhavenny.gov).

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