



# One Way Farm of Fairfield, Inc.

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## MEDIA STATEMENT

From Greg Elam, Board President, One Way Farm

One Way Farm Children's Home provides year-round, 24-hour care for severely abused, abandoned, neglected and troubled children, many with mental and physical challenges.

On Monday (12/19/11) evening two of our youth, ages 16 and 17, were involved in an altercation that resulted in the hospitalization of one of the youth and juvenile detention of the other. Our deepest sympathies go out to the youth and their families. This unexpected event has affected many. Please keep all involved in your thoughts and prayers with us.

We are doing everything possible to understand and to cope with this unfortunate event that has affected these two youth. The incident is currently under investigation by Fairfield Township Police and One Way Farm. One Way Farm has served the community for 34 years and will continue to be a service to children and youth in need for many years to come. We are working in the best interests of the children now in our care. They are receiving counseling to protect the progress they have made; this will continue to support their emotional healing.

We are extremely heartbroken over this event. With more than 9,000 children and youth coming through the One Way Farm, we have never experienced anything such as this.

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