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STATE SENATOR BARROW TO HOST "THE GIFT OF CHRISTMAS GIVEAWAY"

TO BE HELD AS A DRIVE-THRU EVENT ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 21

Senator Regina Barrow partners with Walmart and Glen Oaks High School Security Dads to host her annual Christmas giveaway event, "The Gift of Christmas." This year's giveaway will be held as a drive-thru event on Monday, December 21 at the senator's district office located at 4811 Harding Blvd. in Baton Rouge. The giveaway will be from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Vehicles may begin lining up as early as 5 p.m.

The event is open to all residents of Senate District 15. Children must register in advance, and be present, to receive a gift. Prizes will also be raffled and delivered at another time before Christmas. The registration period runs from November 30 to December 14 and attendees may register in the following ways:

Online: <https://barrowr.wixsite.com/gocgiveaway>

Email: Christmas.barrow.d15@gmail.com

Drop-Off/Mail: 4811 Harding Blvd., Baton Rouge, LA 70811

"I am looking forward to once again hosting this great event," said Senator Barrow. "If there was ever a year to give back to our community, it's 2020. It is important that we ensure the families and children in need in our community are taken care of during this season, and to protect the health and safety of everyone involved, we have made it a drive-thru event."

To promote the spirit of "giving back" and to help families in need during the Christmas season each attendee may bring a non-perishable food item for entry. All items received will be donated to the Greater Baton Rouge Food Bank in honor of the late Trevor Sims.

Year after year Senator Barrow partners with the Greater Baton Rouge Food Bank to honor Trevor Sims' memory and final wishes. When Trevor Sims was diagnosed with stage 4 cancer, his dying wish was to feed the hungry. He partnered with the food bank to make that

happen. Senator Barrow was so deeply touched by his story that she works passionately to honor his wish by collecting food to feed the hungry and homeless of Baton Rouge.

For more information, please contact the office of State Senator Regina Barrow at 225.359.9400.

***Note to media: Please see the attached flyer.

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