

## **BURST A BUS” Sets Record for Collection of Back to School Supplies**

Spokane, WA – The week of August 10<sup>th</sup> local radio stations KZBD, KDRK and KEY 101 teamed with the Salvation Army to collect back to school supplies for local children. The final total for back to school supplies will eclipse 2,500 items. They also collected over \$1,000 in cash.

Salvation Director of Development Dan Curley acknowledged the efforts of the radio station, “I can’t tell you how much we appreciate the work the radio stations put in to collect supplies.”

A collection point was set up in North Spokane, on the corner of Ruby and Indiana, with the radio stations giving their respective listeners the directive to fill the bus with back to school supplies. There were also a collection points set up around the city and in Northern Idaho.

This was the fifth year the back to school supply drive has been held with the Spokane Salvation Army.

“I am proud of the staff of the radio stations and the effort they put forth,” said Radio Spokane Operations Manager Greg Tillotson. “We had quite a few people sacrifice personal time to make the week as successful as it was”.

Curley added, “The amount of supplies generated for local children before they head back to school was unbelievable!”