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HUNGER HEROES AT WORK IN CASS CITY

CASS CITY, MICHIGAN: The 2014 MLK Rise & Shine food drive will benefit families that struggle with hunger in the Cass City area.

Organized by the Human Development Commission, the Rise & Shine food drive collected breakfast foods for a local food pantry in January to celebrate the birthday of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. "Hunger Heroes" participating in the MLK food drive included Cass City High School and HDC's youth volunteer initiative.

Students from Cass City High School answered Dr. King's question of "*What are you doing for others?*" by collecting nearly 40 breakfast items such as cereal and oatmeal, pancake mix and syrup, and peanut butter and jelly for the Revive Ministries food pantry.

Incorporated in 1965, the Human Development Commission is one of 29 Community Action Agencies in the state of Michigan that care about the entire community and are dedicated to helping people help themselves and each other. Between October 1, 2012 and September 30, 2013, HDC provided more than 11,000 people with nourishing food, utility assistance, affordable housing, and other needed services.

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