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2011 Christmas Wish List for the Homeless

The City of Peterborough Social Services Division is pleased to announce the fifth annual **Christmas Wish List for the Homeless**. The Wish List matches donors with individuals who are homeless in our community.

Organizers of this year's event hope to build on the success of past years where over 50 individuals had their Christmas wishes fulfilled. The homeless individuals are single males and females who are living in emergency shelters in Peterborough or who have recently found housing after being homeless.

Donations can be made by visiting www.peterborough.ca/wishlist to select a person to support. The Wish List will be updated regularly with new names. Donors purchase the requested gift and deliver the unwrapped item, labeled with the person's name to Peterborough Social Services, 178 Charlotte Street (in the Charlotte Mews) weekdays between 8:30 am - 4:30 pm. The deadline for donations is Monday, December 19, 2011.

Gifts will be distributed as they arrive to ensure all individuals receive their gifts prior to Christmas. If you have any questions, please contact Michelle by phone at 705- 748-8830 ext. 3888.

Support for this important event is greatly appreciated

This information is also available on the City of Peterborough website at www.peterborough.ca.

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