

To Whom It May Concern:

The Ralph Reeder Food Shelf is a Community Education program of the Mounds View Public Schools, which offers emergency and supplemental food assistance to help low income residents in our community. Mounds View Public School District and all of its programs are officially titled Ind School Dist 621 for federal purposes.

Per Minnesota statutes, Mounds View Public Schools is a political subdivision of the State of Minnesota. Per the Internal Revenue Service, political subdivisions are a governmental unit and are not generally subject to federal income tax. Charitable contributions to governmental units are tax-deductible under sections 170(c) (1) of the Internal Revenue Code, if made for a public purpose. The school district does not fall under 501(c)(3) regulations. Our federal tax identification number is 41-6008084 and our Minnesota identification number is 8030999.

The district's audited financial statements and current budget information can be found at our web site, www.moundsvIEWSchools.org (Click on Budgets and Finance, which can be found under the "About Us" section).

Sincerely,



Paula Steele
Director of Finance