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## SHELDON PARTNERS WITH ST. LOUIS AREA FOODBANK FOR DECEMBER FOOD DRIVE

ST. LOUIS, MO - The Sheldon is pleased to partner with St. Louis Area Foodbank to collect food and personal care items, December 3 – 22, 2021 during this season of giving. Donors may drop off items at The Sheldon's street-level Emerson Entrance during public galley hours, Tuesday – Friday, noon – 5 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. – 2 p.m., and before any Sheldon concert.

The Sheldon shares St. Louis Area Foodbank's belief that "food is a powerful catalyst for change that doesn't just feed individuals; it empowers people and makes entire communities stronger." By donating to the drive, Sheldon patrons can help offer working families, children, veterans and seniors hope for a healthier future through the gift of food.

For a list of recommended donation items visit our website.

With a mission to provide the St. Louis community and beyond with "Arts Without Borders," The Sheldon breaks down barriers, making music and visual art accessible to all. Built in 1912 as the home of the Ethical Society, the Sheldon Concert Hall is known around the world for its perfect acoustics, and the adjoining Sheldon Art Galleries present world-class exhibits featuring local, national and international artists. During the 2020-2021 season, over 70,000 young people engaged in Sheldon education programs and, overall, 125,000 individuals participate in over 350 events each year at The Sheldon.

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