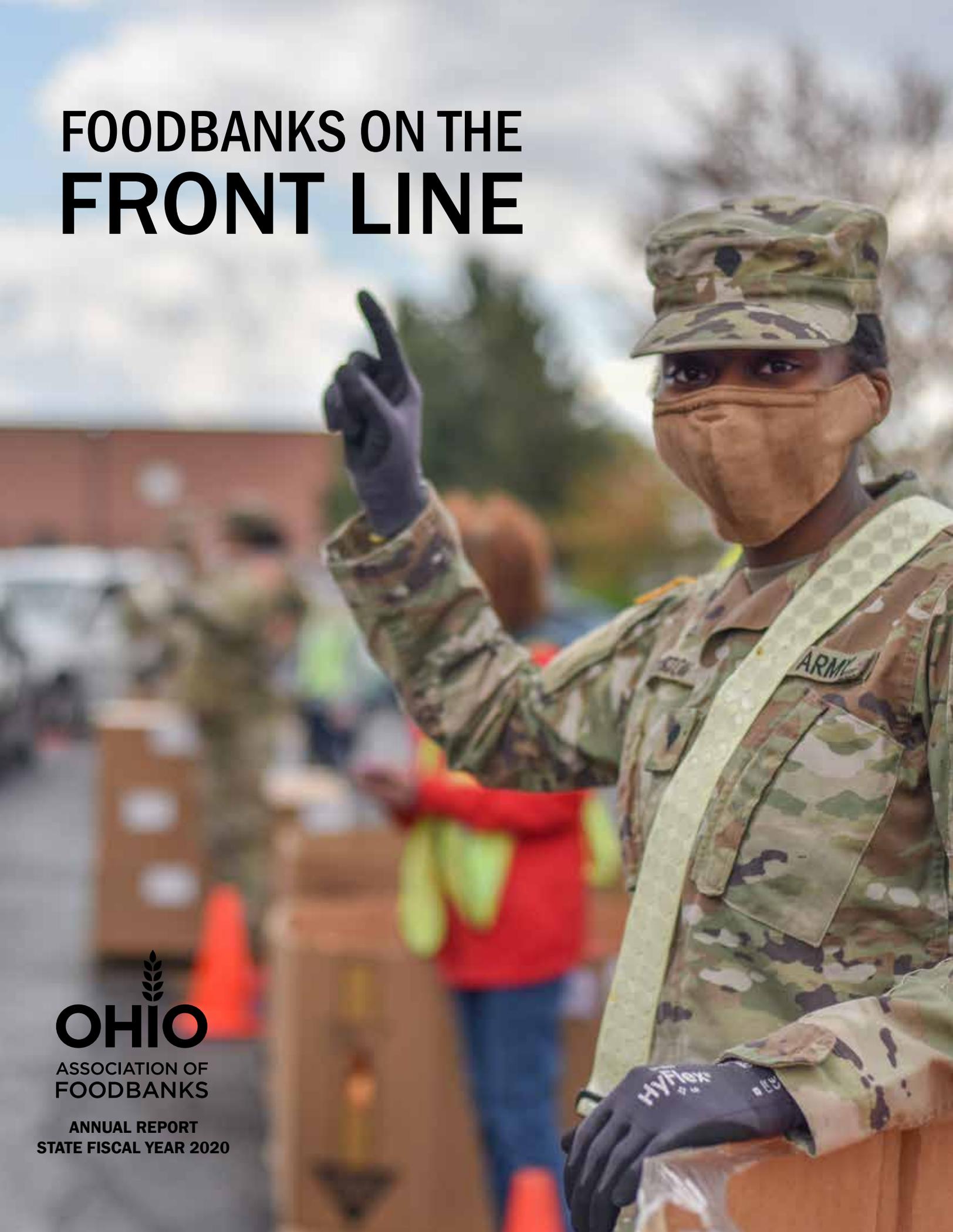


FOODBANKS ON THE FRONT LINE



ASSOCIATION OF
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ANNUAL REPORT
STATE FISCAL YEAR 2020



This year has been a lesson in humility for so many of us. I recall vividly being gathered with my fellow anti-hunger leaders and advocates from across the country in Washington, D.C. in the first few days of March, the threat of a novel coronavirus present but poorly understood. I cautioned our congressional delegation and federal officials about the potentially devastating economic impacts of a pandemic and the havoc it might wreak on our food systems. I wish those words of caution had not been so prescient.

But I'm also so deeply moved by the way our foodbanks and the endless donors, partners, elected officials and so many other selfless Ohioans responded in those early months of the pandemic. Like so many of us navigating this new world, Ohio's foodbanks had to change just about everything they knew, seemingly overnight. They had to switch from customer choice models to pre-bagged and pre-boxed foods. They had to close hot meal sites and grocery-style pantries and shift to drive-thru distributions and takeout or home delivered meals. They had to build in more space for socially distant work in their warehouses and implement protocols to keep their front line staff and volunteers as safe as possible. They had to do all of that while serving more people than they ever had before - with need for their help surging by as much as double or even triple in some hard-hit parts of the state, and roughly one-third of everyone seeking their help first-time visitors to our network.

The hardship from these public health and economic crises will unfortunately be with us for years to come. But I'm encouraged by what I witnessed in those early months. Those who could give gave generously. Those who needed help found hope. Those who were helping stayed the course. I hope that we can all take from this year a lesson in how to give a bit more freely, ask for help a bit more easily, and treat one another with a bit more dignity. I'm proud to share with you how we've served Ohioans this year, and I'm grateful for your help in doing so.

Carol Obler Jurg II



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FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

REVENUE SOURCES		EXPENSES	
Government Revenue	\$35,722,526	Food Programs*	\$32,492,131
Foundation Revenue	\$90,000	Other Programs**	\$2,771,028
Other Operating Income	\$1,058,923	Fundraising	\$34,341
Dues From Foodbanks	\$245,499	Administration	\$1,013,632
Donations	\$97,172	Total Expenses	\$36,311,132
Interest Income	\$10,940		
Total Income	\$37,225,060		

**Includes the Ohio Food Program and Agricultural Clearance Program and the Governor's Summer Meals Programs **Includes AmeriCorps VISTA, SNAP and HEAP Outreach, and Work Experience Program*

Before March 2020, we were on track for a pretty “normal” year - although we do not accept widespread food insecurity as a condition that should be “normal.” By the time COVID-19 was declared a global pandemic in early March, we quickly began seeing the impact of the virus on household food and economic security. We also experienced challenges in securing adequate food supplies to meet high demand in the midst of a disrupted food supply chain.

Our 2020 revenue reflects an additional emergency allocation from Governor Mike DeWine of just under \$5 million in April to help surge food and other supplies to Ohioans in need. It also includes just under \$1 million in emergency funding from Ohio Emergency Management Agency (EMA) and the Ohio Department of Public Safety.

Not reflected in these columns is the value of the Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), including gloves, hand sanitizer, hand soap, and face masks, cardboard boxes, food, and other supplies distributed by our network to assist vulnerable Ohioans in protecting themselves and their families during the pandemic, which were generously donated by partners including Borden Dairy Ohio, Cooper Farms, Dairy Farmers of America, Daisy Brand, Greif- CorrChoice, JobsOhio, Kraft/Heinz, L Brands Foundation, National Beef, Ohio Department of Public Health, Ohio Emergency Management Agency, Ohio Poultry Association, and ProMedica. **We estimate the additional value of all of these donated supplies and food items to be \$1,634,012.**

We’d like to acknowledge and thank the JobsOhio team and their partner vendors who made supplies of hand sanitizer possible for our foodbanks and clients, including: Brain Brew Distillery; Diageo; Hotel Tango; Middle West Spirits; Sazerac; Ugly Dog; Watershed Distillery; Western Reserve Distillers; and Woodinville Whiskey.

Special thanks are also warmly given to First Lady Fran DeWine and her team for their efforts in leveraging many of these private donations of supplies to maximize public investments during this crisis.



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NETWORK SNAPSHOT



Our network of 12 Feeding America foodbanks and 3,584 member hunger relief agencies and programs provided **270,372,333 pounds of food**, or 225 million meals, from July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020.

Collectively, the Ohio Association of Foodbanks statewide network served **3,832,976 households**. Our member foodbanks provided 225,310,277 meals to **10,929,759 households members**, including 3,320,510 children (30.4%), 5,364,649 adults (49.1%), and 2,244,600 seniors (20.5%).

Compared to SFY2019, these figures represent:

- **17.8%** more pounds of food distributed
- **15.6%** more people served, including **347,596 more seniors**

Those increases in food provided and people served took place in just the final third of the year.

To calculate meals served, we utilize Feeding America's formula of 1.2 pounds of food per meal.

Household service statistics represent duplicated counts, meaning that a family visiting multiple times during the year would be counted each time they receive food.



529 member agencies serving 8 counties

32,573,157 pounds of food distributed

490,239 households served

31.4% children, 50.2% adults, 18.4% seniors



The Foodbank

102 member agencies serving 3 counties

17,763,697 pounds of food distributed

219,223 households served

29.8% children, 50.2% adults, 19.9% seniors



321 member agencies serving 8 counties

23,690,411 pounds of food distributed

300,012 households served

27.0% children, 51.6% adults, 21.4% seniors



59 member agencies serving 3 counties

12,928,645 pounds of food distributed

89,566 households served

31.0% children, 49.0% adults, 20.1% seniors



110 member agencies serving 3 counties

13,859,753 pounds of food distributed

196,275 households served

29.2% children, 46.8% adults, 24.0% seniors



154 member agencies serving 4 counties

12,194,075 pounds of food distributed

270,669 households served

33.6% children, 48.0% adults, 18.3% seniors



**Greater Cleveland
Food Bank**

1,086 member agencies serving 6
counties

51,875,147 pounds of food distributed
656,883 households served

27.2% children, 45.9% adults, 26.9%
seniors



**mid-ohio food
collective**

foodbank | farm | farmacy | kitchen | market

696 member agencies serving 20
counties

73,783,317 pounds of food distributed
1,010,646 households served

32.0% children, 50.4% adults, 17.6%
seniors



68 member agencies serving 10
counties

5,708,427 pounds of food distributed
105,251 households served

26.1% children, 47.8% adults, 26.1%
seniors



102 member agencies serving 5
counties

8,989,856 pounds of food distributed
187,147 households served

32.1% children, 52.6% adults, 15.3%
seniors



**Toledo Northwestern Ohio
FOOD BANK**

212 member agencies serving 8
counties

6,491,090 pounds of food distributed
176,280 households served

29.1% children, 44.9% adults, 26.0%
seniors



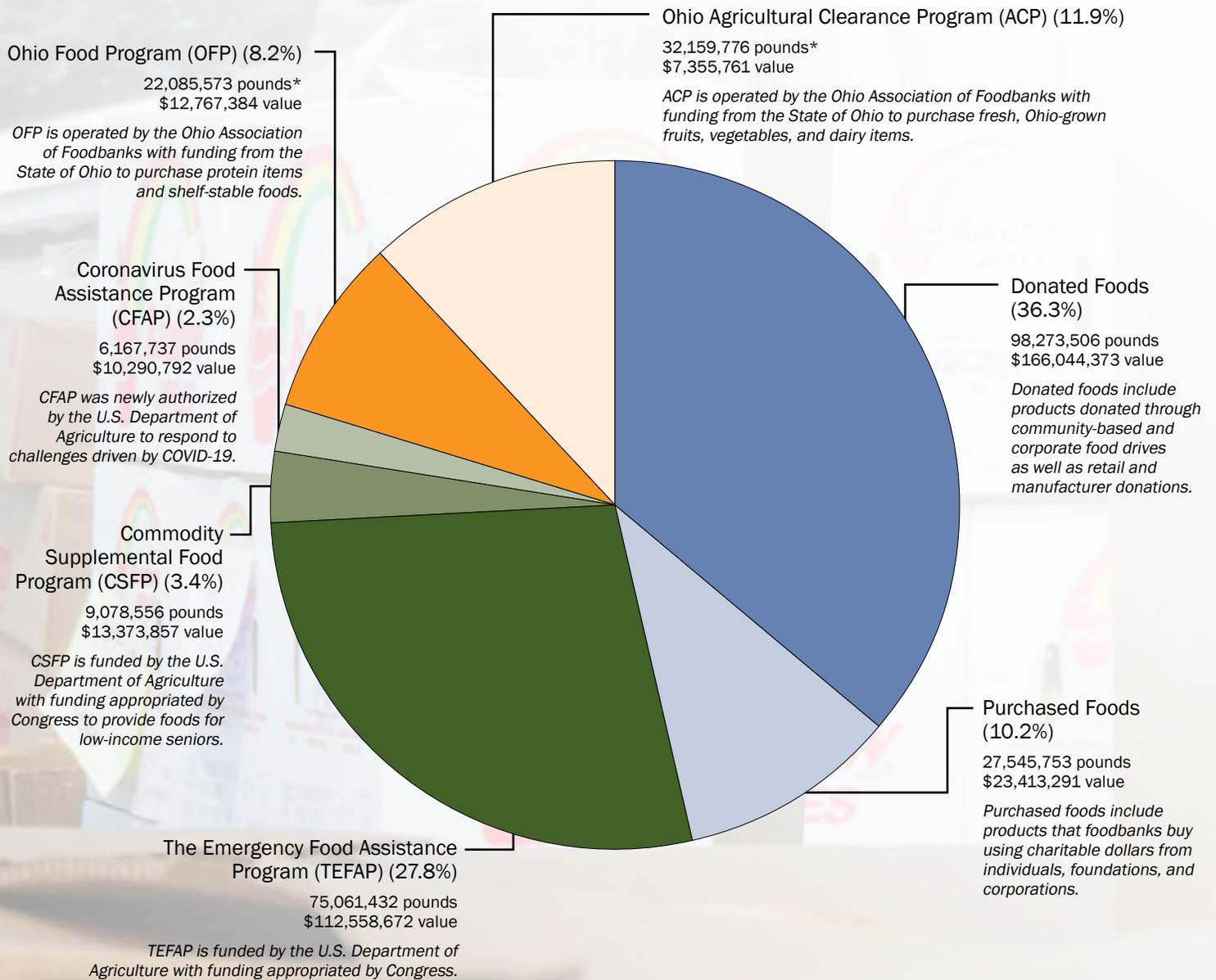
145 member agencies serving 11
counties

10,514,758 pounds of food distributed
130,785 households served

30.7% children, 47.7% adults, 21.6%
seniors



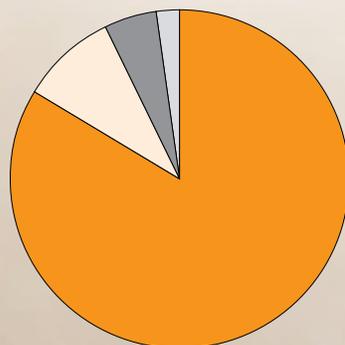
SOURCES OF FOOD



Ohio Food Program and Agricultural Clearance Program

The Ohio Food Program and Agricultural Clearance Program (OFPACP) is generously funded by the State of Ohio. We administer the programs in partnership with the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services. In 2020, OFPACP provided 54.2 million pounds, or 45.2 million meals, of wholesome, nutritious foods to hungry Ohio families.

*totals include purchases funded by Executive Order 2020-13D



- Total Food & Supplies Cost: \$20,465,854**
OFPACP provided more than 20 percent of all of the food distributed statewide by Ohio's 12 Feeding America foodbanks.
- Storage and Distribution Cost: \$2,235,532**
This funding is used by member foodbanks to store and distribute food. It also includes \$214,000 for FreshTrak.
- Administrative Cost: \$1,227,500**
The Ohio Association of Foodbanks procures all OFPACP product and monitors compliance.
- Capacity Building Grants: \$495,638**
The Ohio Association of Foodbanks provided funding for refrigerators, freezers, and other food handling equipment to 148 local food pantries.

OHIO FOOD PROGRAM

SHELF-STABLE FOODS AND PROTEIN ITEMS

Commodity	Lbs	Cost/Lb
Applesauce	602,948	\$0.4778
Baked Beans	560,865	\$0.4412
Beans and Rice	50,592	\$0.5865
Beef Stew	445,600	\$0.6365
Boxed Dinners	452,256	\$1.0273
Broth	60,640	\$0.8074
Canned Ham	163,436	\$1.7597
Canned Pasta	1,136,957	\$0.5054
Carrots	357,691	\$0.4850
Cereal	463,480	\$1.1851
Cheese	59,680	\$2.1478
Chicken - Fresh	425,120	\$0.6068
Chili	400,704	\$0.5887
Corn	512,051	\$0.4379
Deli Meat	123,828	\$2.1080
Eggs	1,085,387	\$0.3870
Green Beans	569,407	\$0.3831
Ground Beef	771,324	\$2.3473
Ground Turkey	8,640	\$2.4900
Hot Dogs	224,640	\$1.2369
Instant Potatoes	46,100	\$1.2768
Jelly	320,779	\$0.7179
Juice	863,320	\$0.3454
Legumes	108,290	\$0.5696
Macaroni & Cheese	640,938	\$0.5227
Milk - Shelf-Stable	528,600	\$0.4386
Miscellaneous	55,557	\$1.4884
Mixed Vegetables	388,025	\$0.5431
Other Protein	386,069	\$2.1658
Pancake Mix	408,807	\$0.5373
Pancake Syrup	344,080	\$0.5519
Pasta	968,310	\$0.4031
Peaches	219,759	\$0.9044
Peanut Butter	825,640	\$0.9103
Pears	166,158	\$0.9362
Peas	251,473	\$0.3972
Rice	41,040	\$0.3975
Sloppy Joe Sauce	484,704	\$0.4721
Soup	1,567,424	\$0.5354
Spaghetti Sauce	509,603	\$0.3835
Tomatoes	169,490	\$0.4011
Tuna	3,780	\$1.7833
Turkey Sausage	390,704	\$1.2520
TOTAL	18,163,896	\$0.7156

Thank you to our Ohio Food Program vendors and producers!

A Zerega's Sons • Atlantic Foods • Beckman and Gast Co. • Big Daddy Foods • Brinkman Turkey Farms • CIS • Cooper Farms • Farm Fresh • Feeding America • Galot • Giant Eagle • Gibbs-McCormick, Inc. • Global Trading • Good Source • Happy Chicken Farms/Merry Milkmaid • Hillandale Farms • Hirzel Canning Co. and Farms • Ideal Specialties • IRBN Foods • JNS Foods • Keystone Brand Meats, Inc. • LA Foods • Lanning's Foods • MAV • McLane Global • MJ Kellner Foodservice • Queen Bee • R.W. Sauder, Inc. • Second Harvest Foodbank of Middle Tennessee • Sherwood Foods • Simco • The Food Exchange • Transnational Foods • Trimark Food Brand • Value Added Foods • Weaver Brothers, Inc. • Zwanenberg Food Group

We gratefully partnered with the Ohio Emergency Management Agency (EMA) and the Ohio Department of Public Safety to direct an additional \$975,327.33 in emergency food and other emergency funding to maintain supply within foodbank warehouses that were quickly depleted during historically high demand.

Purchases included a variety of dry pastas, canned beans, canned fruits, cereal, and vegetable juice. Additionally, EMA funds allowed The Foodbank, Inc. in Dayton to lease an additional truck to facilitate the safe and efficient handling and distribution of increased perishable commodities.

In partnership with the Governor's Office of Faith-Based and Community Initiatives and the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, we were able to redirect funding from the Governor's Summer Meals Programs (Executive Order 2019-22D) to support additional rapid emergency food purchases for Ohio's foodbanks. We look forward to adapting the Governor's Summer Meals Programs to meet the COVID-19 era in summer 2021 and appreciate the flexibility that the State of Ohio provided to meet immediate emergency food needs in 2020.



The Ohio Food Program is generously funded by the State of Ohio. We administer the program in partnership with the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Ohio's 12 Feeding America foodbanks, and nearly 40 vendors, suppliers, and producers. In 2020, the program provided 18.1 million pounds of food, or 15.1 million meals, at an average cost per pound of just \$0.7156.

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic and its devastating and immediate impact on the food insecurity of Ohio families, Governor Mike DeWine issued Executive Order 2020-13D, which provided \$4.97 million in emergency funding to purchase surplus food commodities as well as food packaging supplies and personal hygiene necessities to promote the safety and wellbeing of low-income Ohioans vulnerable to the virus.

Of that funding, \$417,552 was used to purchase non-food items, including personal care and personal hygiene items like toilet paper, paper towels, deodorant, body wash, shampoo, conditioner, bar soap, hand sanitizer, and toothpaste. Other non-food items included packing supplies such as cardboard boxes and bins and bags for facilitating no-contact food distributions, as well as some Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) including reusable face masks.

Given that Ohioans were ordered to shelter in place and encouraged to limit non-essential outings, most households were in significant need of wholesome, shelf-stable foods as staples during their quarantine periods. Those foods were in high-demand and often difficult for Ohio's foodbanks to secure in adequate quantities. The Executive Order funding was critical in supporting an additional \$2.1 million in shelf-stable food purchases, which directed 2,388,972 pounds of food to Ohio's foodbanks, including items such as canned fruits and vegetables, canned soups, peanut butter and jelly, boxed dinners, juice, cereal, canned and dry pasta, instant potatoes, rice, spaghetti sauce, pancake mix, and canned tuna. Additionally, 402,172 pounds of fresh protein, including eggs, fresh chicken, deli meat, hot dogs, ground beef, ground turkey, and turkey sausage, were secured for less than \$700,000.



OHIO AGRICULTURAL CLEARANCE PROGRAM

FRESH, OHIO-GROWN FRUITS, VEGETABLES, AND DAIRY ITEMS

Commodity	Lbs	Cost/Lb
Apple Cider	187,776	\$0.3503
Apples	1,089,393	\$0.2536
Assorted Vegetables	414,080	\$0.6206
Beans	319,997	\$0.2535
Beets	111,760	\$0.3338
Berries	5,430	\$0.9061
Broccoli	128,152	\$0.5716
Brussels Sprouts	14,000	\$0.6000
Cabbage	2,827,176	\$0.1804
Carrots	1,067,480	\$0.1754
Cauliflower	53,158	\$0.4112
Celery	168,920	\$0.2975
Citrus	740,165	\$0.3029
Corn	2,015,378	\$0.2462
Cucumbers	1,087,122	\$0.2424
Eggplant	284,534	\$0.3214
Fall Squash	522,086	\$0.1721
Greens	348,716	\$0.3688
Herbs	8,925	\$0.5914
Lettuce	268,200	\$0.3008
Melons	4,056,096	\$0.2063
Onions	3,222,850	\$0.1585
Peaches	17,286	\$0.3893
Peppers	1,419,656	\$0.3542
Potatoes	7,303,284	\$0.1324
Radishes	155,314	\$0.5987
Spinach	850	Donated
Sweet Potatoes	1,945,620	\$0.2125
Tomatoes	746,844	\$0.3443
Tree Fruit	488,794	\$0.3842
Turnips	68,940	\$0.3388
Yellow Squash	617,201	\$0.3067
Zucchini	977,295	\$0.3355
TOTAL	32,696,191	\$0.2230

Thank you to our Ohio Agricultural Clearance Program farmers, growers, and producers!

All State Brokerage, Inc. • Baker's Golden Dairy • Borden Dairy Ohio • Branstrator Farm • Brian Butterfield • Brumbaugh Fruit Farm • Buurma Farms • Castellini Company • Cherry Hill Orchard • Clark Fruit & Vegetable Farm • Community Harvest Food Bank of Northeast Indiana • Daisy Brand • Dean Foods • DNO, Inc. • Ed Kluba Farms • Ellett's Farm Products, Inc. • Farmer's Choice • Farmer's Produce Auction • Fruit Growers Marketing Association • Fuhrmann's Orchards • Garver Farm Incorporated • Grams Family Farm Market • Great Lakes • Hall Growers, Inc. • Hidden Hills Orchard • Hillandale Farms • Holthouse Farms • Huffman Fruit Farm • Hurley Farms • Iott Ranch & Orchard • John Witter • Ladd Farms • Legend Hills Orchard • Lucas Brothers Farms • Malone Orchards • Maple Drive Farms • Mark Schmittgen • McMaster Farms • Merry Milkmaid • Miceli Dairy Products Company • Michaels Farms, Inc. • MJ Kellner Food Service • Mouzin Brothers Farms • Oak Tree Farms • Onion Boy, Inc. • Osswald Family Farm LLC • Owl Creek Produce Auction • Produce Packaging, Inc. • Rainsboro Produce • Rex Gees Orchard • Rhoads Farms, Inc. • RS Hanline, Inc. • Scioto Valley Produce Auction • Shenk's Produce • Smith Dairy Products • Toft Dairy, Inc. • Walcher Farms • Walnut Drive Gardens • Wenger's Produce • Wesler Orchard • Wiers Farm, Inc. • Wish Well Farms • Witten Farm, Inc. • Wolfe's Produce

Special thanks to our longtime partners at the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction (ODRC), as well as the Ohio Soybean Council and Ohio Soybean Association, the Ohio AgriBusiness Association, and Crop Production Services, which donated the cost of crop inputs in 2020. Through our partnership, ODRC facilities yielded \$168,395 in proceeds from a soybean cash crop to reinvest in the program.

Thanks to Governor DeWine's Executive Order 2020-13D, we were able to partner with many Ohio-based dairy producers and suppliers for the first time. We purchased 11,730,848 ounces of fresh milk, margarine and butter, cheese sticks and slices, shredded cheese, and cottage cheese. This partnership provided a lifeline to wholesome dairy products for vulnerable Ohioans, in addition to providing some stability to producers negatively impacted by a rapidly changing food distribution system. The funding also allowed us to secure an additional 430,596 pounds of fresh fruits and vegetables, including apples, carrots, cucumbers, greens, melons, onions, peppers, potatoes, yellow squash, zucchini, and pre-packaged boxes of assorted fresh vegetables.

The Ohio Agricultural Clearance Program is generously funded by the State of Ohio. We administer the program in partnership with the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, Ohio's 12 Feeding America foodbanks, and more than 60 Ohio farmers, growers, and producers. In 2020, the program provided 32.7 million pounds of food, or 27.2 million meals, at an average cost per pound of just \$0.2230.



The State of Ohio provided \$500,000 toward capacity building to increase our network's ability to store, handle, and distribute fresh, perishable foods. Through this funding, we were able to provide fresh food capacity building grants to 148 local food pantries in 56 Ohio counties. Those hunger relief organizations purchased 163 refrigerators of various capacity, 93 freezers to extend the shelf-life of fresh protein, and dozen of other tools and resources, such as pallet jacks, insulated blankets, shelving, and more.



NATIONAL SERVICE INITIATIVES

Since 2006, we have operated an AmeriCorps program called ShareCorps. Through ShareCorps, we support the anti-hunger and anti-poverty work of dozens of local and regional organizations throughout Ohio by deploying AmeriCorps VISTA members for summer or year-long terms of service in local communities. AmeriCorps members serve full-time at nonprofits and community-based locations, working to build the capacity of their host site organizations to better fulfill their missions, better meet the needs of vulnerable community members, and better promote the food security, economic security, and overall household health and well-being of Ohioans.

For the more than 30 year-long members serving this year, many of their service goals shifted dramatically when COVID-19 began wreaking immediate havoc on nonprofit and social service agencies and the people they serve. Our extraordinary AmeriCorps team stepped up in some places to respond to all-hands-on-deck calls to action, serving on the front lines and assisting the rapid transition to low-contact emergency food assistance. Many others pivoted quickly into supporting fundraising strategies for meeting demand, programming changes to more effectively and safely serve the most at-risk community members, or long-term volunteer recruitment and training plans for maintaining critical services in the midst of a pandemic. Together, they made remarkable achievements. They secured **\$941,677 in cash donations and in-kind donations valued at \$545,056, for total fundraising impact of nearly \$1.5 million**. Despite significant challenges to volunteer recruitment, they also recruited **2,864 volunteers** who served more than **12,000 hours**. ShareCorps members also trained more than 1,500 staff and volunteers and developed 338 new systems or processes, many related to shifting services to respond in the COVID-19 era. Other members instituted methods and strategies that led to nearly **113,000 referrals for assistance with food** and nutrition services, as well as programs that provided financial literacy services to 3,368 individuals.

The end of the 2019-2020 school year brought statewide, mandatory K-12 school closures, along with record levels of unemployment and loss of income. These factors led to far-reaching household and child food insecurity, especially with the loss of consistent access to free or reduced-price school meals for 850,000 Ohio children. Due to COVID-19 health and safety protocols requiring social distancing, limitations to group sizes, and other public health mitigation strategies, many of the summer meal sites that traditionally partner with us to place AmeriCorps VISTA Summer Associates could not operate in their traditional formats. Instead, they shifted to providing grab-and-go meals, expanding home delivery or community-based pick-up models, and adding supplemental foods to help families struggling to keep healthy food on the table. The 48 remarkable AmeriCorps members who served in our program in summer 2020 took all of these changes in stride. They helped their sites provide an incredible **635,832 meals to food insecure Ohio children**, serving nearly 7,000 children daily. Several members helped to plant, grow, harvest, and/or distribute nearly **20,000 pounds of produce** to families in need. They were a reliable and enthusiastic source of support for summer food providers stretched thin by increasing demand and significant reductions in community volunteers.

We're so proud of and humbled by the contributions of our ShareCorps members, who have now secured more than \$7 million in cash and in-kind donations and recruited more than 44,000 volunteers who have served nearly 360,000 hours since the program's inception in 2006.

"As everyone has been impacted by the pandemic – we are all-hands-on-deck. My team created a series of meetings with local organizations, schools, and churches to create a plan to make sure local kids had access to lunches. We also had to tackle the problem of our seniors not being able to get out and access mainstream grocery stores for their safety. We teamed up with all local senior centers and residences in Sandusky and are providing them access to groceries delivered directly to their doors. This is an ever-changing time, and so flexibility is key."

Kendra Faulkner, Second Harvest Food Bank of North Central Ohio
AmeriCorps VISTA member

"In response to COVID-19, I led the Knox County Local Food Council in creating an online database that lists local grocery store hours (with vulnerable-citizen times denoted), food pantry updates, hot meal information, new emergency food programs, restaurants open for take-out, and farms selling produce, along with contact information for our county hotline. This document is being used by our 2-1-1 hotline, by Knox Public Health in its daily newsletter, and by many leaders and agencies in our county. This has been used in ways I couldn't have expected to make sure people have the food they need!"

Catie Hayes, Community Roots
AmeriCorps VISTA member



"I cannot overstate the increase in capacity we had because of our AmeriCorps VISTA Summer Associates. At the high point of the summer, we were providing daily meals to over 1,800 children, a 225 percent increase over last summer. The members made it possible for us to keep up with the demand. Because of them, we were able to expand partnerships and access additional food resources, a huge help in increasing our ability to address hunger in the greater Youngstown area."

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FRANKLIN COUNTY WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

We have partnered for nearly seven years with the Franklin County Department of Job and Family Services on a Work Experience Program (WEP) to help individuals who are unemployed and meet other criteria to connect with work experience opportunities while maintaining access to Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits.

Our WEP team first conducts thorough assessments with each individual when they apply for SNAP. WEP participants are unemployed, able-bodied adults without dependents, ages 18 to 49. This assessment is an important screening tool for identifying potential barriers to employment, such as undiagnosed physical or mental illness or disability, criminal records, or lack of a high school diploma or GED. Additionally, our assessment specialists work to document past work experience, access to transportation, ability to navigate online job portals, and other relevant demographic information. **Last year, we conducted assessments with 508 Franklin County residents.**

Before COVID-19, these assessments were conducted in-person and were mandatory for any unemployed, able-bodied adult without dependents, or ABAWD, seeking to maintain SNAP benefits. But the pandemic and its impact on the economy led to several changes and adjustments for WEP and for ABAWDs across Ohio. First, while COVID-19 states of emergency remain in place, we are conducting assessments over the phone to protect client and staff safety. Additionally, since the spring, **we have placed 899 calls to current and past participants** to inquire about their situation and provide information about and access to helpful resources. The skyrocketing rates of unemployment in Franklin County and throughout Ohio also mean that ABAWDs will not need to meet stringent federal work participation requirements until at least October 2021.

With that said, our work connecting individuals to vocational education, job certification programs, and job readiness and job skill programs is more important than ever to supporting workers in their transition back to stable employment in what is likely to be a prolonged economic recovery in the aftermath of COVID-19. We're focused on facilitating access to courses and certifications such as **Commercial Driver's License (CDL) training, medical billing and medical assisting certificates, phlebotomy training, and information technology skills and programming languages.** As we enter 2021, our WEP team will continue to work to eliminate barriers to participation in these training and certification pathways, from defraying enrollment fees to connecting individuals with GED programs.

Former client Joe started out by completing mandatory work experience hours at one of our community-based host sites. After volunteering for a year to maintain access to SNAP, but without finding other stable, paid employment, Joe expressed interest in pursuing his CDL. He attended Capital Transportation, his courses paid for by WEP. After passing all of his necessary tests to receive his CDL, Joe is now driving for a living. He shared that he's working as many as 14 to 15 hours a day, six days a week. Joe said this has been a big help in turning things around for him – he now has a good paying job and a new career!

Another former WEP client, Amanuel, is now proudly driving refrigerated products to stores throughout the country. Thanks to WEP covering the cost of his CDL training, he is now working six days a week. Amanuel was sleeping in his car when he first entered WEP, unemployed and seeking help with basic necessities like food. Now, he's sleeping in his rig! Since starting with his company in March, Amanuel has been to all 48 continental states, and shared that his favorites were driving through Idaho and Arizona. Congratulations on your hard work Amanuel.



WEP participant Mary attended the Ohio School of Phlebotomy during this program year – with her tuition fully paid through WEP. After finishing her classes, Mary passed the National Phlebotomy exam this summer. Thanks to her hard work and success in the phlebotomy program, we were able to continue supporting Mary by facilitating her enrollment in the Medcerts Medical Assisting certification program. She hopes to transition to EMT training at Columbus State Community College when she completes her medical assisting courses. We're proud to support you in your career transition, Mary!





COVID-19 EMERGENCY RESPONSE AND THE OHIO NATIONAL GUARD

In the earliest days of COVID-19, Ohio's foodbanks – along with our peers throughout the country – quickly experienced firsthand the impacts the virus and the steps necessary to mitigate its spread had on whole communities and economies. As Governor Mike DeWine, Lt. Governor Jon Husted, Dr. Amy Acton, and public health officials throughout the world began urging people to socially distance to prevent the rapid spread of the coronavirus, foodbanks faced concurrent crises.

Corporate volunteer groups understandably cancelled shifts. Elderly Ohioans who often volunteer reliably at foodbank warehouses, and who often single-handedly operate local faith-based food pantries, sheltered at home to protect themselves from exposure. At the same time, food insecurity rates skyrocketed. **Feeding America estimates that 18.1 percent of all Ohioans – including 27.1 percent of all Ohio children – were food insecure in 2020.** Food insecurity in Ohio did not reach more than 16.9 percent at any time during the Great Recession or its subsequent recovery. But widespread unemployment, loss of income, increased child care costs, and loss of access to other sources of food, including school meals, meant that foodbanks saw visits to our emergency food assistance network nearly double in many hard-hit areas of the state.

At the same time, food pantries and hot meal programs had to shift away from traditional models to operate more safely. Instead of food pantry customers shopping for their preferred foods from refrigerators, freezers, and shelves inside a pantry styled similarly to a grocery store, foodbanks prepared pre-boxed and pre-bagged foods to be handed out at drive-through distributions and parking lot pop-ups. Instead of congregate meals served in dining room style settings, hot meals were prepared, packaged, and handed out to-go. In many cases, foodbanks had to establish new models for home-delivered meals or groceries for individuals quarantining due to COVID-19.

All of those factors led to us seeking out the emergency support of the Ohio National Guard. In truly remarkable fashion, Governor DeWine and Ohio's Adjutant General, Major General John C. Harris, Jr. responded to our call for help swiftly and in force. As we have reflected over the past several months with our foodbanks, we have agreed that **the deployment of Ohio National Guard and Ohio Military Reserve members at our foodbanks was the critical linchpin that has made the rest of our COVID-19 crisis response possible.** At its peak, nearly 500 members from Operation Steady Resolve were on active deployment at our foodbank warehouses. They did the work of replacing, and indeed far surpassing, the labor of the more than 2,200 volunteers that would normally serve in our warehouses weekly. They sorted food, packed emergency food boxes, picked and placed food pantry orders, loaded and unloaded trucks, drove meal delivery routes, orchestrated mass drive-through distributions, and made it possible for us to handle more millions of pounds of food than we had ever needed to before. They helped us develop and improve our logistics for no-contact food distribution, socially distanced warehouse activity, and maintaining the highest standards for sanitization and safety protocols. They helped with our grateful response to surging donations from our communities, and with our critical response to surging need within our communities. They helped us to communicate about ways that Ohioans could access help from our network, and helped us to reduce the stigma of asking for help. They were, and will forever be, part of our foodbank family.

Truly, we would be nowhere without the leadership of Maj. Gen. Harris, the incredible work of the Joint Task Force 37 command, and the inspiring sacrifice of each of the soldiers and airmen and women that responded to the call to serve in support of our mission to keep food on the table for our neighbors and friends. **Words will never be enough – but we humbly extend our most sincere thanks to all of you.**



In gratitude and thanks for the leadership and sacrifice of the members of Joint Task Force 37 who responded to the call to support our humanitarian efforts.

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We want to extend a special heartfelt thank you to Ohio First Lady Fran DeWine, who has gone above and beyond to support hungry Ohio families and children. When we learned that Congress had passed the Families First Coronavirus Response Act, which included authorization for a new program called Pandemic EBT (championed by Ohio Congressional Member Marcia Fudge), we worked with First Lady DeWine to launch a Public Service Announcement to raise awareness about the program. First Lady DeWine has personally rallied and thanked donors on behalf of our foodbanks and used her public platform to share budget-friendly, healthy recipes. Most importantly, she has helped to reduce the stigma that can sometimes unfortunately come with food insecurity, sharing a message of understanding and hope during Hunger Action Month. First Lady DeWine, thank you, on behalf of the millions of Ohioans we serve.



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**Greater Cleveland
Food Bank**



Ashland Ashtabula Cuyahoga Geauga Lake Richland Crawford Erie Huron Lorain

Pounds of Food Distributed, by Source

Donated	194,230	491,856	14,628,917	364,230	1,413,505	938,722	258,261	492,628	529,364	2,489,760
Purchased	111,611	94,402	4,587,148	86,227	378,493	211,307	108,187	234,542	144,833	1,009,898
TEFAP	239,757	703,396	11,426,481	151,623	1,009,399	641,597	241,687	492,270	482,075	2,740,815
CSFP	50,580	0	628,624	0	73,184	92,614	130,449	95,345	80,528	353,010
CFAP	55,580	90,940	1,498,439	28,940	215,160	81,240	26,245	53,935	24,621	338,134
OFF	41,031	120,195	2,307,582	33,170	213,904	122,113	63,471	117,865	113,521	660,223
ACP	154,506	396,582	7,096,784	124,698	445,458	330,922	42,092	110,026	86,705	673,585
Total	847,295	1,897,371	42,173,975	788,888	3,749,103	2,418,515	870,392	1,596,611	1,461,647	8,265,425

Meal Site Statistics

People	9,926	25,046	501,220	427	56,588	9,457	5,030	75,143	18,332	454,792
Meals	16,039	43,846	1,606,212	9,271	71,886	82,302	9,925	79,690	19,317	512,096

Shelter Statistics

People	0	478	64,692	626	2,545	0	0	8,949	0	65,383
Meals	0	5,048	1,341,990	27,706	22,905	0	0	4,586	0	55,706

FOOD PANTRY SERVICE STATISTICS

Households without children

HHs	5,515	18,274	346,239	6,828	35,923	32,436	13,320	22,329	16,321	95,652
Adults	6,023	18,344	291,699	5,959	32,100	31,926	11,044	24,738	18,566	119,130
Seniors	3,982	17,518	285,718	6,433	33,012	22,754	8,284	11,077	11,372	66,804

Households with children

HHs	4,189	9,330	160,855	3,045	18,745	15,504	8,276	15,999	13,827	84,945
Adults	7,382	16,306	297,927	5,275	38,417	29,983	12,878	25,870	27,225	149,607
Seniors	765	4,416	69,208	1,104	6,600	5,954	3,721	6,213	5,808	35,307
Children	8,495	19,641	353,936	6,337	40,146	34,715	15,175	42,723	32,254	182,033

Total household and individual statistics

HHs	9,704	27,604	507,094	9,873	54,668	47,940	21,596	38,328	30,148	180,597
Adults	13,405	34,650	589,626	11,234	70,517	61,909	23,922	50,608	45,791	268,737
Seniors	4,747	21,934	354,926	7,537	39,612	28,708	12,005	17,290	17,180	102,111
Children	8,495	19,641	353,936	6,337	40,146	34,715	15,175	42,723	32,254	182,033
People	26,647	76,225	1,298,488	25,108	150,275	125,332	51,102	110,621	95,225	552,881

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Carroll	Holmes	Medina	Portage	Stark	Summit	Tuscarawas	Wayne	Columbiana	Mahoning	Trumbull
323,651	314,607	457,492	741,792	3,982,097	5,271,798	1,602,682	710,257	697,928	1,493,437	1,068,615
77,183	40,645	173,215	241,460	627,689	1,028,082	166,146	148,354	197,988	351,354	364,783
344,006	255,195	447,183	494,666	2,379,425	3,160,820	1,828,834	472,470	1,094,300	2,456,426	1,370,758
10,025	6,688	19,441	41,605	126,074	164,406	17,037	56,654	14,871	140,244	126,379
12,781	2,675	22,588	20,172	45,339	228,877	9,457	33,145	73,870	147,741	114,164
75,146	225,008	130,455	116,460	802,696	1,294,375	590,207	281,477	400,426	811,506	630,798
55,408	82,763	93,597	148,656	744,873	944,360	652,096	228,867	481,718	1,031,632	790,815
898,200	927,581	1,343,971	1,804,811	8,708,192	12,092,718	4,866,459	1,931,224	2,961,101	6,432,340	4,466,312
130	0	14,317	67,099	348,497	184,418	22,993	41,585	7,447	19,352	153,485
7,389	0	39,083	91,745	336,007	287,084	53,320	98,464	7,805	41,214	170,692
7,740	13,803	15,646	33,456	73,237	121,157	21,539	54,017	0	1,747	1,586
142,485	83,607	51,571	61,081	192,161	821,493	92,963	177,253	0	67,328	71,456
8,069	6,408	12,304	17,618	78,258	105,402	35,547	22,909	28,447	50,313	46,380
8,131	7,141	12,487	17,918	90,721	115,738	42,962	23,995	28,816	45,269	44,955
7,051	5,331	9,753	11,595	54,940	69,885	28,618	13,072	22,364	35,779	38,777
5,453	4,481	9,101	9,664	58,589	71,990	32,322	12,124	17,868	28,798	24,469
10,397	10,115	17,835	18,215	116,792	132,625	70,815	24,008	32,920	39,944	45,809
1,253	1,368	3,485	2,252	20,048	23,978	9,267	2,463	4,499	13,805	6,579
10,880	10,608	20,257	21,568	131,478	160,725	69,950	25,140	36,957	53,845	57,475
13,522	10,889	21,405	27,282	136,847	177,392	67,869	35,033	46,315	79,111	70,849
18,528	17,256	30,322	36,133	207,513	248,363	113,777	48,003	61,736	85,213	90,764
8,304	6,699	13,238	13,847	74,988	93,863	37,885	15,535	26,863	49,584	45,356
10,880	10,608	20,257	21,568	131,478	160,725	69,950	25,140	36,957	53,845	57,475
37,712	34,563	63,817	71,548	413,979	502,951	221,612	88,678	125,556	188,642	193,595

		Belmont	Coshocton	Delaware	Fairfield	Fayette	Franklin	Guernsey	Harrison	Jefferson	
Pounds of Food Distributed, by Source	Donated	1,186,716	257,035	778,963	1,712,426	583,694	15,626,170	368,365	185,441	995,080	
	Purchased	336,633	132,211	330,627	630,343	151,417	6,899,251	189,830	61,295	321,261	
	TEFAP	332,825	132,820	367,368	797,618	171,689	10,090,907	250,487	97,318	706,880	
	CSFP	137,080	107,499	59,566	112,716	78,790	726,503	113,621	76,802	64,364	
	CFAP	2,700	2,000	500	2,547	221	507,890	2,000	0	18,248	
	OFF	74,248	28,503	51,425	139,881	39,168	1,754,766	51,251	19,330	162,347	
	ACP	256,786	120,315	231,515	305,408	106,198	6,176,850	196,931	26,222	192,153	
	Total	2,326,988	780,383	1,819,964	3,700,939	1,131,177	41,782,337	1,172,485	466,408	2,460,333	
Meal Site Statistics	People	8,491	0	9,789	110,855	11,076	793,173	18,787	0	17,838	
	Meals	61,575	0	38,137	136,307	11,411	1,438,531	187,401	0	29,789	
Shelter Statistics	People	881	0	6,924	21,013	3,737	39,725	0	880	1,371	
	Meals	15,344	0	49,992	331,051	37,867	539,233	0	20,080	11,130	
FOOD PANTRY SERVICE STATISTICS	Households without children	HHs	17,287	4,049	13,580	23,016	5,601	291,926	16,371	1,915	19,828
		Adults	15,117	3,750	12,914	22,966	6,306	259,821	14,184	1,919	19,632
		Seniors	15,250	3,881	12,157	16,076	4,408	196,875	14,907	1,406	13,730
	Households with children	HHs	6,495	1,738	9,036	14,164	3,678	302,837	6,100	2,260	9,925
		Adults	12,579	3,833	18,440	28,194	7,680	675,562	12,197	3,132	19,140
		Seniors	1,967	450	2,806	3,866	1,372	102,915	2,122	415	2,881
		Children	11,898	4,059	20,081	31,141	8,305	705,724	10,785	2,977	20,502
	Total household and individual statistics	HHs	23,782	5,787	22,616	37,180	9,279	594,763	22,471	4,175	29,753
		Adults	27,696	7,583	31,354	51,160	13,986	1,035,383	26,381	5,051	38,772
		Seniors	17,217	4,331	14,963	19,942	5,780	299,790	17,029	1,821	16,611
Children		11,898	4,059	20,081	31,141	8,305	705,724	10,785	2,977	20,502	
People		56,811	15,973	66,398	102,243	28,071	2,040,897	54,195	9,849	75,885	

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Knox	Licking	Madison	Marion	Monroe	Morrow	Muskingum	Noble	Pickaway	Ross	Union
713,741	1,793,616	376,007	598,487	146,419	282,663	863,567	108,594	429,411	1,707,041	371,837
207,280	412,844	93,270	321,083	51,692	139,580	246,645	78,056	124,341	533,591	86,176
525,492	861,464	242,805	373,322	107,626	338,702	465,523	146,117	166,466	1,083,347	80,005
30,545	134,374	27,910	91,195	46,023	44,667	153,631	40,147	82,200	57,117	75,322
8,303	39,638	3,436	2,625	3,216	2,064	5,571	0	1,643	18,967	0
136,809	179,338	61,268	64,578	20,214	99,937	149,230	12,519	59,739	265,675	7,359
100,791	735,932	57,306	197,252	68,875	118,235	206,060	36,740	88,000	482,953	48,089
1,722,961	4,157,206	862,002	1,648,542	444,065	1,025,848	2,090,227	422,173	951,800	4,148,691	668,788
24,521	187,063	10,815	32,613	12,755	331	265,496	14,772	53,354	13,270	8,613
30,093	198,587	10,815	47,524	12,755	331	307,424	14,772	58,305	15,817	11,641
6,815	57,417	1,643	13,717	0	0	789	1,331	450	2,767	0
35,833	73,144	11,159	122,957	0	0	15,851	37,143	9,389	192,192	0
12,332	43,256	7,065	10,729	3,028	9,445	13,372	4,613	7,845	41,934	7,156
11,702	39,307	7,846	12,468	2,593	9,579	14,805	3,068	7,071	40,149	2,997
8,344	33,485	5,574	6,972	2,930	8,438	9,223	4,286	7,626	27,988	3,144
7,638	16,014	5,552	5,854	1,338	6,532	7,354	1,333	4,396	41,916	2,138
13,503	31,395	13,131	11,532	2,846	13,703	15,256	2,993	8,846	50,877	4,495
2,749	4,694	1,726	2,024	413	2,571	1,997	341	1,415	9,608	1,057
13,753	33,617	13,705	12,682	2,428	13,653	15,823	2,663	9,559	50,275	4,587
19,970	59,270	12,617	16,583	4,366	15,977	20,726	5,946	12,241	83,850	9,294
25,205	70,702	20,977	24,000	5,439	23,282	30,061	6,061	15,917	91,026	7,492
11,093	38,179	7,300	8,996	3,343	11,009	11,220	4,627	9,041	37,596	4,201
13,753	33,617	13,705	12,682	2,428	13,653	15,823	2,663	9,559	50,275	4,587
50,051	142,498	41,982	45,678	11,210	47,944	57,104	13,351	34,517	178,897	16,280



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Pounds of Food Distributed, by Source	Donated	1,891,092	141,813	523,409	341,299	145,879	72,101	81,924	194,997	216,725	72,361	175,979
	Purchased	62,708	16,390	2,927	14,997	1,440	1,725	2,856	3,512	2,326	5,288	2,672
	TEFAP	1,658,260	128,858	343,235	164,514	173,278	51,548	100,579	357,920	194,282	85,990	205,527
	CSFP	169,080	28,142	34,442	45,041	20,713	27,460	22,890	60,748	38,197	15,007	26,980
	CFAP	198,772	23,580	74,204	28,672	26,460	31,990	22,922	31,616	12,936	1,600	36,990
	OFP	628,793	61,637	80,141	59,439	87,195	32,819	28,564	110,342	31,507	17,580	40,540
	ACP	611,055	20,608	31,346	15,115	44,126	1,516	15,576	43,009	82,121	11,768	43,108
	Total	5,219,760	421,028	1,089,704	669,077	499,091	219,159	275,311	802,144	578,094	209,594	531,796

Meal Site Statistics	People	15,244	15,487	906	3,979	0	294	0	1,431	17,222	0	825
	Meals	40,422	15,563	954	3,979	0	406	0	1,925	20,524	0	825

Shelter Statistics	People	13,158	1,467	28	0	0	0	3,080	0	0	486	0
	Meals	77,857	2,267	28	0	0	0	4,520	0	0	13,527	0

FOOD PANTRY SERVICE STATISTICS	Households without children		HHs	27,033	2,892	9,287	5,575	2,076	2,104	12,758	5,686	7,525	3,735	1,709
	Adults	26,834	2,601	9,077	5,263	1,936	1,868	5,314	4,992	15,210	3,872	3,872	1,142	
	Seniors	21,392	2,592	6,318	4,838	1,569	1,810	5,637	4,759	6,069	2,675	2,675	1,384	
	Households with children		HHs	20,118	2,135	5,591	3,894	1,817	1,267	3,199	3,240	5,718	2,581	845
	Adults	34,608	3,667	9,817	7,030	2,920	1,786	5,640	6,386	11,328	5,799	5,799	1,398	
	Seniors	8,402	660	1,259	1,128	525	345	916	945	2,247	668	668	181	
	Children	45,812	5,058	11,090	7,260	4,223	1,955	6,964	7,070	11,009	6,279	6,279	1,678	
	Total household and individual statistics		HHs	47,151	5,027	14,878	9,469	3,893	3,371	15,957	8,926	13,243	6,316	2,554
	Adults	61,442	6,268	18,894	12,293	4,856	3,654	10,854	11,378	26,538	9,671	9,671	2,540	
	Seniors	29,794	3,252	7,577	5,966	2,094	2,155	6,553	5,704	8,316	3,343	3,343	1,565	
	Children	45,812	5,058	11,090	7,260	4,223	1,955	6,964	7,070	11,009	6,279	6,279	1,678	
	People	137,048	14,578	37,561	25,519	11,173	7,764	24,371	24,152	45,863	19,293	19,293	5,783	

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Adams	Brown	Clermont	Clinton	Hamilton	Highland	Pike	Scioto	Butler	Darke	Miami	Preble	Warren
192,602	263,425	589,691	214,937	3,978,452	138,203	110,285	317,717	1,854,989	155,765	513,191	28,210	489,636
177,327	90,983	203,537	60,004	1,776,024	57,586	106,685	391,255	50,752	1,456	14,958	3,016	30,410
730,679	777,999	773,543	146,827	4,821,101	441,324	235,121	742,564	1,987,996	107,536	507,698	104,807	463,350
101,821	42,280	165,137	21,942	329,355	180,891	82,268	172,000	316,439	51,396	78,960	47,599	96,819
24,043	0	8,448	13,950	165,417	0	9,680	0	114,113	18,580	43,945	34,237	3,709
335,436	262,634	220,613	26,654	1,260,264	110,580	77,361	283,096	985,300	54,738	259,919	54,418	222,068
115,323	124,594	242,392	29,597	1,505,713	116,660	74,417	249,974	226,315	4,114	50,202	4,133	9,082
1,677,231	1,561,915	2,203,361	513,911	13,836,326	1,045,244	695,817	2,156,606	5,535,904	393,585	1,468,873	276,420	1,315,074
1,223	13	15,690	649	86,488	2,560	1,752	15,158	10,672	964	384	0	80
6,963	13	22,633	22,705	185,595	23,539	8,621	57,631	243,414	74,234	27,817	0	7,428
1,202	0	12,946	71	17,171	0	0	157	15,553	335	4,281	0	153
1,380	0	17,677	868	123,108	0	0	169	15,628	528	14,007	0	17,366
11,713	10,632	21,293	7,210	74,743	19,728	7,713	28,108	64,554	3,507	18,592	2,424	13,151
10,632	8,509	17,262	7,092	62,448	5,541	6,773	27,450	83,936	5,588	24,040	2,935	15,608
9,053	9,128	15,589	4,758	44,848	5,559	5,224	17,369	46,321	2,734	16,975	1,982	11,024
6,248	5,364	13,059	3,301	64,719	3,600	3,586	18,995	53,288	3,680	14,070	1,925	11,956
12,151	10,103	25,903	8,254	99,641	7,312	5,969	29,061	121,319	40,917	37,116	4,265	25,977
2,056	1,562	4,942	1,082	16,281	1,031	913	3,422	15,112	1,171	5,362	642	4,248
15,123	11,987	23,176	5,405	96,610	7,568	5,871	13,037	140,451	8,572	36,397	5,023	30,384
17,961	15,996	34,352	10,511	139,462	23,328	11,299	47,103	117,842	7,187	32,662	4,349	25,107
22,783	18,612	43,165	15,346	162,089	12,853	12,742	56,511	205,255	46,505	61,156	7,200	41,585
11,109	10,690	20,531	5,840	61,129	6,590	6,137	20,791	61,433	3,905	22,337	2,624	15,272
15,123	11,987	23,176	5,405	96,610	7,568	5,871	14,037	140,451	8,572	36,397	5,023	30,384
49,015	41,289	86,872	26,591	319,828	27,011	24,750	91,339	407,139	58,982	119,890	14,847	87,241



		Champaign	Clark	Logan	Defiance	Fulton	Henry	Lucas	Ottawa	Sandusky	Williams	Wood	
Pounds of Food Distributed, by Source	Donated	1,085,109	5,023,451	1,243,402	555,014	139,881	80,789	1,700,739	164,482	147,923	192,985	327,370	
	Purchased	143,378	893,458	157,143	15,794	14,325	5,418	113,962	8,832	13,766	6,910	16,009	
	TEFAP	410,492	1,625,756	441,821	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	CSFP	67,877	272,487	74,218	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	CFAP	106,144	315,071	119,745	13,029	2,898	2,955	248,158	7,029	17,058	5,690	11,882	
	OFF	104,059	283,937	156,330	212,289	94,557	40,583	1,207,781	41,074	69,852	77,664	241,117	
	ACP	64,944	294,767	45,056	124,700	34,161	20,722	259,389	45,987	59,813	61,930	86,573	
	Total	1,982,003	8,708,927	2,237,715	920,826	285,822	150,467	3,530,029	267,404	308,412	345,179	682,951	
Meal Site Statistics	People	44,783	22,002	22,952	14,219	2,763	0	64,913	321	2,948	0	1,212	
	Meals	76,838	66,632	30,686	14,302	2,696	0	123,448	2,023	5,319	0	11,922	
Shelter Statistics	People	59,660	15,151	5,333	9,386	8,051	947	46,584	2,412	10,751	0	4,368	
	Meals	60,521	80,376	8,673	27,961	31,582	19,557	501,602	15,888	10,757	0	71,607	
FOOD PANTRY SERVICE STATISTICS	Households without children	HHs	12,182	31,425	9,574	8,507	3,564	1,085	68,971	4,004	6,068	5,727	9,988
		Adults	11,234	38,806	8,841	8,926	3,616	1,141	74,878	2,574	6,749	5,513	8,497
		Seniors	10,025	22,905	8,598	6,410	2,462	903	40,329	2,726	4,040	4,589	8,042
	Households with children	HHs	6,984	23,741	5,660	5,473	2,696	835	43,892	2,245	3,871	3,402	5,952
		Adults	13,838	50,507	10,961	12,532	4,935	2,029	71,924	3,530	7,327	7,299	11,626
		Seniors	3,041	8,470	1,946	1,668	878	341	12,821	341	1,738	703	1,725
		Children	15,379	58,462	11,099	11,855	6,303	2,046	98,326	3,910	8,705	7,058	12,593
	Total household and individual statistics	HHs	19,166	55,166	15,234	13,980	6,260	1,920	112,863	6,249	9,939	9,129	15,940
		Adults	25,072	89,313	19,802	21,458	8,551	3,170	146,802	6,104	14,076	12,812	20,123
		Seniors	13,066	31,375	10,544	18,265	8,765	2,949	53,150	6,636	12,745	11,647	20,635
Children		15,379	58,462	11,099	11,855	6,303	2,046	98,326	3,910	8,705	7,058	12,593	
People		53,517	179,150	41,445	51,578	23,619	8,165	298,278	16,650	35,526	31,517	53,351	
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Athens	Gallia	Hocking	Jackson	Lawrence	Meigs	Morgan	Perry	Vinton	Washington	Greene	Montgomery	Preble
11,695	33,292	92,967	149,423	0	31,393	41,644	30,943	50,498	54,807	785,423	5,805,562	168,930
58,374	2,120	25,970	18,277	0	3,146	13,937	12,502	18,861	31,024	91,525	1,056,934	12,281
482,679	93,880	398,417	296,923	311,795	96,685	96,087	228,945	167,020	154,028	738,314	4,206,540	235,550
204,296	137,227	143,488	212,935	258,719	82,763	66,607	243,986	76,850	180,306	31,632	361,728	0
0	0	0	6,480	100,320	33,920	0	0	64,000	0	70,064	341,352	30,466
142,773	34,667	83,248	118,601	102,906	21,017	43,226	54,692	21,870	43,765	142,443	849,036	37,234
29,814	0	26,530	41,151	1,840	2,608	3,350	10,412	6,083	645	254,863	2,396,864	146,956
1,029,631	301,186	770,620	843,790	775,580	271,532	264,851	581,480	405,182	464,575	2,114,264	15,018,016	631,417
4,062	0	1,408	1,693	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,071	164,817	186
6,682	0	1,408	21,388	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,254	752,688	3,305
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,647	0	7,720	281
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,944	0	22,180	5,751
17,360	3,514	7,204	8,513	7,750	4,899	4,311	5,528	3,740	6,671	19,053	110,357	7,420
17,195	3,418	6,430	7,437	7,406	3,825	3,258	5,447	3,572	6,174	19,144	117,562	7,457
13,148	2,848	5,824	8,228	6,147	4,463	3,731	4,702	3,197	5,487	14,068	69,861	5,398
12,275	1,946	3,764	3,245	3,908	1,388	1,724	2,796	1,670	3,045	12,638	65,857	3,898
26,082	3,677	7,758	5,668	7,359	2,522	3,186	5,054	3,382	5,775	23,033	127,514	8,206
5,775	835	1,467	1,847	1,792	470	850	1,083	726	966	6,108	23,823	971
27,046	3,758	7,884	6,256	7,381	2,602	3,360	5,596	3,624	5,966	26,527	144,690	8,527
29,635	5,460	10,968	11,758	11,658	6,287	6,035	8,324	5,410	9,716	31,691	176,214	11,318
43,277	7,095	14,188	13,105	14,765	6,347	6,444	10,501	6,954	11,949	42,177	245,076	15,663
18,923	3,683	7,291	10,075	7,939	4,933	4,581	5,785	3,923	6,453	20,176	93,684	6,369
27,046	3,758	7,884	6,256	7,381	2,602	3,360	5,596	3,624	5,966	26,527	144,690	8,527
89,246	14,536	29,363	29,436	30,085	13,882	14,385	21,882	14,501	24,368	88,880	483,450	30,559





Finally, we pause to acknowledge and thank all of the foodbankers across Ohio for coming to work every day, ready again to do battle against the hunger that would harm our seniors, families, and communities, if not for their steadfast determination.

We know you don't want or need thanks. We know you choose this work every day with compassion in your hearts and commitment to the mission at the center of what you do. We know this isn't just a job for you, whether you drive a truck or a forklift, prepare food or process donations, help connect your neighbors with food assistance or help connect volunteers with meaningful opportunities, talk with reporters about the issues facing your community or talk with clients about the issues facing their family.

But we have to tell you – you inspire us.

March, April, May... those were difficult months. You responded to calls for all hands on deck in your warehouses and pantries and in parking lots at mass drive-through distributions. You watched food dwindling on the shelves, saw the pain in the eyes of too many people in your neighborhoods, and worried. You washed and sanitized, donned your mask and gloves, and came to work each day on the front lines, when the fear we all shared of COVID-19 was fresh and its impact on food insecurity widespread.

Your work isn't over. It's never over. And there are more long, trying days ahead, handing emergency food out in winter weather, feeding seniors that remain isolated, keeping healthy food on the table for growing children without access to in-school meals, and doing it all in ways you never would have imagined or predicted a year ago. But we know, with your leadership and your spirit, it's all possible.

So, thank you, foodbankers. Your diligence and drive have meant more than you could possibly know, to more people than you could possibly imagine.



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