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Westfield Fire Department's 'Fill the Boot' Raises \$7,500 for MDA Research

Westfield, IN- Members of the Westfield Fire Department were able to raise \$7,542.65 in support of those suffering from muscular dystrophy during last weekend's 'Fill the Boot' fundraiser.

45 members of the department fanned out across the city with boots in hand for this year's drive. Locations were Walmart on 151st Street and US 31, Kroger at State Road 32 and Carey Road, and Kroger at 161st Street and Spring Mill Road.

Funds raised through the 2016 Westfield Fill the Boot event help to empower families with life-enhancing resources, a support system, and open new possibilities and maximize independence so they can experience the world without any limits.

Contributions also help MDA's efforts to fund groundbreaking research and life-enhancing programs such as state-of-the-art support groups and care centers, including the MDA Care Center at Riley Children's Hospital and IU Health's Neuroscience Center in Indianapolis. They also help send more than 70 local kids to "the best week of the year" at MDA summer camp at no cost to their families at Bradford Woods in Martinsville, Indiana.

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