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Mayor McCoy Statement on the Vernon Volunteer Firefighter's Association's "Toys for Tikes" Charity Drive

Vernon, Conn., -- Mayor McCoy visited the fire house on Nye Street Monday evening, where the Volunteer Firefighter's Association and other members of the community were hard at work, donating their time, ensuring that the community's less fortunate children receive gifts this holiday season.

"Over the course of this month, the Vernon Volunteer Firefighter's association and many hard-working volunteers have dedicated their time to ensure that our community's most needy children will receive toys and other gifts," said Mayor McCoy in response to another successful charity drive. *"I would like to thank Vernon's residents for their kind and charitable generosity this holiday season and for all those individuals who have helped to make this time of year a joyous and happy occasion for many."*

Monday night's toy distribution concluded the second charity drive this week. Over the weekend, Mayor McCoy asked residents to help the HVCC's "Adopt a Family" program, which was facilitated by volunteers from the Department of Public Works.