



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## Over 577,000 Meals Served FM99 & 106.9 The Fox Mayflower Marathon Food Drive Sets a New Record for Donations

Contact: Mike Beck, Operations Manager 757-366-9900

Sonja Morrell, Marketing Director 757-366-9900

Tidewater Communications, 870 Greenbrier Circle Suite 399, Chesapeake, VA 23320

**A new record of 577,678 meals will be served thanks to donations to the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual FM99 & 106.9 The Fox Mayflower Marathon Food Drive.**

The annual 'round-the-clock food drive took place simultaneously on both sides of the water between 5:30am on Friday, 11/22 until 3pm on Sunday, 11/24. On the Southside, the location was **Pembroke Mall in Virginia Beach** near Target. On the Peninsula, the location was the **Peninsula Town Center at Coliseum Central in Hampton**.

All food and monetary donations collected in Virginia Beach go to the **Foodbank of Southeastern Virginia**. All donations made at the Hampton location benefit the **Foodbank of the Virginia Peninsula**.



**Brand Manager, Mike Beck:** "The Fox and FM99 thank our listeners and clients for their support for the Mayflower Marathon over the past 17 years. Their donations of food, money and time help the Foodbanks make a Thanksgiving meal possible for thousands of people here in Hampton Roads. Thanks to everyone who donated and the hundreds of volunteers who made this a record setting year!" -