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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

**BRONX COMMUNITY BOARD 8 SUPPORTS
KINGSBRIDGE-RIVERDALE-MARBLE HILL FOOD & HUNGER PROJECT'S FOOD PANTRY**

BRONX, NEW YORK (4-27-2011). Join Bronx Community Board No. 8 in support of Kingsbridge-Riverdale-Marble Hill (KRMH) Food & Hunger Project's food pantry. Food donations will be accepted at the May 10, 2011 Community Board meeting being held at the Riverdale Temple, 4545 Independence Avenue commencing at 7:30PM. These donations will be provided to the Church of the Mediator Food Pantry located at 260 West 231st Street.

Church of the Mediator Food Pantry has a drop in support between the months of May and August because the bulk of donations are usually done during the winter holiday seasons. Community Board 8 recognizes the need for food donations year round and invites all attendees at the Board meeting to bring donations of non perishable canned and packaged items such as: meat, fish, fruits and vegetables, pasta, spaghetti, tomato sauce, hot and cold cereals, rice, coffee, teas, canned juices, powdered milk, Jell-O, soups, peanut butter, jelly, sugar, baby formula and baby food.

Kingsbridge-Riverdale-Marble Hill Food & Hunger Project was established in 1980 and is an interfaith, cooperative non-profit organization sponsored by participating religious and community institutions. It is entirely staffed by volunteers. The Church of the Mediator Food Pantry is open on Tuesday mornings from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM. Money donations help supplement the restocking of the pantry or to purchase additional items of need. For those who want to help, cash donations can be sent to KRMH Food & Hunger Project Inc. PO Box 251, Riverdale Station, Bronx, NY 10471.

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