

## **MISSION SOUTHSIDE IN KIND DONATION SOP**

We are extremely grateful for every physical donation that is given to Mission Southside. Our goal is to use these donations to help us accomplish our vision of taking Jesus to people in need by extending help and hope. Our volunteers literally sort through every donation that is received. The following represents how donations are used.

### **BASEMENT CLOTHES CLOSET**

The best donations are brought to our basement clothes closet, which provide clothing, shoes, books, household goods, hygiene, baby supplies and food for those we serve.

### **FURNITURE, MATTRESSES, WASHERS/DRYERS**

Donations in good condition, are stored at our facility and in conjunction with our Office Manager, clients may receive these items by request. Typically, there is a waiting list for these types of donations.

### **SITE TEAM FREE GARAGE SALES**

Donations are sorted in preparation for monthly free garage sales that we host at apartment sites we serve. Typically clothing and shoes are sorted by gender and age specific categories, along with household goods, toys, and small appliances.

### **FOOD**

Donations are used primarily for our Friday Food Co-Op Program, Site Team related activities such as Homework Huddles or Back Yard Bible Clubs, School Back Snack Program, and our kitchen Baking Brigade.

### **ALL EXTRA DONATIONS (OVERSTOCK)**

Due to limited space and the amount of donations we receive, Mission Southside creatively uses extra donations to raise funds for our work. We partner with other worthy organizations, who pay us for our overstock. In addition, Mission Southside holds scheduled Garage Sales by donation at our headquarters. Funds raised assist us in paying for the programs that we provide in our community.

*“Every donation is received with gratitude and is used for God’s glory”*