



## **HAMRA ENTERPRISES SUPPORTS HURRICANE RELIEF EFFORTS**

Hamra Enterprises, a Wendy's Panera Bread, Noodles & Company franchisee, pledges to match donations collected in its local restaurants between Sept. 25 and Oct. 1

**SPRINGFIELD, MO (Sept. 25, 2017)** – Hamra Enterprises a franchisee of Wendy's, Panera Bread and Noodles & Company is supporting hurricane relief in the aftermath of Hurricanes Harvey and Irma.

From Monday, Sept. 25 to Sunday, Oct. 1, all donations collected in the canisters at the registers of all 155 locations throughout New England, Missouri, Kansas City and Chicago will be used to help support those dealing with extensive flooding and damage in Texas and Florida.

As part of the effort, Hamra Enterprises will match donations collected during the weeklong effort.

The funds will be split between the Houston Food Bank and Habitat for Humanity, specifically:

- The Houston Food Bank, working closely with its network of partner agencies, will provide food and supplies to residents in the Houston area who are struggling to rebuild their lives.
- Habitat for Humanity will use the donations to respond to needs in both Texas and Florida.

"We are happy to support those in need following the unprecedented flooding in Southeast Texas and across the state of Florida," said Mike Hamra, President and CEO of Hamra Enterprises. "Giving back to local communities is a core value of our company's culture and we appreciate the generosity of our guests and our employees who are helping to contribute to this effort."

### **About Hamra Enterprises**

Hamra Enterprises is a dynamic organization owned and founded in 1975 by the Hamra family. The company's headquarters is in Springfield, Missouri and includes six companies with over 5,000 employees in five states; Missouri, Illinois, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Texas. Hamra Enterprises is committed to providing the highest quality products and services within the hospitality industry, creating exceptional experiences for people and communities by engaging each of its restaurant neighborhoods through community service, fundraising, and other philanthropic partnerships such as Make-A-Wish of Illinois, Make-A-Wish of Missouri, Boston Children's Hospital, Children's Miracle Network Hospitals, The Dave Thomas Foundation for Adoption and St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital. Additional information is available on [hamraenterprises.com](http://hamraenterprises.com)

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