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City of Oakland 25th Annual Thanksgiving Dinner

Oakland, Calif – The City of Oakland’s Human Services Department, Alameda County – Oakland Community Action Partnership, Communities United Committee, and the Emergency Food Providers Advisory Committee continue a much loved Thanksgiving Dinner for the underserved of our community. This wonderful event will take place **Tuesday, November 22, 2016 from 11:00AM – 2:00PM at the Downtown Oakland City Center Marriott, 1001 Broadway, Oakland.**

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The Thanksgiving Dinner, in its 25th year, is part of the City’s Hunger Program which was founded in 1985 during the mayoral administration of Lionel J. Wilson. With the support of donors and volunteers, the city serves over 2000 low-income families, senior citizens, and persons experiencing homelessness in the City of Oakland with a hearty Thanksgiving meal in a communal festive atmosphere.

The City Of Oakland also supports transportation to and from the event from our senior centers, low income housing programs, and shelters.

It is with ongoing community support and generous sponsorships from the Golden State Warriors, UC Office of the President, and many others that this event has reached its 25th year.

For more information about this event, please contact Phyllis Turner 510.986.2721.

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