



# MAKING A DIFFERENCE

Since our founding in 1891, Hormel Foods believed in taking care of animals, employees and customers. Since then, we've been able to grow and make a difference to our world on a global scale.

## WITH THE ENVIRONMENT

Hormel Foods is dedicated to producing products in a sustainable and responsible manner. This principle continues to guide our company as it has for more than 120 years.

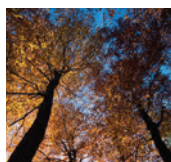
**saved** 154 million gallons of water



**reduced** greenhouse gasses by 17,000 metric tons



**reduced** packaging by 4.72 million pounds



**reduced** total waste sent to landfills by 1,000 tons



## IN OUR COMMUNITIES

We believe in making our communities better—they are our neighborhoods, and we invest in making them great places to live, work and play.



**\$782,000**

in educational funding donated through the Hormel Foods Charitable Trust Matching Gifts program.

**\$9 million**

in cash and product donations in 2013.

**\$6.5 million**

donated for hunger relief efforts, including products we donated to food banks for disaster relief.





## AMONG OUR CHILDREN

Hormel Foods supports Guatemala because it has a poverty level greater than 50% and the highest rate of chronic malnutrition in the Western Hemisphere.



**2.4 million** cans of SPAMMY® were donated in 2013 through our partnership with Food for the Poor and Caritas Arquidiocesana.

## ON OUR FARMS

Hormel Foods works closely with Midwestern farmers who work in close proximity to our processing plants.



“We take great pride in caring for our animals, and have been supplying hogs to Hormel Foods for more than 30 years.”

– Kurt

“Hormel Foods understands our family business and we have enjoyed this long-term relationship.”

– Kiven

## THROUGH ANIMAL WELFARE

Hormel Foods is committed to the highest standards for animal care and handling. Through proper training, on-site assessments, and other means, we ensure our employees are practicing safe, ethical animal care.



Company-owned farms will be transitioned to group sow housing by 2018.

Hormel Foods developed

**FACTS** Farm Animal Care & Treatment Specifications

All producers who supply hogs to Hormel Foods must adhere to the FACTS program requirements.

Hormel Foods supports and follows the practices of

**PQA** Pork Quality Assurance



**TQA** Transport Quality Assurance



Programs endorsed by the National Pork Board.



Our Way