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Utah Food Bank Responds to Possible Data Security Incident

SALT LAKE CITY – August 31, 2015 - On July 15, 2015, Utah Food Bank learned of a possible data security incident involving our donation webpage. As soon as we learned of the incident, we initiated an aggressive investigation, including engaging independent IT forensics experts to assist us. While the investigation is ongoing, it appears that an unauthorized individual may have gained access to donation information submitted through our website between October 8, 2013 and July 16, 2015. Information submitted through the website as a donation, such as names, addresses, e-mail addresses, credit or debit card numbers, security codes and expiration dates, may have been exposed during this time.

Approximately 10,385 individuals, or 8% of Utah Food Bank donors, may have been impacted by this event. We notified affected individuals and offered to provide credit monitoring and identity restoration services at no cost for one year, even though we do not collect the Social Security numbers or other similar personal information from our donors.

We have already implemented several measures to secure our website and are working on additional measures to further enhance our system security. The security incident has been contained, and donations have been processed securely through our website since July 16, 2015.

We are committed to continuing to supply meals to Utahns in need. We take this incident and the protection of our donors' information very seriously, and apologize for any inconvenience this incident may have on our donors.

About Utah Food Bank

Utah Food Bank provides food to a statewide network of 134 emergency food pantries and agencies. Last fiscal year, Utah Food Bank distributed 37.5 million pounds of food and goods, the equivalent of approximately 31.3 million meals, to families and individuals in need. Utah Food Bank also served close to 245,000 Kids Cafe meals, delivered almost 41,000 food boxes and filled more than 60,000 kids' backpacks to help sustain children facing hunger throughout the weekends. For more information about Utah Food Bank, visit www.utahfoodbank.org. Find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/UtahFoodBank and Twitter at www.twitter.com/UtahFoodBank.

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