CASA
Court Appointed Special Advocates
FOR CHILDREN
EDDY COUNTY

Support the CASA Holiday Program as Santa's Helpers

Each holiday season, Eddy County CASA works to ensure that children in foster care experience the joy, warmth, and magic of Christmas. For many of these children, the holidays can be especially difficult, but with the support of our community, we provide gifts, a Christmas party filled with love, and the reminder that they are not forgotten.

This year, we invite you to join our CASA Santa's Helpers program and sponsor a child(ren) for Christmas.

As a Gift Sponsor, your commitment of $200 per child ensures that every child receives:

- Something they need
- Something they want
- Something to wear
- Something to read

CASA will provide you with an anonymized child wishlist. Sponsors purchase, wrap, and deliver the gifts, which will then be given directly to the children during our CASA Christmas Party or delivered to their placements in time for Christmas morning.

Why We Ask Sponsors to Follow the Wishlist

To make sure every child feels equally valued, it is essential that sponsors follow the provided wishlists and budget. In previous years, some children in the same home received only basic items while others received extravagant gifts. Although generosity comes from a good heart, unequal gifts can unintentionally cause hurt feelings. By following the budget and wishlist, we ensure that every child receives a fair and meaningful Christmas experience.

Important Details for Gift Sponsors:

- Maximum $200 per child (covers 4 gift categories).
- Sponsors must commit using the attached sign-up form.
- Wishlists are provided by CASA — sponsors must use these as the guide.
- Gifts must be wrapped, age-appropriate, and labeled by the child's code provided by CASA.
- Drop-off deadline: Friday, December 5, 2025 at CASA offices.

Together, we can ensure that every child in foster care in Eddy County experiences a Christmas filled with joy, dignity, and love.

Thank you for helping us change a child's story this holiday season.

With gratitude,

Clarisa Saenz
Assistant Director
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2026 Holiday Program: Santa's Helpers Agreement

Sponsor/Organization Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Mailing Address: _____

I am sponsoring as a:
□ Individual □ Family □ Business □ Church/Group □ School

Sponsorship Commitment

Number of children we will sponsor: _____

Estimated gift budget (up to $200 per child): $_____

As a CASA Santa's Helper, we commit to:

□ Following the wishlist and budget provided by CASA so every child receives equitable gifts
□ Providing gifts that are wrapped, age-appropriate, and labeled with the child's code
□ Delivering gifts to the CASA office by Friday, December 4, 2026
□ Contacting CASA right away if our plans change so another sponsor can step in

As a CASA Santa's Helper, we commit to:

□ Please recognize us publicly (website, social media, newsletter)
□ We prefer to remain anonymous
Name as it should appear: _____

Printed Name: _____ Title: _____
Signature: _____ Date: _____

Thank you for joining us as a Santa's Helper this holiday season! Your generosity ensures children in foster care in Eddy County experience a Christmas filled with dignity, joy, and love.