

Shutdown Drive RE

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1/21 (Mon AM/ Noon)

Little Rock city leaders are organizing a drive to collect donations for federal workers who aren't getting paid during the partial government shutdown. Donations will be accepted tomorrow (Tues) and Wednesday at locations throughout the city. The Arkansas Democrat-Gazette reports there are 14-thousand federal workers in the state. Of those about 7,000 people have been furloughed or are not being paid. The two-day drive is being called Little Rock Cares with food and other goods will then be distributed to impacted federal workers.