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ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING TURKEY GIVE AWAY AT THE LOS ANGELES CONVENTION CENTER

*Convention Center, ARAMARK, Elected Officials and Butterball® Employees
Distributed over 2,200 Turkeys to LA residents*

Los Angeles, CA – Earlier today, for the second straight year, the Los Angeles Convention Center and ARAMARK, the convention center's food service partner and exclusive caterer, were joined by City Councilmembers Jan Perry, Janice Hahn, Ed P. Reyes, Herb Wesson Jr., and Jose Huizar, in distributing over 2,200 turkeys and trimmings to local Los Angeles families in need. Butterball donated the turkeys, while Ocean Spray and Best American Foods respectively donated cranberry sauce and mashed potatoes.

Los Angeles residents and families lined up to get their turkeys and trimmings at the Los Angeles Convention Center. "During these trying times, it is most crucial for organizations across industries to practice social responsibility as good corporate citizens. Any degree of compassion on a local level signals that as a community we are aware of the less fortunate of Angelinos," said Pouria Abbassi, P.E., General Manager & CEO, Los Angeles Convention Center.

Part of today's charitable celebration included culinary carving demonstrations by ARAMARK chefs, and the event was heavily supported once again by LAPD officer volunteers.

"In our second year sponsoring this event, we feel blessed to be able to give to others, and are fortunate to work with partners like the Los Angeles Convention Center, Butterball, Ocean Spray, and Best American Foods who proudly supported today's Turkey Giveaway event here at the Los Angeles Convention Center," emphasized Duane Gornicki, ARAMARK General Manager, Los Angeles Convention Center.

About the Los Angeles Convention Center (LACC)

The Los Angeles Convention Center (LACC) attracts over 2.5 million annual visitors and is renowned internationally as a prime site for conventions, trade shows and exhibitions. An integral economic component to the Southern California area, total sales from client secondary spending tops \$1.1 billion annually, generating and sustaining over 12,000 local jobs. For more information about LACC, please visit www.lacclink.com.

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