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Give Back in West Haven.

Stop & Shop Reusable Bag Program Aims to Eliminate Single-Use Plastics While Donating to Local Non-Profits

West Haven, CT—(June 15, 2021) – This year, local community non-profits are more in need of support than in any other time in the recent years' past. Now shoppers can give back to the local community and help to reduce single-use plastics by purchasing a special reusable bag at Stop & Shop on Elm Street.

The West Haven Community House has been selected by local Stop & Shop store leadership as the benefiting non-profits in the Reusable Bag Program for the month of July!

The Stop & Shop Reusable Bag Program is designed to give back to the local community with every reusable bag purchased. Every \$2.50 reusable bag sold supports a non-profit local to the store in which it was purchased. This program offers a way for shoppers to give back as part of the regular weekly routine.

The Community House will receive a \$1 donation for every reusable bag purchased.

“This year has brought so many changes and difficulties for non-profits at the hyper-local level,” said Patty Stevens, Executive Director of the West Haven Community House. “We are thrilled to be participating in this innovative program that makes it possible for shoppers to give back to local non-profits while reducing single-use plastic in the environment. We appreciate the community support in this important initiative to make a difference.”

For 80 years, the Community House has been the cornerstone social service agency of West Haven with programs including Head Start, a quality school readiness program for children from income-eligible families; Children & Youth Services, a before and after-school program for school-aged children; and Community Connections day and residential program for adults with intellectual disabilities. Learn more by visiting whcommunityhouse.org.

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