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**FAITH-BASED GROUP TO HOST FOOD COLLECTION EVENT BENEFITTING FOOD BANK**  
*Councilmember Cate & District 6 Staff to Support PQ Stake's Ongoing Efforts to Feed the Hungry*

San Diego, CA: Headquartered in District 6, the [Jacobs & Cushman San Diego Food Bank](#) provides nutritious food to people in need, advocates for the hungry, and educates the public about hunger-related issues. As San Diego's largest hunger-relief organization, the Jacobs & Cushman San Diego Food Bank currently feeds approximately 600,000 people every month. Like many nonprofit organizations, the Jacobs & Cushman San Diego Food Bank relies heavily on its volunteers to lend their talent, time, and treasure.

One of their ongoing volunteer groups that has been steadfast in their support is the PQ Stake. The PQ Stake is an arm of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. For their ongoing efforts, earlier this month, the PQ Stake received the "[Neighbors Helping Neighbors Award](#)" from the Jacobs & Cushman San Diego Food Bank. Due in large part to the PQ Stake's food drive efforts, the Jacobs & Cushman San Diego Food Bank collected more than two million pounds of food in 2020.

"For more than half a decade, we have worked with Rancho Peñasquitos resident, Christina Waddell, and the PQ Stake. From donating toys for kids in need to collecting food for the hungry, the PQ Stake has always stepped up to be at the forefront of serving our community. I am honored to partner with them and help collect food for families in need," stated Councilmember Chris Cate.

Individuals unable to attend can still make a difference by donating online: [Virtual Food Drive](#).

**WHAT:** [Drive-Thru Food Collection Event](#)

**WHERE:** 11023 Pegasus Avenue  
San Diego, CA 92126

**WHEN:** Saturday, March 20, 2021  
9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

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