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Wal-Mart Gives More than \$374 Thousand to Long Island Communities in 2007

Total New York State giving tops \$10 Million; Retailer expects to be named America's largest corporate cash contributor for third consecutive year

BENTONVILLE, Ark., March 17, 2008 – Wal-Mart Stores Inc. recently announced that the company and its Foundation gave \$296 million in 2007 – \$5.6 million per week – benefiting more than 4,000 U.S. communities. Donations last year topped \$10 million in New York State with more than \$374,000 going to benefit Long Island communities.

Additionally, Wal-Mart customers and associates again proved to be some of the most generous in the nation, donating \$106 million through individual contributions and company-sponsored fundraisers, bringing total 2007 U.S. giving to more than \$400 million. For the last two years, Wal-Mart has been recognized by the *Chronicle of Philanthropy* as the largest corporate cash contributor in America. The company expects that its recent announcement will confirm this position for Wal-Mart for the third consecutive year.

“As a global company, we take great pride in the ability to make an impact in the local communities where we do business,” said Steven V. Restivo, Director of Corporate Affairs – Northeast Region. “Our support last year helped Long Island parents provide holiday gifts for their children, a local arts council further encourage students to engage the arts, and hospitals care for terminally ill youth.”

Since the company was founded in 1962, corporate giving at Wal-Mart has been governed by a philosophy to “give back locally.” The majority of Wal-Mart’s giving occurs at the store- and club-level as each Wal-Mart and Sam’s Club location is encouraged to support its local community.

Locally Wal-Mart has helped to fund initiatives and programs by several organizations some of which include;

- **The Brookhaven Arts Council**
- **The Family Service League**
- **Commerce Plaza**
- **The Long Island Children’s Museum**

Last year, Wal-Mart donated \$1 million or more to numerous charitable organizations including, but not limited to: United Way of America, National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, Hispanic Scholarship Fund, United Negro College Fund, Muscular Dystrophy Association, Mercy Health Systems, Special Olympics, and Boys & Girls Clubs of America.

Wal-Mart’s global contributions for 2007 totaled more than \$470 million, up from \$418 million in 2006 – an increase of nearly 9 percent.

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Additionally, the Wal-Mart Foundation has given approximately \$16 million to support programs that will be rolled out in the first quarter 2008. These programs will provide opportunities for school age children and individuals up to 24-years-old to develop literacy skills, complete or pursue educational degrees and learn critical job skills. Some of the organizations that have received funding to assist with these efforts are: the American Association of Community Colleges, Council of Independent Colleges, Gateway to College National Network, National Foundation of Teaching Entrepreneurship, National Guard Youth Foundation and Scholarship America. Separate announcements with the details of these grants are expected to be made in the coming months.

About Philanthropy at Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.

Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. (NYSE: WMT) and its foundation are proud to support the charitable causes that are important to customers and associates in their own neighborhoods. Through its philanthropic programs and partnerships, the company supports initiatives focused on enhancing opportunities in education, job skills training, sustainability, and health and human services. In 2007, Wal-Mart, Sam's Club and the Wal-Mart Foundation gave \$296 million to communities across the United States. To learn more, visit www.walmartstores.com/community.

About Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. (NYSE: WMT)

Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. operates Wal-Mart discount stores, Supercenters, Neighborhood Markets and Sam's Club locations in the United States. The company operates in Argentina, Brazil, Canada, China, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Japan, Mexico, Nicaragua, Puerto Rico and the United Kingdom. Wal-Mart serves more than 176 million customers weekly in 14 markets. The company's securities are listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol WMT. For more information: www.walmartfacts.com.

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