



Missouri Family Food Boxes

5,648 requested versus 1,804 shared in 2017

Estimated Pack Value | \$28

Place items in a sturdy box (Girl Scout Thin Mint boxes are ideal), tape and label "Missouri Family Food Box." Please no more than 2 packs per box due to weight.



3 different cans of vegetables



3 different cans of fruit



3 cans chicken



3 cans tuna



1 can pasta sauce



1 pound pasta



3 pkgs. macaroni & cheese



1 jar peanut butter

Several agencies sent thank you cards to our office after the 2017 events. One pantry in the central Missouri region was excited to get a variety of food in preparation for the Thanksgiving and Christmas season. Their clients appreciated all of the options they were provided because of Festival of Sharing.



Missouri Personal Hygiene Pack

5,818 requested versus 2,456 shared in 2017

Estimated Pack Value | \$20

Tighten lids and place all items in a large ziplock bag (2 or 2.5 gallon). Place ziplock bags in boxes and mark them "Missouri Personal Hygiene Pack". Please also mark the quantity of packs on the outside of each individual box.



1 fluoride toothpaste (6 oz. or more)



1 toothbrush (in original package)



1 bath-size bar of soap (in package)



1 bottle skin lotion (11-14 oz.)



1 bottle shampoo (11-14 oz.)



1 washcloth



1 deodorant



1 hand towel



1 comb or brush



2 razors (disposable)

One agency from the Lake of the Ozarks area shared how much the hygiene packs help the elderly in their area. In 2017, they handed out hygiene packs around Christmas time and the people they serve were so excited to get the extra special gift along with their other items.



Missouri Paper Products Pack

4,769 requested versus 928 shared in 2017

Estimated Pack Value | **\$15**

Place all items in a tall-sized kitchen trash bag. Label the trash bag "Missouri Paper Products Pack."



3 wrapped packages of toilet paper with 4 double rolls each (unable to receive 12 rolls in one pack)



2 rolls paper towels (good quality)



2 facial tissue (large rectangle boxes)

In January we sent out some extra items to our agencies that had been dropped off after the fall events. One pantry was very thankful for this late gift because the holidays are a time when people have extra needs. They explained how their shelves of items lose stock very fast and they need help to replenish their items.