

February 9, 2024

Shirdi Saibaba Prayer Center Inc. Satya Bajjuri PO Box 157 Chaska, MN 55318

Dear Shirdi Saibaba Congregation,

Thank you for choosing to support Second Harvest Heartland through a fund drive! Your donations are already hard at work, helping us deliver food to our hunger-relief partners and get meals onto the tables of Minnesota families. In fact, the \$1,400 raised through your drive can provide 4,200 meals!

This year, Second Harvest Heartland is going big to Make Hunger History. Far too many families are feeling financially stretched and unable to access the food they need to thrive. In 2023, our food shelf partners saw more than 7 million visits. That's 2 million more than in 2022, which was up another 2 million from the year prior. This pace is not sustainable. **This is why we're working on a bold moonshot goal to cut hunger in half for all Minnesotans by 2030.** 

To achieve this, we are working to reduce hunger today by increasing access to emergency food; prevent hunger tomorrow with policy, partnerships and one-on-one services; and track our progress to ensure we're effective and accountable. It's going to take all of us to Make Hunger History—and you've proven that partnership in this work makes a crucial impact.

We're so grateful for your support. Every dollar donated through your recent drive is moving us closer to a Minnesota where everyone has the food they need. Thank you for joining us in this historic effort.

With gratitude,

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