NATCA Charitable Foundation's 2016 Backpack Drive

This summer, controllers across the country participated in the NATCA Charitable Foundation's (NCF) annual backpack drive. The goal of the drive is to provide school supplies to local charities that support children in need.
Susan Maziar from Toledo, Ohio, writes: "When I was carrying backpacks in to the Cherry Street Mission today the Family Advocate was gushing about their need and the timing of the donation. She said calls were flooding in from their families who didn't know how they were going to afford school supplies for their children this fall. A day or two later she received my email about this year's donations. She was truly moved. NATCA Charitable has really impacted our communities. Thank you all for your part in this wonderful program."

NCF provided a total of **1,435** backpacks to 30 different programs across the country, including:

- Helping Hands - Hamlet, NC
- 6 Stones - Bedford, TX
- School Uniforms - St. Pete, FL
- Child Advocate - Humble TX
- First Ward - Charlotte, NC
- Angels Anonymous - Indianapolis, IN
- Abby's Angels - Newnan, GA
- The Front Door - Hudson, NH
Jersey Cares - Berkley Heights, NJ
Jewish Family & Children Center - Queens Creek, AZ
Family Resources- Bradenton, FL
Kids TLC - Olathe, KS
Summit County Children Services - Akron, OH
Boys & Girls Club of Lorain County - Lorain, OH
Cherry Street Mission - Mahoning Valley, OH
Riverhead PTO - Jamestown, NY
With Love, Puerto Rico - Guaynabo, PR
Sippy Cups & Chardonnay - West Jordan, UT
Wright to Read - Alexandria, VA
Portland Backpack - Portland, OR
Harvest Christian - Dallas, TX
Community of Hope - Washington, DC
Generation Hope - Washington, DC
Northport American Legion - Northport, WA
St. Vrain School System - Longmont, CO
Give Back Alexandria - Alexandria, VA
United Way - Frederick, MD
360 Communities - Burnsville, MN
Rotary Club of Pearl Harbor - Honolulu, HI
Morrow Elementary School - Morrow, GA
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