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2024 Congressional Hunger Center Community Champion Hunger Leadership Award Recipient

Figure: Dawn Pierce, Board President of the Idaho Hunger Relief Task Force presenting acceptance speech at the 2024 Congressional Hunger Center Awards Banquet.

Washington DC - June 12, 2024 - Idaho Hunger Relief Task Force proudly announces their receipt of the 2024 Congressional Hunger Center Community Champion Hunger Leadership Award. This prestigious award is given to organizations that demonstrate exceptional dedication to combating hunger at a local level. The Task Force has been recognized for their focus on collaboration and innovative solutions rooted in community.

The Hunger Leadership Awards occur each year to recognize distinguished leaders from all areas of the anti-hunger community who have a vision and commitment to achieving zero hunger in the U.S. and around the world. The 2024 Hunger Leadership Awards brought more than 250 attendees, including Members of Congress, Administration officials, and leaders of nonprofits, foundations, and corporations.
Since its establishment in 2006, the Idaho Hunger Relief Task Force has been a driving force in addressing food insecurity statewide. They put private and public resources into action and strive to eliminate hunger and provide food security for all Idahoans. They believe that in a state as abundant as Idaho, hunger will not exist. Their initiatives, such as their biennial summit to address hunger and food security, expansion of the SNAP Into Action plan to support SNAP and WIC enrollment and education, partnerships with the Idaho Department of Education to expand Summer Meal Sites and Non-congregate Meal sites statewide, their University Partnership program supporting food pantries and SNAP enrollment on college campuses, their robust Produce Prescription Program, and their continued dedication to conquer any issue placed in front of them, uniquely positions them to continue their momentum in combating hunger. The Task Force is honored to have been recognized for such an esteemed award.

For more information about the Idaho Hunger Relief Task Force and their initiatives, please visit www.idahohunger.org.

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