

BACKGROUND:

The 21st Annual Palm Springs Festival of Lights will take place on Dec. 1st. It is a popular event for all the residents in the Coachella Valley. Almost 100,000 spectators attend and share in the holiday festivities.

FIND Food Bank is working to achieve a goal of maintaining/exceeding their current annual distribution of 8 million pounds of food to an average of 80,000 people each month throughout the Coachella Valley.

The Desert Hot Springs ELKS raise funds to help support youth activities and programs.

Friends of Roy's Foundation is raising funds to sustain the Homelessness programs at Roy's Desert Resource Center.

The Palm Springs Veteran's Parade took place on Nov. 11th. The parade honors our military, past and present.

The Blythe PAL is hosting a "Civil Servants for Santa" program where uniformed personnel such as Police, Fire, Ambulance, Nurses, Correctional officers, etc., will participate in a holiday event that will benefit underprivileged children.

I would like to use Fourth District Community Improvement funds to assist these worthy organizations in meeting the needs of our community.