

WATERTOWN URBAN MISSION HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR

Sunday, November 27, 2011

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Dear Crafter,

I would like to personally invite you to be a part of the Watertown Urban Mission's Holiday Craft Fair which will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, November 27, 2011 at the Dulles State Office Building, 317 Washington St., Watertown. It will be a great opportunity to showcase your crafts.

Here at the Mission we provide a hand up to empower many of our most vulnerable neighbors to better their lives and our community. By signing up for this fair, you and every visitor who shops your booth this year joins the Watertown Urban Mission in feeding the hungry, giving drink to the thirsty, clothing the naked, helping the homeless find stable housing, leading the addicted to recovery, helping the sick receive treatment, and empowering working families to have reliable transportation for their jobs.

You may have been invited to this before when it benefitted Hospice of Jefferson County or the Blue Sharks Swim Team. The Mission has now taken the reins and we will work to promote the event so that it can be the success you and all of our crafters want it to be and the kind of success it should be to support the programs we operate in this county.

My name is Drew Mangione and I am the Development Director at the Watertown Urban Mission. I will be personally in charge of this event and will answer any questions you may have. I am working closely with Roger Ambrose, who headed up the event over the past decade for both Hospice and the Blue Sharks.

My background is in media and marketing, so I will work to increase exposure for the craft fair to make it a greater success for you and the Mission. Enclosed is your application for this year's Craft Fair. Please fill it out and send it back to 247 Factory Street, Watertown, NY 13601 as soon as possible. We will be able to accept checks or Credit Card payments with your application. You will be contacted to confirm your approval and the location of your booth. Requests for specific locations will be honored when possible, but booths will be assigned on a first-come-first-serve basis.

Your participation is important to the success of this event and I am looking forward to working with you. If you have any questions, comments or suggestions, please feel free to call me any time at 782-8440 ext. 74.

Sincerely,



Drew Mangione