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**THE TOLL ROADS PARTNER WITH FOOD BANK TO
BENEFIT LOCAL COMMUNITIES***Annual holiday drive now through Nov. 30 supports
Second Harvest Food Bank of Orange County*

IRVINE, Calif. – November 7, 2011 – For the second year in a row, The Toll Roads are collecting non-perishable food items now through Nov. 30 to benefit the Second Harvest Food Bank of Orange County. The annual holiday giving drive will help feed thousands of people, furthering the food bank's mission to end hunger throughout the county.

Donations are being accepted in the cash-payment lanes of all mainline toll plazas on the 73, 133, 241 and 261 Toll Roads and inside the Irvine (125 Pacifica) and San Clemente (209 Avenida Del Mar) service centers. Non-perishables -- such as peanut butter, macaroni and cheese, pasta, cereal and canned beans, fruits and vegetables -- are items the food bank needs most this year.

The Second Harvest Food Bank distributes food to 470 member charities across the county including shelters, senior centers, rehabilitation centers, homes for abused women and children and many other emergency assistance organizations. The food bank feeds approximately 240,000 individuals per month.

"We are happy to help toll road drivers support the Food Bank again this year," said Tom Margro, chief executive officer at The Toll Roads. "Canned food is an easy, inexpensive way to provide a meal to those who genuinely need one. Dropping off a few cans to a toll attendant is a simple way to help."

The Transportation Corridor Agencies (TCA) are two joint powers authorities formed by the California legislature in 1986 to plan, finance, construct and operate Orange County's 67-mile public toll road system. Fifty-one miles of the system are complete, including the 73, 133, 241 and 261 Toll

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Roads. Elected officials from surrounding cities and county supervisorial districts are appointed to serve on each agency's board of directors. Public oversight ensures that the interests of local communities and drivers are served and that TCA continues to meet the region's growing need for congestion-free transportation alternatives.

DONATION LOCATIONS

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 Walk-in Service Center

FasTrak® Service Center

125 Pacifica, Suite 120
Irvine, CA
Hours: M-F 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

San Clemente Toll Roads Center

209 Avenida Del Mar, Suite 201,
San Clemente, CA
(Near Ole Vista and Avenida Del Mar)
Hours: Tues.-Fri. 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sat. 10:00 a.m. to 4 p.m.

