



For Immediate Release:

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Windsor, ON – Farrow today announced its continued support and investment of a groundbreaking community project through United Way/Plentiful Harvest in an ongoing effort to assist those in need. Rick Farrow, CEO and Chairman, Farrow presented a cheque for \$75,000 to United Way/Plentiful Harvest during the Harvest Ball on Friday September 20th, 2013 at the Fogolar Furlan.

This is the second installment of a promised \$150,000 over 2 years to help strengthen food security in our community.

The United Way and its partners have been working together to increase the community's access to nutritional and culturally appropriate food through the Food Security Network. "This project will increase access to food and benefit individuals, children and families who depend on food banks and food programs in Windsor-Essex. We're extremely pleased and committed to supporting this critical need in our community," stated Rick Farrow.

Farrow continues their tradition of giving back to the community with their most recent donation to the United Way/Plentiful Harvest which mobilizes the caring power of the local community to improve lives in measurable and lasting ways.

The United Way focuses on three priority areas: supporting basic needs and independence; positioning kids and families for success and creating thriving neighborhoods.

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About Farrow

Farrow is the largest privately owned customs broker in Canada, has grown to 600 employees and twenty-nine offices and warehouses throughout Canada and the United States. Founded in 1911, the company has over a 100-year history of providing a comprehensive range of integrated solutions to exceed the expectations of North American importers and exporters. It is owned and managed by the third generation of the Farrow family, Richard and his brother John Farrow.

- A national customs broker with locations on the northern border in the U.S., and throughout Canada
- The largest independently owned and operated in Canada
- Celebrated its 100th Anniversary (1911 - 2011)
- U.S. offices include: Detroit, Buffalo, Chicago, Minneapolis, Los Angeles
- Canadian offices include: Toronto, Montreal, Vancouver, Calgary, Edmonton, Niagara Falls, Fort Erie, Cambridge, Sarnia
- Named one of Canada's 50 Best Managed in 2009, and a Re-Qualified member in 2010 and 2011
- Over six hundred employees in twenty-nine office & warehouse locations throughout the U.S. and Canada
- Family owned and operated, for three generations.
- Two time winner of the "Toyota Kaizen Excellence Award" for achievements as a key logistics partner
- ISO 9002 certified at the Ayr, Ontario, Regional Office
- Community involvement includes a commitment to Habitat-for-Humanity, the United-Way/Centraide, Windsor-Essex Therapeutic Riding Association, the Alzheimer's Society, the St. Clair College Foundation, and local support of amateur sport.