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To whom it may concern,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Medicine Hat and District Food Bank (1992) Association, its staff and volunteers, we would like to thank you for your donation of \$500.00. Enclosed please find your receipt.

The purpose of the Food Bank is to address food insecurity by distributing food, free of charge, to those deemed in need of temporary assistance in the City of Medicine Hat and Cypress County. Our mission is to address this food insecurity that exists in our community, in a manner ensuring availability, accessibility, and adequacy of food.

In addition to handing out our regular grocery baskets and grocery boxes, we also support many other non-profit organizations such as the Salvation Army and the hot meal program they offer, Teen Mom Centre, Phoenix Safe and Musasa House, Redcliff Youth Centre, Champion Centre, Housing First, and Bridges to name a few. Partnerships in our community are essential to help fill the gaps for those people dealing with food insecurity.

We also have several programs that we offer such as Healthy Bundles, which provides nutritional food to pregnant women and women with children (aged one and under) deemed at risk. The Snack Attack program is our emergency shelf that we have at 28 elementary schools which provides nutritional snacks and breakfast items for those children that come to school hungry. We believe that learning and health are directly influenced by the insecurity of food in our children. Nutrition plays an instrumental role in optimal health, growth and intellectual development.

As you can imagine, there are considerable costs in supplying and operating these programs and 97% of all funds collected goes towards carrying out these programs. Your contribution will help us toward our goal for this year which is \$400,000.

Thank you again for your kind generosity to assist us in helping those of our community who are experiencing food insecurity at this time. Your thoughtfulness is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Jim Turner  
Executive Director  
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The Medicine Hat Food Bank has been incorporated in the province of Alberta since August 28, 1992.

**Medicine Hat and District  
Food Bank (1992) Association**

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Medicine Hat, AB T1A 2V6  
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**Donation Receipt**

**Receipt #:** 648

**Charity Name**

Medicine Hat and District Food Bank  
(1992) Association

**Charity Address**

532 South Railway Street SE  
Medicine Hat, AB T1A 2V6

**Donated By**

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**Total Amount Received:** \$500.00

**Date Donation Received:** November 28, 2013

**Date Receipt Issued:** November 28, 2013

**Location Issued:** Medicine Hat

**Authorized Signature:**

Please note that this donation does not qualify for a charitable tax receipt.