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United Way presents Socks and Mittens drive

LAFAYETTE: Foothills United Way in Lafayette is holding its annual Socks and Mitten drive Nov. 14 through Dec. 15.

This annual holiday-time drive provides cold-weather clothing items to children and adults in need in Boulder and Broomfield counties.

Collection bins will be set out by participating companies, groups and organizations. Donors can drop off new and unused pairs of socks, mittens, gloves, hats and scarves that will be donated to local nonprofit organizations for distribution.

Three local organizations will benefit from the donated items this year, including Boulder Day Nursery, Emergency Family Assistance Association in Boulder and the OUR Center in Longmont.

In 2006, 22 local companies and organizations participated in the drive, and nearly 2,500 items were collected and distributed.

For more information on the Socks and Mittens drive or how local businesses can take part, please contact Nancy Platt at nplatt@unitedwayfoothills.org or call 303-444-4013.

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