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RMG Restaurants Provide Employee Contributions to Local Salvation Army/Toys for Tots Effort

KINGSPORT, TN. (Dec. 18, 2009) – Employees of Restaurant Management Group's Hardee's® and Little Caesars™ restaurants throughout the region have donated more than \$2,600 to the Salvation Army/Toys for Tots effort to provide Christmas toys for disadvantaged area children.

RMG presented a check for \$2,693 to the Salvation Army of Kingsport which administers the Salvation Army/Toys for Tots effort locally. The proceeds came from employees at each of RMG's 70-plus Hardee's and Little Caesars restaurants located throughout the Tri-Cities as well as in West Virginia, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Georgia and Florida.

"We're very appreciative of what the RMG team did to help make Salvation Army/Toys for Tots reach more deserving children this year," said Capt. Iva West of the Salvation Army. The proceeds will be used to provide toys for youngsters in Sullivan and Hawkins counties in Tennessee as well as in Lee, Wise and Scott counties in Virginia.

"We're proud to have our employees step forward generously at our restaurants and hope it makes a difference this year for children here at our company's home area," said Jack Mangan, president of RMG. "Our company recognizes it's a real challenge given the tough times many people face right now."

Based in Kingsport, RMG operates 43 Hardee's restaurants throughout the Tri-Cities and in West Virginia, Ohio and Pennsylvania and 30 Little Caesars located through the Tri-Cities, and in North Carolina, Georgia and Florida. For more information on RMG, visit www.rmgrestartaurants.com