

Agency Name: _North Port coalition for Homeless / Needy Children, INC, Back Pack Angels

Twelve Month Impact Statement

Define your non-profits missions/goals?

The goal of the North Port Coalition for Homeless/Needy Children, doing business as the Back Pack Angels (BPA), a 501(C)3 nonprofit organization dedicated to providing hygiene products to homeless/ needy children in North Port.

Our mission is to ensure these children have access to essential supplies that help them maintain their dignity and confidence.

Indicator methods used to measure impact?

Over the 2024 Holiday season we started distributing the tote bags that the city of North Port program "NP2" so generously donated earlier in the year. We packed these tote bags in place of small bags for a nice surprise over the Holidays for these children after finding they were a little to small for the large items.

This was noted in the six month report in February. All the tote bags were distributed at that time.

Because of the generous support of the City of North Port, "NP2" we are able to continue to deliver tote bags of hygiene products to the homeless/needy children of North Port through ten public schools and seven preschools. In 2024, We packed and delivered over 1,000. bags a month. The children we serve qualify for free and reduced lunches and is based on Family income in Sarasota County

With your Grant we were able to extend the bag count for a five month period. This helped

Tremendously .

Thank you so much for your support. It means so much to us and in the children we serve, and we deeply appreciate your support.

Sincerely

Naomi Jodoin president

Back Pack Angels (BPA)

Fiscal Year: __2024