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Superintendents Volunteer at Haven House

All year long, community members, parents and families volunteer in their local schools to help make a difference. This summer, some of the superintendents in the Ingham ISD service area donated a few hours of their own to give back. Superintendents Dori Leyko, East Lansing, Brian Friddle, Webberville, Adam Spina, Williamston and Jason Mellema, Ingham ISD, volunteered at the Haven House in East Lansing.

Ingham ISD Superintendent Jason Mellema states, "In public education we have many community members and extended family members who selflessly give their time to help our schools and our students. We felt like we should do something to give back ourselves. Haven House helps families get back on their feet as healthy, happy children are more likely to learn. It was a great experience to work together as a team."

The superintendents spent the morning reorganizing and sorting clothes that had been donated by community members so when families need apparel of any sort, Haven House is able to quickly collect and distribute to those in need.

Haven House provides emergency house and support service for families with children. The shelter helps families who are homeless prepare for permanent housing by developing and promoting self-sufficiency, stability and financial responsibility.

Ingham Intermediate School District supports twelve local school districts and ten public school academies in its service area which reaches into seven counties in mid-Michigan. Local school districts include: Dansville, East Lansing, Haslett, Holt, Lansing, Leslie, Mason, Okemos, Stockbridge, Waverly, Webberville and Williamston. For more information go to www.inghamisd.org

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