



**STRONGER COMMUNITIES
THROUGH HUNGER RELIEF**
2023 Annual Report



Second
Harvest
Food Bank
Champaign+Clark+Logan

FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



As prices for essentials continue to rise, low-to-moderate income families face tough choices every day. Our food bank believes that nutritious food

should always be accessible, without families having to sacrifice other necessities. In 2023, like many other food banks in the Feeding America network, we experienced increased demand amid dwindling food donations. To combat this, we've strengthened partnerships with donors, supporters, and our 60 partner agencies, including food pantries and kitchens. While we offer direct services like emergency food boxes, OrderAhead, and mobile distributions, our partner agencies have played a pivotal role in identifying and addressing local hunger. We're committed to supporting their efforts by sourcing and distributing fresh, nutritious food precisely where and when it's needed most. Together, through collaborative action and unwavering dedication, we're working to alleviate hunger and build healthier, more resilient communities.

Your partner in hunger relief,

Andy Irick, Executive Director

Second Harvest Food Bank Facts

220,000 people in our service area.

SHFB serves residents in Clark, Champaign, and Logan Counties.

OVER 90% of all support goes directly to programs and services

Hunger in our community, 2023 stats:

26,600 individuals are food insecure in Clark, Champaign, and Logan Counties.

36% of the individuals served had never before utilized the food bank's services.

45% of the individuals served were children or senior citizens.

On average, food insecurity rates in Ohio are 11.5% for adults and 20% for children under the age of 18.



OUR MISSION

To alleviate hunger in Clark, Champaign, and Logan Counties by sourcing and distributing nutritious food to people in need, building community partnerships, and mobilizing the public to support hunger relief.

OUR VISION

We envision a thriving, equitable, food-secure community.

RESOURCES



USDA, Retail Stores, Farmers, Wholesalers & More



Monetary Donations to SHFB



Volunteer Groups & Community Partners



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FEED

60 Partner Agencies Across 3 Counties

STRENGTHEN

Outreach & Benefits Assistance

LEAD

Mobilize the Community in the Fight Against Hunger

OUTCOMES



FROM OUR BOARD PRESIDENT



On behalf of all the neighbors we serve, Second Harvest Food Bank Board of Directors extend our heartfelt gratitude to each of you who continues to stand with us in our mission to combat food insecurity in Clark, Champaign, and Logan Counties. Despite the challenges posed by rising food

costs and supply chain disruptions, we remain steadfast in our commitment to serving those in need. In fact, we are witnessing a growing number of individuals and families turning to us for assistance, emphasizing the critical role Second Harvest plays in addressing hunger in our tri-county area. Your support empowers us to confront these challenges head-on as we adapt and respond to the evolving needs of our neighbors.

As we embark on another year of service, let us remain united in our commitment to creating a future where access to nutritious food is a fundamental right for all. Thank you for being part of this vital journey.

With gratitude,

Patrick Field, Board of Directors President

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2023 SERVICE IMPACT

60,786

unduplicated individuals served

A 32% increase over 2022 and a 36% increase over 2021.

60 partner agencies across Clark
Champaign & Logan Counties

Making a difference in our community:

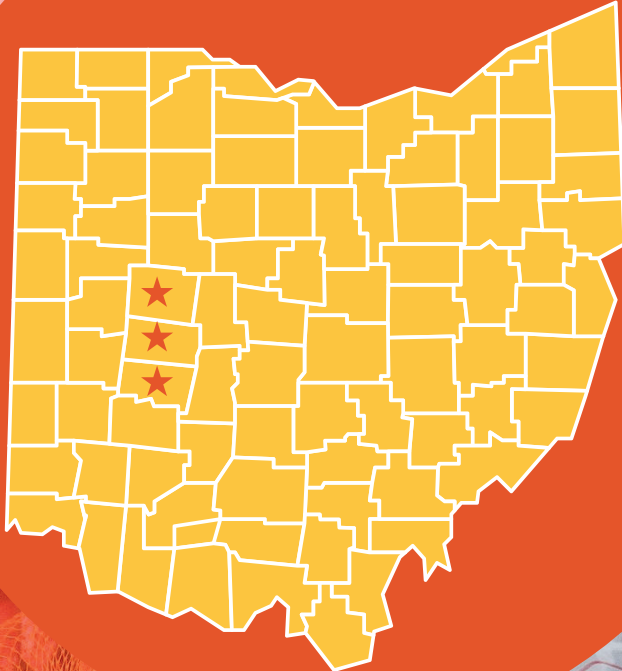
4,976,552 meals provided

5,971,863 pounds of food distributed

9,781 volunteer hours **987** volunteers

In 2023, SHFB shared 433,398 pounds of food with neighboring Ohio food banks.

Our Service Area



HOW OUR OPERATIONS WORK

“The food distributions provide us with food when we are in between paychecks. Even when money is tight, we can still get groceries.”

- Tamara, Logan County Neighbor

SOURCE

Our sourcing strategy involves partnering with local retailers, wholesalers, and farms for fresh produce and goods. Participation in state and federal programs like TEFAP provides staples, while community food drives and donations supplement our inventory. This collaborative approach enables us to combat food insecurity effectively, offering a diverse and nutritious inventory to our community.

COLLECT

At our 62,000 sq. ft. warehouse, our food collection and storage operations are streamlined and efficient. Upon receiving donations from various sources such as retailers, wholesalers, farms, and community drives, our team and volunteers carefully inspect and sort the items. Perishable goods are promptly refrigerated or frozen to maintain freshness, while non-perishable items are categorized and shelved. Our inventory management system tracks inventory ensuring it is ready for distribution through our numerous programs.

DISTRIBUTE

The food bank employs various distribution methods to ensure widespread access to food. Partner agencies receive supplies, while mobile distributions reach neighbors in underserved areas. Our OrderAhead program facilitates streamlined ordering and delivery, while onsite distributions offer immediate assistance. Additionally, we provide CSFP boxes to seniors and will even deliver them to seniors who are homebound. These initiatives collectively combat food insecurity, serving diverse needs across our community.

PROGRAMS OVERVIEW

Second Harvest Food Bank operates a range of programs that collectively address hunger and food insecurity in our community. Through relationships with 60 partner agencies and direct service programs, we provide support to those in need. Our services, such as OrderAhead and Community Outreach, offer convenience and assistance beyond food distribution, including SNAP applications and support for households. Mobile Pantry initiatives ensure access to hunger relief in underserved areas. Additionally, programs like the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) and onsite Emergency Food Box distributions provide targeted relief, accommodating varied schedules. Advocacy is also integral, as we raise awareness and empower our community to take action. By offering diverse programs, we address immediate needs while working towards long-term solutions, ensuring our neighbors have the support they need to thrive.

NUMBER OF MEALS PROVIDED IN 2023

Partner Agencies

1,787,779

Mobiles

868,634

On-Site

587,046

CSFP

401,901

Summer Feeding

140,088

Weekend Backpack

33,066

Home Delivery

263,725

Alley Drive Thru

647,439

OrderAhead

41,537

Hotel Drops

23,954

WE LEAD THE FIGHT AGAINST HUNGER



“This is the first time I have had to reach out for support, and it was hard to do, but the people at the pantry were so kind. The support and meal lifted my spirits!”

- Robin, Clark County Neighbor

GIVE MONEY

Second Harvest Food Bank would not be able to fulfill our mission without financial support from our community. More than 90% of all revenue and support we receive goes directly to our programs. Powered by our food sourcing efficiencies and the hard work of hundreds of volunteers, we can stretch every dollar donated to fight hunger in our community.

GIVE TIME

Second Harvest Food Bank relies on volunteers to help us fulfill our mission. We welcome all volunteers over the age of 10, and have a variety of volunteer opportunities available for individuals, families, and groups. You can view all available volunteer opportunities and download an application at theshfb.org.

GIVE FOOD

Clean out your cupboard, donate fresh produce from your garden, or purchase and donate non-food items like toiletries and hygiene products. Community members can also host traditional food drives, or a virtual, online food drive through our website.

FUNDRAISING EVENTS



"I'm very grateful to Second Harvest. Those meals meant I was able to start working different jobs, and long story short, now I'm a successful small business owner."

- Tray Huntsman, Champaign County Neighbor

Tray Huntsman, Panelist, 2023 Harvest Breakfast



2023 Dessert Auction



2023 Empty Bowls Champaign County



"Second Harvest has given me a mission-driven purpose that allows me to serve and give back to my community."

- Anonymous, SHFB Volunteer

2023 Empty Bowls Clark County



Ridgewood School Volunteers

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT



Walmart Retail Partner

Volunteers, retail partners, and corporate sponsors are indispensable to Second Harvest Food Bank, forming a vital network of support that directly impacts communities in need. Volunteers are the cornerstone, generously dedicating their time and energy to sort, package, and distribute food to those facing hunger. Their



7-Eleven Corporate Volunteers & Donors

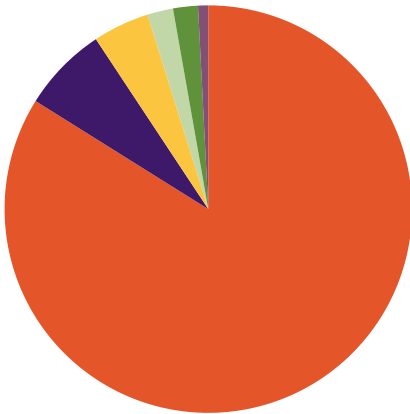
unwavering dedication not only boosts our operational capacity but also embodies our community's compassion and solidarity, catalyzing grassroots change. Moreover, our retail partners serve as essential allies in our battle against food insecurity. Through strategic collaborations with grocery stores, food manufacturers, and community gardens, we rescue surplus food that would otherwise go to waste and redirect it to individuals and families struggling to put meals on their tables. These collaborations address hunger and also promote sustainability by reducing food waste, showcasing the significant impact achievable through collective action. Equally significant are our corporate donors, whose steadfast support empowers us to extend our reach and influence. Through financial contributions, in-kind donations, and employee engagement initiatives, these supporters enable us to enhance our operations, innovate our programs, and implement sustainable solutions to hunger.

FUNDING SOURCES

In fiscal year 2023, Second Harvest Food Bank had total public support and revenue of \$16,456,764 and operating expenses of \$17,017,920. Approximately 90% of all support we receive — including financial donations, other revenue, and donated food — goes directly towards helping feed food insecure neighbors in Clark, Champaign, and Logan Counties. For a full financial report, go to www.theshfb.org.

Revenue

Total: \$16,456,764



\$13,807,073

Donated Food

\$1,119,106

Individual Contributions

\$737,602

Government Support

\$335,798

Grants

\$324,417

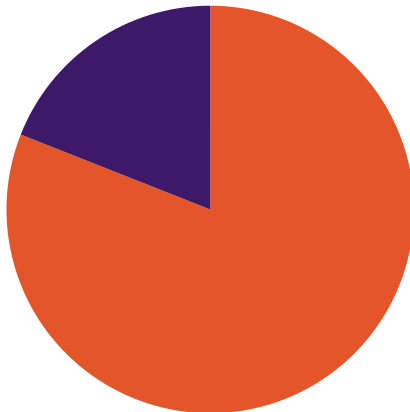
Other Income

\$132,786

Fundraising Events

Expenses

Total: \$17,017,920



\$13,783,519

Program Services

\$3,234,401

Programs, Facilities, & Administration





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