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Photo Exhibit Portrays Hunger in Rhode Island ***“Witnessing Hunger in Rhode Island” on display at RWU***

BRISTOL, RI – A powerful photo exhibit, “Witnessing Hunger in Rhode Island,” portraying Rhode Island mothers raising children in a world of hunger and poverty is on display through the end of December at the Roger Williams University Library in Bristol, Rhode Island.

Coordinated by the Rhode Island Community Food Bank in conjunction with its Women Ending Hunger group, the exhibit was inspired by the “Witnesses to Hunger” project from the School of Public Health at Drexel University in Philadelphia. The university gave cameras to 40 women with children struggling with hunger and poverty and asked them to document important aspects of their lives. The participants shared some of their experiences in writing to help educate others about their reality.

For the library hours at Roger Williams University, visit <http://library.rwu.edu/About/hours.php>. Roger Williams University is located at One Old Ferry Road, Bristol, RI.

The Rhode Island Community Food Bank is a non-profit organization located in Providence, RI. The Food Bank solicits, stores and distributes food products donated by supermarkets, wholesalers, food processors, local farmers and community food drives. The food is then distributed to the Food Bank’s statewide network of 248 member agency programs. In the past fiscal year, the Food Bank distributed 9.4 million pounds of food. For more information about the Food Bank, please visit www.rifoodbank.org.

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