MAKING A DIFFERENCE
Since our founding in 1891, Hormel Foods believed in taking care of animals, employees and customers. Since then, we’ve been able to grow and make a difference to our world on a global scale.

WITH THE ENVIRONMENT
Hormel Foods is dedicated to producing products in a sustainable and responsible manner. This principle continues to guide our company as it has for more than 120 years.

$782,000
in educational funding donated through the Hormel Foods Charitable Trust Matching Gifts program.

$9 million
in cash and product donations in 2013.

$6.5 million
donated for hunger relief efforts, including products we donated to food banks for disaster relief.

IN OUR COMMUNITIES
We believe in making our communities better—they are our neighborhoods, and we invest in making them great places to live, work and play.

154 million gallons of water saved
4.72 million pounds of packaging reduced
17,000 metric tons of greenhouse gases reduced
1,000 tons of total waste sent to landfills reduced

Our Way
THROUGH ANIMAL WELFARE
Hormel Foods is committed to the highest standards for animal care and handling. Through proper training, on-site assessments, and other means, we ensure our employees are practicing safe, ethical animal care.

Hormel Foods developed
FACTS Farm Animal Care & Treatment Specifications
All producers who supply hogs to Hormel Foods must adhere to the FACTS program requirements.

Hormel Foods supports and follows the practices of
PQA Pork Quality Assurance
TQA Transport Quality Assurance
Programs endorsed by the National Pork Board.

AMONG OUR CHILDREN
Hormel Foods supports Guatemala because it has a poverty level greater than 50% and the highest rate of chronic malnutrition in the Western Hemisphere.

2.4 million cans of SPAMMY® were donated in 2013 through our partnership with Food for the Poor and Caritas Arquidiocesana.

ON OUR FARMS
Hormel Foods works closely with Midwestern farmers who work in close proximity to our processing plants.

“We take great pride in caring for our animals, and have been supplying hogs to Hormel Foods for more than 30 years.”
– Kurt

“We Hormel Foods understands our family business and we have enjoyed this long-term relationship.”
– Kiven

Source: All figures are from the 2013 Hormel Foods Corporate Responsibility Report.