

# ACCOMPLISHMENTS REPORT: 2023

# A note from Lindsay

In 2023, The Food Bank for Central & Northeast Missouri launched an innovative new effort that is already changing the landscape of food security in our local communities.

With the opening of The Food Bank Market in November 2023, Boone County neighbors have access to a better-equipped food distribution facility that provides an improved shopping experience that reduces stigma. And, our entire 32-county services area is benefitting from the additional cold storage and freezer space that makes sharing the most nutritious foods - like fresh produce - more possible than ever before.

This good news comes at a time when The Food Bank is seeing new challenges. While we continue to serve 100,000 Missourians each month, in 2023, we served those neighbors around 85,000 more times than we did in 2022. Overall, our network has provided assistance 124,000 more times in the past year than we did each year pre-COVID. In short, with increased prices, it's taking those we serve a little longer to get back on their feet.

For The Food Bank, that means sharing a little extra so our neighbors can achieve food security. Despite more need and our own increased costs, we are proud to have provided the equivalent of more than 22 million meals across our service area.

Thank you for being part of The Food Bank's mission. As you review this report, I hope you see the impact our work has on the community - as well as the good your support does in the day-to-day lives of our neighbors. Your engagement is key to a future without hunger.

Gratefully,



Lindsay Young Lopez  
President and CEO

## TESTIMONIALS FROM NEIGHBORS

"This winter has been hard because of utilities. Coming to the food pantry gave me security that we had food." - Audrain County neighbor

"My family endured a house fire and having to start over is hard. This pantry really helps." - Cole County neighbor

"We have a disabled child and our income is very rigid. The pantry has made a real difference." - Schuyler County neighbor



## The Food Bank's 2024 Board of Directors

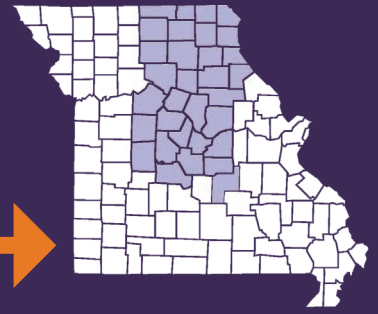
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# 2023 in review:

## 100,000 MISSOURIANS

served each month across 32 counties



IN PARTNERSHIP  
WITH **145+**  
AGENCIES &  
AROUND  
**200**  
SCHOOLS

**26.5M**  
LBS SHARED,  
WITH A  
WHOLESALE  
VALUE OF  
**\$51M**



ACROSS MISSOURI,  
**FOOD INSECURITY** TOUCHES

1 in 9 people

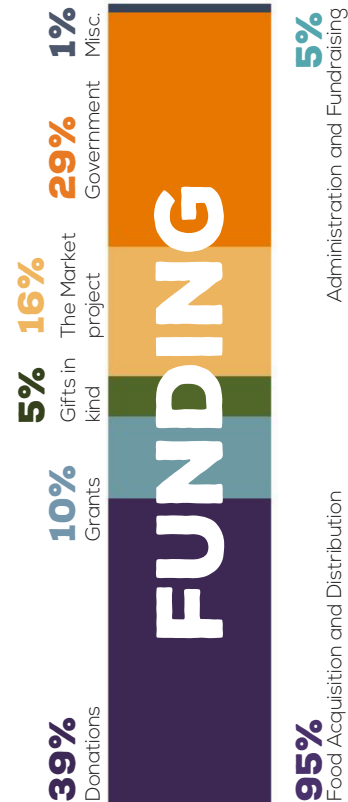
& 1 in 8 children

According to the most recent data available from Feeding America

**\$1**  
HELPS  
PROVIDE  
AT LEAST  
**4** MEALS

**7K** TONS  
OF CO2  
EMISSIONS  
UNRELEASED  
THANKS TO  
RETAIL RESCUE

### FINANCIAL OVERVIEW\*



HOW WE USE FUNDS

\*For The Food Bank's most current audit report, visit [sharefoodbringhope.org/about](http://sharefoodbringhope.org/about)

**7K** students received regular food through Children's Programs, like School Markets and Buddy Packs

**3K+** monthly CSFP Boxes distributed to share supplemental nutrition with seniors

**132K** neighbors in rural and underserved communities received food through Mobile Markets

**500** VIP Veteran Packs shared with vets across 13 counties each month





# \$72M IN ECONOMIC RELIEF



In 2023, The Food Bank shared resources that amounted to an estimated \$72M in economic relief for neighbors, allowing those in need to take funds they would have otherwise spent on groceries and put them toward other necessities like housing, utilities, transportation and childcare.

## THE WEIGHT OF WORK BY COUNTY

### ADAIR ..... 763,124 lbs.

- Kirkville Housing Authority – 11,629 lbs.
- NEMO Senior Center – 3,833 lbs.
- Pantry for Adair County – 471,910 lbs.
- Salvation Army – Kirkville – 155,404 lbs.
- The Community Mission – 1,599 lbs.
- Buddy Pack Schools**.....10,583 lbs.
  - Adair County R-II Elementary, Kirkville Primary, Novinger Elementary, Ray Miller Elementary
- School Markets**.....793 lbs.
  - Kirkville Area Technical Center
- Mobile Markets**.....107,373 lbs.
  - Hamilton St. Baptist Church

### AUDRAIN ..... 1,241,155 lbs.

- Mexico Senior Center, Inc. – 3,311 lbs.
- Saint John's Catholic Church Pantry – 105,226 lbs.
- The Help Center – 1,011,582 lbs.
- University Hospital – Mexico Clinic – 1,373 lbs.
- Buddy Pack Schools**.....21,663 lbs.
  - Community R-VI Elementary, Eugene Field Elementary, Hawthorne Elementary, McMillan Elementary, Van-Far Elementary, Williams Family Support Center Head Start
- School Markets**.....9,121 lbs.
  - Community R-VI Elementary, Community R-VI Middle/High, Eugene Field Elementary, McMillan Elementary, Mexico High, Mexico Middle, Van-Far Middle/High
- Mobile Markets**.....88,880 lbs.
  - Vandalia Mobile

### BENTON ..... 800,331 lbs.

- Benton County Food Pantry – 589,775 lbs.
- Cole Camp Senior Center – 12,363 lbs.
- Soup & More Community Kitchen – 86 lbs.
- Warsaw Senior Center – 1,714 lbs.
- Buddy Pack Schools**.....11,731 lbs.
  - Cole Camp Elementary, Lincoln Elementary, Warsaw North Elementary, Warsaw South Elementary
- School Markets**.....3,057 lbs.
  - Cole Camp Elementary, John Boise Middle, Lincoln Elementary, Warsaw High
- Mobile Markets**.....181,605 lbs.
  - Katy Trail Community Health

### BOONE ..... 5,945,808 lbs.

- Aging Best - Columbia – 8,443 lbs.
- Armory Community Center – 22,658 lbs.
- Boone Health – 245 lbs.
- Burrell Behavioral Health - Phoenix Clinic – 33,420 lbs.
- City of Refuge – 16,129 lbs.
- Columbia Housing Authority Pantry – 53,223 lbs.
- Columbia Square Town Homes – 1,050 lbs.

- Destiny Worship Center Food Pantry – 2,253 lbs.
- First Chance for Children – 3,113 lbs.
- Flourish Initiative – 1,372 lbs.
- Fresh Start Sober Living Programs – 6,051 lbs.
- Hallsville Food Pantry – 83,143 lbs.
- Harry S. Truman Memorial Veterans' Hospital – 21,247 lbs.
- Hogan House – 171,403 lbs.
- In2Action – 13,281 lbs.
- Job Point – 7,685 lbs.
- KVC-Missouri, Columbia – 6,038 lbs.
- MedZou – 3,429 lbs.
- Powerhouse Community Development Center – 90,691 lbs.
- Progressive Missionary Food Pantry – 58,385 lbs.
- Rainbow House – 2,424 lbs.
- Russell Chapel Food Pantry – 88,533 lbs.
- Salvation Army – Harbor House – 23,380 lbs.
- Seventh Day Adventist Food Pantry – 82,375 lbs.
- Sturgeon Area Ministerial Alliance Pantry – 146,632 lbs.
- \*The Food Bank Market – 4,427,212 lbs.*
- Tiger Pantry – 9,502 lbs.
- True North of Columbia – 5,528 lbs.
- Turning Point Day Center – 14,635 lbs.
- University Hospital – 5,685 lbs.
- Voluntary Action Center – 29,858 lbs.
- Welcome Home, Inc. – 3,965 lbs.
- Buddy Pack Schools**.....99,227 lbs.
  - Alpha Hart Lewis Elementary, Beulah Ralph Elementary, Blue Ridge Elementary, Cedar Ridge Elementary, Center for Early Learning – North, Center for Early Learning – South, Centralia Head Start, Centralia Intermediate, Chance Elementary, Derby Ridge Elementary, Early Childhood Special Education, Eliot Battle Elementary, Fairview Elementary, Grant Elementary, Hallsville R-IV Intermediate, Hallsville R-IV Primary, Harrisburg Elementary, Locust Street Elementary, Mary Paxton Keeley Elementary, Midway Heights Elementary, Mill Creek Elementary, New Haven Elementary, Parkade Elementary, Ridgeway Elementary, Rock Bridge Elementary, Roseta Learning Center, Russell Boulevard Elementary, Shepard Boulevard Elementary, Sturgeon R-V Elementary, Sturgeon Middle, Title I Preschools – Douglass and Hickman, Two Mile Prairie Elementary, West Boulevard Elementary
- School Markets**.....27,291 lbs.
  - Battle Elementary, Battle High, Beulah Ralph Elementary, Centralia Intermediate, Chance Elementary, Chester Boren Middle, CORE - Bethel, Douglass High, Fairview Elementary, Gentry Middle, Grant Elementary, Hallsville Intermediate, Hallsville Middle/High, Hickman High, John Warner Middle, Lange Middle, Oakland Middle, Parkade Elementary, Rock Bridge Elementary, Rock Bridge High, Shephard Boulevard Elementary, Smithton Middle, West Boulevard Elementary, West Middle, Y.E.S. Academy
- Mobile Markets**.....376,302 lbs.
  - Ashland Baptist Church, Broadway Christian Church,



# 8.1M LBS FRUITS & VEGETABLES

Of the more than 26.5 million pounds of food and other resources shared with neighbors, fruits and vegetables accounted for 8.1 million pounds. Thanks to retail rescue and The Food Bank's relationships with local farmers and retailers, nearly 6 million of those pounds came just in the form of fresh produce.

Elks Lodge, Emergency Response, Oak Towers, Paquin Tower	School Markets.....	907 lbs. Clark County Middle
<b>CALLAWAY.....1,069,993 lbs.</b> Callaway Senior Center – 17,512 lbs. Holts Summit Food Pantry – 213,936 lbs. Holts Summit Soup Kitchen – 82,359 lbs. Missouri Girls Town Foundation, Inc. – 6,911 lbs. Oak Chapel Food Pantry – 112,861 lbs. Our House – 1,414 lbs. Serve, Inc. – 604,572 lbs. Buddy Pack Schools.....29,388 lbs. Bartley Elementary, Bush Elementary, Fulton Early Childhood Center, Hatton McCredie Elementary, McIntire Elementary, New Bloomfield Elementary, South Callaway R-II Elementary, Williamsburg Elementary School Markets.....1,040 lbs. North Callaway High, North Callaway Middle	<b>COLE.....2,076,125 lbs.</b> Building Community Bridges – 108,332 lbs. Catholic Charities of Central and Northern Missouri – 470,948 lbs. Clarke Senior Center – 3,496 lbs. Community Health Center of Central Missouri – 2,070 lbs. First Christian Church Food Pantry – 162,055 lbs. HALO – 4,291 lbs. Healing House – 2,141 lbs. Little Explorers Discovery Center – 11,539 lbs. Rape & Abuse Crisis Service – 5,417 lbs. Salvation Army – Center of Hope and Food Pantry – 199,259 lbs. Samaritan Center – 333,714 lbs. Buddy Pack Schools.....77,093 lbs. Belair Elementary, Callaway Hills Elementary, Cedar Hill Elementary, Clarence "Lawson" Elementary, Cole R-V Elementary, East Elementary, Kirchner State School, Moreau Heights Elementary, North Elementary, Pioneer Trail Elementary, Russellville Elementary, South Elementary, Southwest Early Childhood Center, Special Learning Center, Thorpe Gordon Elementary, West Elementary School Markets.....20,485 lbs. Callaway Hills Elementary, Cole Co R-V Elementary, Cole Co R-V High, Jefferson City Academic Center, Jefferson City High, Lewis & Clark Middle, Thomas Jefferson Middle, Thorpe Gordon Elementary Mobile Markets.....675,285 lbs. Boys and Girls Club, Capital West Christian Church, Catholic Charities, Knights of Columbus, St. Martins, Trinity Lutheran Church	
<b>CAMDEN.....1,560,549 lbs.</b> Camden County Senior Citizens – 18,453 lbs. Citizens Against Domestic Violence – 17,144 lbs. Good Samaritan Outreach Center – 107,350 lbs. Lamb House – 357,228 lbs. Lighthouse Mission – 76,290 lbs. Osage Beach Senior Center, Inc. – 19,487 lbs. Share the Harvest Food Pantry – 751,991 lbs. Buddy Pack Schools.....31,756 lbs. Climax Springs Elementary, Dogwood Elementary, Hawthorn Elementary, Hurricane Deck Elementary, Macks Creek Elementary, Oak Ridge Intermediate, Osage Beach Elementary School Markets.....4,905 lbs. Camdenton High, Camdenton Middle, Horizons Laker Educational Center, Hurricane Deck Elementary, Osage Beach Elementary Mobile Markets.....175,945 lbs. Church of Osage Hills	<b>COOPER.....387,644 lbs.</b> Baskets of Blessings Food Pantry – 50,616 lbs. Boonslick Senior Center – 9,253 lbs. Neighbors Helping Neighbors – 279,899 lbs. The Mustard Seed Food Pantry – 24,400 lbs. Buddy Pack Schools.....20,899 lbs. Blackwater Elementary, Bunceton Elementary, David Barton Elementary, Hannah Cole Primary, Otterville R-VI Elementary, Prairie Home R-V Elementary School Markets.....2,577 lbs. Boonville High, Hannah Cole Primary, Laura Speed Elliott Middle	
<b>CHARITON.....281,933 lbs.</b> Chariton County Cupboard – 132,495 lbs. Salisbury Food Pantry – 145,751 lbs. Buddy Pack Schools.....3,166 lbs. Keytesville R-III Elementary, Northwestern Elementary, Salisbury Elementary School Markets.....521 lbs. Salisbury Elementary	<b>HOWARD.....279,479 lbs.</b> Catholic Charities of Central and Northern Missouri – 2,115 lbs. Coyote Hill Christian Children's Home – 19,604 lbs. Fayette Ministerial Alliance Pantry – 86,950 lbs.	
<b>CLARK.....238,880 lbs.</b> Clark County Senior Center – 2,916 lbs. Helping Hands Food Distributions – Clark – 226,058 lbs. Shiloh Christian Children's Ranch – Kahoka – 2,029 lbs. Buddy Pack Schools.....6,970 lbs. Black Hawk Elementary, Running Fox Elementary		



# NEW COMMUNITY PARTNERS



Food insecurity doesn't happen in a bubble. New community partnerships - like The Food Bank's work with Anthem - help address the root causes of hunger through on-site education. When partners host resources, neighbors can access food *and* crucial healthcare information and support services all in one place.

Fayette Senior Citizens Center – 14,462 lbs. Glasgow Food Pantry – 52,607 lbs. New Franklin Cares – 100,663 lbs.	
<b>Buddy Pack Schools</b> .....	2,629 lbs.
New Franklin Elementary	
<b>School Markets</b> .....	449 lbs.
New Franklin Elementary	
<b>KNOX</b> .....	<b>243,627 lbs.</b>
Knox County Council on Aging – 3,294 lbs. Knox County Food Cupboard – 240,333 lbs.	
<b>LEWIS</b> .....	<b>316,083 lbs.</b>
Heartland Resources, Inc. – 14,383 lbs. Lewis County Food Pantry – 222,084 lbs.	
<b>Mobile Markets</b> .....	79,616 lbs.
First Christian Church	
<b>LINN</b> .....	<b>554,459 lbs.</b>
Brookfield Senior Center – 52,199 lbs. Marceline Area Nutrition Center – 24,436 lbs. Ministries in Linn County Food Pantry – 465,546 lbs.	
<b>Buddy Pack Schools</b> .....	9,496 lbs.
Brookfield Elementary, Bucklin R-II Elementary, Linn County R-I Elementary	
<b>Mobile Markets</b> .....	2,782 lbs.
Emergency Response	
<b>MACON</b> .....	<b>571,137 lbs.</b>
La Plata Christian Ministries – 221,346 lbs. Macon County Ministries Food Pantry – 343,046 lbs.	
<b>Buddy Pack Schools</b> .....	6,105 lbs.
Bevier Elementary, Macon County R-I Elementary, Macon R-IV Elementary	
<b>School Markets</b> .....	640 lbs.
Macon County R-I Elementary	
<b>MARIES</b> .....	<b>246,272 lbs.</b>
Loaves and Fishes Food Pantry – Vienna – 163,336 lbs. Vienna Senior Center – 3,173 lbs.	
<b>Buddy Pack Schools</b> .....	6,428 lbs.
Belle Elementary, Maries R-I Elementary	
<b>School Markets</b> .....	764 lbs.
Maries R-I Elementary, Maries R-I Middle/High	
<b>Mobile Markets</b> .....	72,571 lbs.
First Baptist Church – Belle	
<b>MARION</b> .....	<b>959,375 lbs.</b>
Douglass Community Services – 318,963 lbs. Harvest Outreach – 102,976 lbs. Palmyra Area Food Pantry – 501,260 lbs. Salvation Army – Hannibal – 36,176 lbs.	
<b>MILLER</b> .....	<b>868,791 lbs.</b>

Eldon Community Food Pantry – 240,850 lbs. Eldon Senior Center – 9,028 lbs. Friendship Hall, Inc. - Iberia – 2,883 lbs. Helping Hands of Central Missouri – 154,796 lbs. Hope House – 263,699 lbs. Visions Unlimited Food Pantry – 180,713 lbs.	
<b>Buddy Pack Schools</b> .....	16,822 lbs.
Heritage Elementary, Miller County R-3 Elementary, Osage Upper Elementary, St. Elizabeth R-IV Elementary	
<b>MONITEAU</b> .....	<b>420,566 lbs.</b>
California Nutrition Center, Inc. – 21,730 lbs. Cargill Cares Food Pantry – 288,889 lbs. Moniteau County Nutrition Center – Tipton – 14,444 lbs.	
<b>Buddy Pack Schools</b> .....	11,002 lbs.
California Elementary, Clarksburg Elementary, High Point R-III Elementary, Latham Elementary, Tipton Elementary	
<b>School Markets</b> .....	2,643 lbs.
California Elementary, California Middle, High Point R-III Elementary	
<b>Mobile Markets</b> .....	81,858 lbs.
Annunciation Catholic Church	
<b>MONROE</b> .....	<b>319,558 lbs.</b>
Faithwalk Ministry Food Pantry – 142,015 lbs. Monroe City Food Pantry – 160,871 lbs. Paris Senior Citizens Community Center – 9,164 lbs.	
<b>Buddy Pack Schools</b> .....	6,562 lbs.
Madison C-3 Elementary, Monroe City Elementary, Paris Elementary	
<b>School Markets</b> .....	946 lbs.
Monroe City Elementary, Monroe City High	
<b>MORGAN</b> .....	<b>876,028 lbs.</b>
Food for Morgan County, Inc. – 602,395 lbs. Ivy Bend Community Food Pantry – 250,507 lbs. Versailles Nutrition Site, Inc. – 3,649 lbs. Westside Seniors Association – 3,501 lbs.	
<b>Buddy Pack Schools</b> .....	14,155 lbs.
Morgan County R-I Elementary, Morgan County R-II Elementary	
<b>School Markets</b> .....	1,821 lbs.
Versailles Middle/High	
<b>OSAGE</b> .....	<b>327,789 lbs.</b>
Good Shepherd Center – 316,355 lbs.	
<b>Buddy Pack Schools</b> .....	7,001 lbs.
Fatima Elementary, Linn Elementary, Osage County R-I Elementary	
<b>School Markets</b> .....	4,433 lbs.
Fatima High, Osage County R-I Middle/High, Osage R-I Elementary	
<b>PETTIS</b> .....	<b>1,456,641 lbs.</b>



# 11,000+ IN THE FIRST MONTH

The Food Bank Market - a pantry owned and operated by The Food Bank - opened in Columbia in November 2023. The space served more than 11,000 in the first month alone, and brings together food distribution, nutrition education and space to host other local resources in support of the whole person.

Citizens Against Spousal Abuse – 5,044 lbs.  
 La Monte Food Pantry – 36,823 lbs.  
 Open Door Service Center and Kitchen – 1,099,092 lbs.  
 Salvation Army – Sedalia – 78,316 lbs.  
**Buddy Pack Schools**.....34,085 lbs.  
 Green Ridge Elementary, Heber Hunt Elementary,  
 Horace Mann Elementary, Loftus Early Childhood  
 Center, Northwest Elementary, Parkview Elementary,  
 Pettis R-XII Elementary, Skyline Elementary, Smithton  
 Elementary, Washington Elementary  
**School Markets**..... 6,723 lbs.  
 Sedalia Middle, Smith-Cotton High, Smith-Cotton Junior  
 High, Smithton R-VI Elementary, Smithton R-VI High  
**Mobile Markets**..... 196,558 lbs.  
 Bethany Baptist Church, La Monte Christian Church

**PHELPS** .....1,157,462 lbs.  
 KVC-Missouri , St. James – 65,186 lbs.  
 Phelps County Dream Center – 408,502 lbs.  
 Rolla Church of the Nazarene Pantry and Soup Kitchen –  
 104,668 lbs.  
 Rolla Nutrition Site – 11,116 lbs.  
 Saint James Caring Center – 398,415 lbs.  
 Student Diversity Initiative – 20,731 lbs.  
 The Mission – 11,549 lbs.  
**Mobile Markets**..... 137,295 lbs.  
 Southern Cherokee

**PUTNAM**.....247,315 lbs.  
 Putnam County Ministerial Alliance – 135,552 lbs.  
 Putnam County Senior Center – 18,182 lbs.  
**Buddy Pack Schools**.....3,677 lbs.  
 Putnam County R-I Elementary  
**School Markets**..... 2,200 lbs.  
 Putnam County Middle/High, Putnam County R-I  
 Elementary  
**Mobile Markets**..... 87,704 lbs.  
 Lucerne Christian Church

**RALLS** .....263,724 lbs.  
 Douglass Community Services – 9,215 lbs.  
 Northeast Community Action Corps. – 53,479 lbs.  
 Ralls County Food Pantry – 198,856 lbs.  
**Buddy Pack Schools**.....1,439 lbs.  
 Ralls County Elementary  
**School Markets**.....735 lbs.  
 Mark Twain Junior High/High, Ralls County Elementary

**RANDOLPH** ..... 840,013 lbs.  
 Christos Center – 319,992 lbs.  
 Community Kitchen – 14,980 lbs.  
 Family Life Fellowship Dream Center – 444,177 lbs.  
 Higbee Senior Center – 13,827 lbs.  
 Primrose Hill Adult and Teen Challenge – 17,241 lbs.

Safe Passage – 1,133 lbs.  
**Buddy Pack Schools**.....20,412 lbs.  
 Early Childhood Learning Center, Gratz Brown Elementary,  
 Higbee Elementary, North Park Elementary, South Park  
 Elementary, Westran R-I Elementary  
**School Markets**.....8,251 lbs.  
 Moberly High, Moberly Middle, North Central Regional  
 School, Westran R-I High, Westran R-I Middle

**SALINE**.....775,978 lbs.  
 Community Food Pantry – 519,186 lbs.  
 Powerhouse Community Development Center – 111,480 lbs.  
 Sweet Springs Food Pantry – 118,235 lbs.  
**Buddy Pack Schools**..... 26,178 lbs.  
 Alexander "Slater" Elementary, Benton Elementary,  
 Eastwood Elementary, Gilliam C-4 Elementary, Malta  
 Bend Elementary, Northwest Elementary, Southeast  
 Elementary, Spainhower Primary, Sweet Springs R-7  
 Elementary  
**School Markets**.....899 lbs.  
 Miami R-I School

**SCHUYLER**..... 281,890 lbs.  
 Schuyler County Food Room – 277,468 lbs.  
**Buddy Pack Schools**.....4,422 lbs.  
 Schuyler R-I Elementary

**SCOTLAND** .....256,994 lbs.  
 Scotland County Food Pantry – 256,994 lbs.

**SHELBY**..... 372,805 lbs.  
 Bethel Food Pantry – 131,410 lbs.  
 Shelby County Food Pantry – 226,131 lbs.  
 Shelby County Senior Center – 3,203 lbs.  
 Shiloh Christian Children's Ranch – Clarence – 8,867 lbs.  
**Buddy Pack Schools**.....3,194 lbs.  
 South Shelby Elementary

**SULLIVAN** .....210,439 lbs.  
 Milan Interfaith Food Pantry – 204,787 lbs.  
**Buddy Pack Schools**..... 3,547 lbs.  
 Green City Elementary, Milan C-2 Elementary,  
 Newtown-Harris R-III Elementary  
**School Markets**..... 2,105 lbs.  
 Milan C-2 Elementary, Milan C-2 High, Newton-Harris  
 R-III Elementary, Newtown-Harris High

**FOOD BANK RESOURCE SHARING**.....334,973 lbs.





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*Your help makes the difference.*

### **The Food Bank Market Pilots Resource Navigation to Serve the Whole Person**

A neighbor reached out for food and shared that his grandchildren had recently been placed in his care. Though he didn't have the means, he was dedicated to keeping them safe and well. The Market provided food, but The Market's Resource Navigator also connected him with local resources to meet immediate needs, like clothing, short-term childcare, healthcare, transportation, a case manager to help navigate the school system and more.

