MEET THE NEED SIOUXLAND, INC.

LET US HELP YOU MEET THE NEEDS OF YOUR AGENCY'S CLIENTS THROUGH INCREASED AWARENESS AND MORE TARGETED DONATIONS

WHAT WE DO:

MEET THE NEED SIOUXLAND, INC. (M[†]NS) exists for the purpose of bringing awareness to Siouxland residents about the material needs of area non-profit humanitarian agencies with the goal of increasing targeted donations of goods that will more directly impact and improve the lives of Siouxland's disadvantaged, displaced and disabled community members.

ON A PERSONAL NOTE:

For years I have found myself with quality used or new items at my disposal and wished I knew how to get them into the hands of the disadvantaged people in our community who could directly benefit from them. More and more

REGISTERING YOUR AGENCY IS AS EASY AS 1...2...3

- 1. Print and fill out the attached Agency Intake form
- 2. Attach a list of your agency's consumable & non-consumable needs
 - 3. Email the forms with your logo and other photos or materials for use in promoting your agency on our site

HOW WE DO IT:

Through its website and social media, M†NS brings Siouxland residents awareness of the individual and collective material needs among the area humanitarian agencies, along with contact and drop off information. By consolidating the needs of area agencies onto one easy to navigate site, community members can quickly and efficiently identify the area agencies in need of particular products, making targeted donations easier and thus increasing the probability for agencies to received needed products.

I began to hear the same thoughts echoed by friends, businesses and organizations throughout the area who were also looking for opportunities to donate to those in need but either didn't know how to make those connections or didn't have time to search them out. I began to feel a more frequent tugging at my heart to do something to help remove barriers in making direct and impactful donations of consumable and non-consumable goods. In answer to that heart tug, I began Meet the Need Siouxland, Inc., a non-profit, **free service** to bring awareness and increased donations to local humanitarian agencies. It is my hope that M[†]NS can join together with Siouxland residents and local humanitarian agencies in more effectively serving and supporting our community members in need.

~ Shelly Ackerman, M[†]NS Director

THEN LET US HELP YOU MEET YOUR AGENCY'S NEEDS

An account will be set up on the website so that community members can become more aware of your agency and its needs. Your needs list and agency information can be changed, updated or cancelled at any time by contacting M†NS.

WHY WE DO IT:

It is our firm belief that the Siouxland community is filled with individuals, families, organizations and businesses who are willing and able to donate new products and used to area humanitarian agencies but who lack awareness of agencies' specific needs or where to donate to them. Our hope is that by making the needs of these agencies available on one easy to use site, M[†]NS will help eliminate barriers for community members when deciding what to do with their excess goods.

"Whatever you did for one of the least of these... you did for me."

Matthew 25:40

MEET THE NEED SIOUXLAND, INC. focuses its services on Siouxland non-profit agencies whose purpose is giving humanitarian aid to those in need. M[†]NS focuses strictly on consumable and non-consumable material goods. M[†]NS does not participate in financial fundraising for any agency.