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OF TEXAS**

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“Wheels of Sharing” Mobile Food Pantry Feeding Rural Communities. Next Stop : Harper



- WHAT:** “Wheels of Sharing” Mobile Food Pantry
- WHERE:** Harper Community Park
Harper Pioneer Park Drive, Harper TX, 78631
- WHEN:** Thursday May 22, 2008
(and then every 4th Saturday of each month)
- WHY:** The Capital Area Food Bank created “Wheels of Sharing” to fill in both geographic and service gaps in emergency food assistance in rural Central Texas communities.

- Each family receives one week’s worth of food (about 50 pounds.)
- Food distributed to include: potatoes, bag salad, canned green beans and corn, tuna, soups, healthy cereals, canned peaches, pasta and sauce, and other healthy, high-protein foods.
- Guests can also receive one-on-one assistance applying for Food Stamps from CAFB Food Stamp Outreach Coordinators.

VISUALS: Mobile Food Pantry in the parking lot with tables surrounding the truck.
Guests will choose non-perishables, fresh produce and frozen foods from the tables, with help from volunteers.

INTERVIEWS: Glenda Shayne, Vice President, Community Programs
(Interviews with guests granted as available)



About Capital Area Food Bank of Texas:

The mission of the Capital Area Food Bank of Texas is to feed the hungry by providing food and grocery products to human service agencies serving people in need throughout Central Texas. In its 27th year of service, the Food Bank currently provides food and grocery products to 355 Partner Agencies in 21 Central Texas counties. In 2007, CAFB distributed more than 16 million pounds of food. For more information on the Capital Area Food Bank of Texas and its programs, visit www.austinfoodbank.org or call 512/282-2111.

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