

***Dear Zimmerman Community Families:***

Has the past year been difficult financially? Are you unsure how you will be able to provide the needed food and clothes for your family this holiday season?

The Zimmerman Fire Department, Zimmerman Public Schools, the Zimmerman/Livonia Chamber of Commerce, Woodland's National Bank, and Uptown Off Sale, continue to join hands to help you provide the necessities to assist your family in having a happy holiday season. The group is known as:

*Neighbors Helping Neighbors  
of Zimmerman*

An application is attached to this letter. Applications may also be accessed at:

- Any Zimmerman School front office
- On-line via the school web-site or the Chamber web-site
- If you have questions you may contact:

Jenny Manthey  
Phone: 763-241-3505 x2813

The application must be completed and turned in at the Zimmerman Fire Department drop box, located outside the building, by November 10th. **Due to the anticipated volume of applicants you may be contacted for further information for qualifying purposes. We will notify all applicants of the status of the application in November. If you qualify, your letter will include a date and time for pick-up of items the week of December 15<sup>th</sup>.**

**If you are not in need of assistance, but would like to help a family who is, you can pick up an "angel" at banks and participating businesses in Zimmerman after November 16<sup>th</sup>. It will list age, size, needs, and gender of children you can provide for.**

**There will also be toy drop off locations at various business locations if you wish to provide a toy for any child.**

**This program will serve families in the 55398 zip code area and any families with students attending Zimmerman Public Schools. We will no longer be affiliated with CAER of Elk River. They will serve families in other zip code areas.**

Sincerely,

*Neighbors Helping Neighbors of Zimmerman*