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Island View Casino Resort Collecting Supplies for Operation BBQ Relief

GULFPORT, Miss. (August 28, 2017) - Want to help in the Texas relief effort? Employees of Island View Casino Resort are collecting and organizing supplies for Operation BBQ Relief to aid the victims of Hurricane Harvey. This relief effort, in conjunction with John Fayard Moving and Warehousing, will be sending an 18-wheel trailer to Houston filled with supplies for the victims of Hurricane Harvey.

Operation BBQ Relief personnel have requested the following supplies in order to cook for large numbers of people: food service size, #10 cans of corn, green beans, baked beans, mixed veggies, peaches and fruit cocktail. Other supplies needed are Styrofoam to-go containers, plastic utensil sets, cases of bottled water, cleaning supplies, powder-free food service gloves, and large aluminum pans and lids.

The primary drop-off location will be Island View Casino Resort's east parking lot on Monday, August 28 and Tuesday, August 29 from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. and continuing, if needed, until the truck is full. Additional collection sites are Compton & Sons Appliance, 1249 Pass Road in Gulfport, Borguezan Granite, 323 East North Street in Pass Christian, and J. Carter & Co. Real Estate and Development, 2408 14th Street in Gulfport.

Operation BBQ Relief provides meals to displaced residents and emergency personnel during times of natural and other disasters.

Editor's note:

For a hi-resolution image of Operation BBQ Relief [click here](#).

About Island View Casino Resort:

Island View Casino Resort opened on Sept. 18, 2006 as the only casino in Gulfport, Miss. The land-based casino, located on 40 acres of waterfront property, currently offers an 80,000-plus-square-foot casino with approximately 2,000 slots and 45 table games. The 520,000-square-foot resort also features 970 hotel rooms and suites, with 565 in the casino tower and 405 in the beach tower, which opened on April 29, as part of Island View's \$58 million 2015 expansion. Restaurant and lounge offerings include Carter Green Steakhouse, The Beach Grill, Beach Blvd. Steamer,

C&G Grille, The Buffet, The Diner, Fresh, The Coffee Shop, Beignet Café, The Sweet Stop, Coast Candymakers, 24-hour room service, Sunset Bar & Deck, Gulf Breeze Bar, The Pool Bar and casino bars. The resort, which is the only local casino to offer direct beach access, features The Beach Club, with 300 feet of beach and a variety of related services. Other amenities include two tropical-themed pools with cabanas; Blue Shell Spa, a full-service day spa; two retail outlets; the View Showroom, a 600-seat entertainment venue; and Windance Country Club, an award-winning golf course, also located in Gulfport. Island View Casino Resort is privately held by Rick Carter and Terry Green, two Gulfport natives and longtime casino executives committed to the post-Hurricane Katrina rebuilding efforts of the Mississippi Gulf Coast. For more information: 877-774-8439 or IslandViewCasino.com.