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PROCLAIMING FEBRUARY 21, 2013 TO BE "ST. FELIX PANTRY DAY" IN THE SENATE.

WHEREAS, the St. Felix pantry, incorporated in 1992, is a nonprofit charitable organization that provides food, clothing, household items and referral services free of charge to people in need; and

WHEREAS, for over twenty years, the St. Felix pantry has served as a safety net for people struggling to support their families in times of crisis; and

WHEREAS, the need for the kinds of services offered by St. Felix pantry has grown in relationship to the recent economic downturn; and

WHEREAS, New Mexico ranks forty-eighth in the nation for poverty with a poverty rate of almost eighteen percent; and

