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## Warren Village Invites the Community to Donate Gifts or Volunteer at Dec. 14 Holiday Shop

**DENVER (Nov. 13, 2019)** – <u>Warren Village</u>'s 32nd Annual Holiday Shop will take place on Dec. 14 at Park Hill United Methodist Church. This annual event celebrates the holiday season by providing meals, music, kids' crafts, and gifts for Warren Village families in need. The event is not open to the public, but community members can donate gifts and/or volunteer.

Warren Village is a Denver-based organization focused on providing opportunity for lowincome, single-parent families to make the journey from poverty to self-sufficiency. Every year, since 1987, the organization has celebrated the holiday season by providing a Holiday Shop where residents and alumna can celebrate together, experience the support of the Denver community, and shop for gifts for their families, free of charge.

Community members can participate in Holiday Shop gift giving. Warren Village takes donations of new, unwrapped gifts for both parents and children. In past years, organizations have hosted gift drives during the season to provide gifts to Warren Village families. Resident lists are available at <u>https://warrenvillage.org/holiday-shop/.</u>

Gifts can be delivered to the Ray Cushman Family Center (1300 Gilpin St., Denver, CO 80218) during the following dates and times: Monday, Dec. 2 from noon to 6 p.m.; Wednesday, Dec. 4 from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.; and Saturday, Dec. 7 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

"The Holiday Shop is a treasured Warren Village tradition," said Ethan Hemming, Warren Village president & CEO. "This is an opportunity for our residents and alumna to share a meal with one another, enjoy the season, and shop for holiday gifts donated by the community. The event celebrates our local community and giving back, a reminder of what the season is all about."

Warren Village continues the tradition of providing meals to families to promote a sense of community and celebration. BNP Paribas, Haselden Construction, and Brothers BBQ are sponsoring this year's meals.

For images from the 2018 Holiday Shop, visit the Warren Village media kit at <u>http://bit.ly/WarrenVillageMediaKit</u>.

## **About Warren Village**

Warren Village is focused on helping low-income, single-parent families make the journey from poverty to self-sufficiency and has served nearly 4,800 children and parents since 1974. Through its Two-Generation (2Gen) approach, Warren Village transforms parents' lives, improves children's futures and strengthens the community. The organization's holistic proven approach includes safe and affordable housing, parent services and advocacy, and early education and childcare. For more information about Warren Village, visit the website warrenvillage.org, or engage with the organization on Facebook, Twitter (@Warren\_Village) and Instagram (@warren\_village).

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