Programs That Matter

Together We Can Solve Hunger in Northern Illinois
VISION

For no one to be hungry in northern Illinois.

MISSION

To lead the northern Illinois community in solving hunger by providing nutritious meals to those in need through innovative programs and partnerships.

CORE VALUES

Teamwork – collaboration, communication, friendly
Respect – compassion, dignity, gratitude
Integrity – honest, trustworthy, prudent
Safety – food, operations, quality
Innovation – vision, creativity, common sense
Excellence – service, people, results
Dear Food Bank Friends,

As we look back at Fiscal Year 2013, we have made many advances toward our vision that no one goes hungry in northern Illinois. Through tried-and-true programs and new initiatives, we’ve provided more food to our hungry neighbors than ever before.

Our network of local food pantries and feeding programs is 800 strong and is committed to being a source of help and hope for families in need. Our mobile pantries continue to bring much needed fruit, vegetables, meat and other foods directly to individuals and families living in underserved areas. Last year, our BackPack Program grew by 56 percent, providing nearly 60,000 back packs filled with a weekend’s supply of healthy, kid-friendly food to children who would otherwise face hungry days between Friday’s school bell and Monday’s first class.

As we approached 2013, the anniversary of our 30th year of feeding our hungry neighbors, we recognized that we cannot rely on what has worked in the past. We need to continue to explore new ways to serve our hungry neighbors in this changing world. And so this fiscal year, we collaborated on our second school-based pantry – this one in DeKalb, where 50 percent of the kids in the school district qualify for free or reduced school lunches – to help busy parents easily access needed food by locating the pantry in a place they frequent. We opened a Bulk Processing Room that allows us to take in more donated high-quality foods our hungry neighbors are requesting – cereal, pasta, rice – and provides fresh opportunities for volunteers at our West Suburban Center.

We forged a new partnership to bring fresh milk to hungry families. We cultivated relationships with local farmers to provide more produce to our neighbors in need. We expanded our Retail Recovery Program to partner food pantries with local retailers to give new life to nourishing food destined for a landfill. We hosted 300 community meetings at our West Suburban Center, introducing thousands of people to our mission and the need for food assistance in our community.

Our programs are working. The number of meals we distributed this fiscal year grew by 27 percent to a record 42 million.

And, our programs are more important than ever. According to a recent Brookings Institute report*, more people are living in or near poverty in the suburbs – 99 percent more than a decade ago. In fact, there are more poor people living in the suburbs than in Chicago.

We are grateful to you, our donors, for your support as we confront the growing need. With solid programs, strong community partners and loyal donors, together we can solve hunger in our community.

Sincerely,

Pete Schaefer
President and CEO

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In our new “Clean Room,” volunteers scoop granola and other bulk donations into bags, creating portions appropriate for individual or family use. This technological advancement allows the food bank to more efficiently provide the items most requested by our hungry neighbors.
Thanks to space and new equipment in our now two-year-old West Suburban Center in Geneva, we were able to provide more than 250,000 pounds of quality cereal, pasta and rice to our pantries and feeding programs this year. These are nourishing food donations that we would have had no choice but to pass up before our Bulk Processing or “Clean Room” was equipped in October 2012, thanks to a generous donation from The Grainger Foundation.

Today, volunteers don hairnets, gloves and lab coats to enter the temperature and air-quality controlled room where 800-pound totes of loose granola, corn flakes, whole wheat pasta and rice are turned into one- to two-pound bags for individual or family consumption. These are some of the most requested items on our shopping list.

The donations may come to the food bank because of overruns or due to a nearing use-by date. Many times the bulk product is merely a component of the final product, for example, granola to be packaged with other cereal.

Of course, even with our new space, we wouldn’t be able to accept these donations without our dedicated volunteers. Last year, more than 14,000 different individuals donated in total 105,000 hours of their time to help us with packing food, performing office tasks, providing specialized expertise and sitting on special event committees.

Their assistance in our bulk processing room has allowed us to provide more quality foods to our hungry neighbors. With continued donations, Bulk Room processing provides the food bank the possibility of savings through fewer purchases of cereal and grains, and a great opportunity to feed more hungry neighbors.
Every day, retailers across northern Illinois restock shelves. Off come this morning’s bakery items to make room for the latest batch, bananas turning yellow, deli items and meat reaching the sell-by date. Thanks to our Retail Recovery Program, this still perfectly nutritious food finds a new home with our hungry neighbors.

While our food bank trucks have historically made twice weekly stops at more than 100 stores to collect and directly deliver these perishables to our partner feeding programs, there was an opportunity to do more. To increase the amount of quality food provided to our neighbors in need while helping our retail partners decrease store waste, this year the food bank established the Direct Connect Program. This program links our food pantries with local retailers so that on days when the food bank’s drivers are not scheduled to pick-up from the store, the food pantry does.

The result is more nutritious food for our hungry neighbors and less waste for our generous donors, as food is picked up when it’s still useful and often ends up on a hungry family’s table that same day. Making the connection between our food pantries and retailers also allows more food to reach people who need it without adding to the food bank’s transportation expenses.

“This program has been so great for our clients,” said Cate Williams, Crystal Lake Food Pantry president. “They receive food they may never buy, receive enough for the whole family and they are learning how to eat and use fresh produce.”

Food donations through the Retail Recovery and Direct Connect programs allowed us to provide 16.4 million meals across our service area.
Through Direct Connect, a food bank program that matches local retailers with a partner food pantry, our hungry neighbors now have access to more fresh produce and other perishables.
While milk is the top food source for calcium, Vitamin D, potassium, and six other essential nutrients that promote strong bones and teeth, the cost is often a barrier for our neighbors in need. Through the generosity of donors, we established a new Milk Program in FY13, providing 22,327 gallons of fresh milk to hungry neighbors.
While milk is a familiar item in many households, used in the morning coffee, mixed into mac and cheese for lunch, or poured at the nightly dinner table, for our hungry neighbors, this nutrient-rich beverage is a true luxury.

As one neighbor told us, “I can always get cereal at my local pantry, but I don’t often have milk for it.”

Cost is a barrier for both our hungry neighbors, and for the pantries that would like to provide milk to them. And, donations of milk are hard to come by because it’s heavily regulated and its shelf life is short.

Recognizing these challenges and the nutrition milk provides, we forged a partnership with Muller-Pinehurst Dairy, part of Prairie Farms Dairy, to obtain fresh gallons of 1 percent milk at a reduced price for our pantries. In addition to providing a stable price point, the food bank subsidizes a portion of the cost to make milk even more affordable for our partners. The generous support of donors including The Christopher Family Foundation, The Community Foundation of Northern Illinois and Gibbs-McCormick make the subsidy possible. Funding from the National Dairy Council provided three food pantries with refrigerators, enabling them to join the program.

The milk is delivered fresh from the dairy directly to participating pantries each week, so it is as fresh, or fresher, than what would be found in the store.

The initiative started as a pilot program in October 2012 with a grant from Forward DuPage and by the end of the fiscal year included 11 pantries distributing, in total, more than 5,000 gallons per month.

In FY13, 22,327 gallons of milk were provided through the program.
One in five kids in northern Illinois is at risk of hunger. It’s a rate that is consistent across our service area, from the state’s wealthiest counties to our rural communities.

We are committed to helping every child get the nutrition they need to grow and learn so they become all that they can be. A key strategy is making it easy for kids to obtain the food they need to thrive. From the Summer Meal Program to our afterschool feeding partners, from our BackPack Program to the opening of food pantries in schools so that busy moms and dads can conveniently access the food their families need, Northern Illinois Food Bank is addressing child hunger in our communities.

We recognize that many of our families are less aware of the nutritional value of the foods they eat, so we’re using school-based pantries to educate our neighbors on food options and ways of preparing less familiar foods. Northern Illinois University dietetic students and the Illinois Extension Office have partnered with us to provide recipes and samplings of meals made with items from the pantry. Nutrition information is highlighted on food pantry shelves. School menus are reviewed, and pantry shelves are stocked with items like whole grain pasta and brown rice to encourage families to try foods their children are being introduced to at school.

Through our Child Nutrition programs, we provided 1.9 million meals last year, and most importantly, provided thousands of kids with the nutrition that allows them to focus, play and thrive.
Children are one of the most vulnerable populations when it comes to being hungry. Through tried-and-true afterschool, Summer Meal, and Backpack Programs, and new initiatives, such as school-based pantries, Northern Illinois Food Bank is helping make it easy for students and their parents to access nutritious food in their time of need.
Circle of Hope - Corporate, Foundation and Community Supporters

The Circle of Hope is a group of dedicated organizations committed annually to providing the financial leadership needed to feed our hungry neighbors. Members from FY13 (July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013) are recognized below.

Nourisher $100,000+

Anonymous (1)
Bank of America
Dominick’s
Jewel-Osco
Walmart

Harvester $50,000 - $99,999

Anonymous (3)
The Christopher Family Foundation
MillerCoors

Gatherer $25,000 - $49,999
Abbott and Abbott Fund
The J. R. Albert Foundation
Helen Brach Foundation
Cadence Health
Cardinal Health Foundation
Community Foundation of Northern Illinois
Community Memorial Foundation
Feeding America, Thanks to Archer Daniels Midland Company
Feeding America, Thanks to Costco
Feeding America, Thanks to Hilton Corporation
Feeding America, Thanks to Hormel Foods Corporation
Kane County Riverboat Fund
Russell & Josephine Kott Memorial Charitable Trust
Local Independent Charities of America
MetLife Foundation
City of Naperville
Navistar, Inc.
Nico Gas
Oberweiler Foundation
Omron Foundation, Inc.
Rockford Orthopedic Associates
Sodexo Foundation, Inc.
Tate & Lyle Americas, LLC
Topper Family Foundation
WGNI Radio Neediest Kids Fund, a McCormick Foundation Fund
Woodward, Inc.

Grower $10,000 - $24,999
Accurate Color & Compounding, Inc.
ACT, Inc.
Fred and Jean Allegretti Foundation
Aflatoxin Giving Campaign
AthleteCo
Aunet
The Alfred Bersted Foundation
The Grace A. Bersted Foundation
Best in Paradise
Blowitz-Ridgeway Foundation
BMO Harris Bank
Boeing Company - Employees Community Fund
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Buchanan Family Foundation
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Cargill Incorporated
Caterpillar Foundation
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Church of the Holy Spirit
Church World Service
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Town of Elgin Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
Exelon Corporation
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Feeding America, Thanks to Conagra
Feeding America, Thanks to Darden Restaurants
Feeding America, Thanks to Kraft Foods
Feeding America, Thanks to National Dairy Council
Feeding America, Thanks to The Pampered Chef
Feeding America, Thanks to Unilever
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The Kara Foundation
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Kraft Foods Group Foundation
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### Harvested

$10,000-$24,999

Anonymous (2)

Duncan Alexander

Dorn Marketing

Elizabeth English

Kay and Earl Harbaugh

Simon Harrison and Rebecca Gables

Mark and Maureen Miller

Patricia Novosel

Howard Simpson

Robert and Lilian Stuart

### Gathered

$5,000-9,999

Anonymous (4)

Jane Abel

Francesco and Jeanne Bertaud

Kent and Sybil Bickford

Chad and Sheri Brizzee

Thomas Brown

Robert Carone and Catherine Cotter

Court and Kirstin Carruthers

Stephen and Carolyn Chase

Andrea Cherubini

Doris Christopher

Michael Cohen, Benjamin Cohen, JP Morgan Securities Chicago

Patrick Cott and Christy O’Brien

Tom Degler

Timothy Drexler and Terri Williams

Doug Eckrote

David and Cindy Fittman

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- Nick and Kimberly Calamos
- Steven and Shirley Dehmlow

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  - Mark and Maureen Miller
  - Patricia Novosel
  - Howard Simpson
  - Robert and Lilian Stuart

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  - Doris Christopher
  - Michael Cohen, Benjamin Cohen, JP Morgan Securities Chicago
  - Patrick Cott and Christy O’Brien
  - Tom Degler
  - Timothy Drexler and Terri Williams
  - Doug Eckrote
  - David and Cindy Fittman
30,500 HOLIDAY MEAL BOXES

were provided to hungry families

Planter

$1,000-2,999

Anonymous (25)
Dena Abdallah
Brian Abry
Clark Adams and Madeline McAlie
Joan Alders
Sylwia and John Aldrin
Karim Ali
Pete and Sarma Afe
Larry and Cindy Allen
John and Louise Allen
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Geneva Public Library
GGL - Great Guys, Inc.
Gibby’s Wine Den, Inc.
Doug Giblett
Gibson’s Bar and Steakhouse
Rick Gieser
Girl Scout Troop 4575
GlazoSmithKline
Glen Prairie Local Flavor
Glory Foods
Roger and Debra Godskesen
Golf Club of Illinois
Goodman Theatre
Goodtime Music
Graham Packaging
Graham’s Fine Chocolates & Ice Cream
Grant Thornton
Graphic Packaging
Graybar Naperville
Gray’s Food, Inc.
Greek Islands
Lynne Green
Joseph and Claire Greigore
Grimmway Farms
Grippe, Inc.
The Grotto
G. Grum and Sarah Hess
Hallmark Services Corporation
Hampton Farms
Hampton Inn & Suites
Hangry Hanshin Express (JUSA), Inc.
Hanover Insurance
Scott Harbaugh
Hard Rock Café
The Hartford Insurance Company
HC Storm School
Lauren Heatly
Hearty Fresh Produce
Heaven on Seven
Scott Heinzman
Jim Henderson
Robert and Marcia Hendricks
Heritage Wine Cellars
Heuff USA
Joel and Kristen Hoekstra
Hoffer Plastics
Home Run Inn Frozen Foods
Laura Horvath
Howl At The Moon
Tonya Hudbart
Steve Hughes
Human Valley Resource Assoc., Flint Group
Kathy Huml
Illini Power Products Co.
Illinois Food Retailers Association
Inktel Direct
Integrity Distribution
INX International Ink Co.
IPMG
Irish Dairy Board
Amy Isaacsen
Iva @ Valko
Mary James
Jeans and a Cute Top Shop
The Jel Sert Company
Jewel-Osco
Patricia Jimenez
Jimmy John’s
John B. Sanfilippo & Son, Inc.
Johnson & Johnson
Johnson Controls
Jonathan’s Portraits
James and Barbara Josephsen
Karen and Michael Joyce
105,320 VOLUNTEER HOURS

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The equivalent of 50 full-time employees

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610 LOW-INCOME SENIORS

each month received a special food box through the Senior Box Program

JPMorgan Chase
Judge Family Chiropractic Center
K&B Transportation
Pat Kahnberg
Kahler Trucking, Inc.
Kane County Cougars
Kane County Regional Office of Education
Kathryn Rudolph Photography
Kautz Farm
Jasmine Kendall
Jen and Mary Kennedy
Khanh Kotty
Juli Kieronski
Virginia Kindelin
Colleen Kissner
Robert and Kim Klein
Dave Kienlen
Susan Knifong
J. Koehl and Kathleen Dose-Koehl
Susan Kotsy
Kraft Foods Group
Keith Kraske
Cheryl and Brad Krugler
Susan Kuifore
La Preferida, Inc.
Maureen Ladmer
The Lagunitas Brewing Company
Thomas and Donna Lake
Lake Forest College
Colin Lakin
Learning Express Toys of Geneva
Noel Leatherbury
Kristen Lent
Leonardo Express
Leviton
Leviton Manufacturing Co.
Life/Storage
Light House Family Chiropractic
Littlehouse Inc.
Low’s Home Improvement
Lucky Strike Lanes
Dan and Jessica Lueck
Lundstrom Insurance
Macy’s Oakbrook
Mal & Brett Trettie State Farm
Maria’s / Ventura Foods
Matt Marshall
Mary O’Connor and Co.
Smitha Mathen
Matrix Direct
Noreen McCann
McDonald’s Corporation
Paul McKay
MedFitness
Medline
Richard Meier and Dorothy Martin
Meijer - #182 St. Charles
Meijer - #228 Rolling Meadows
James and Deborah Melton
Menlo Worldwide
Meeta Valley High School
Methods Machine Tools, Inc.
Michael Meyer
Mill Creek Golf Club
Misionero Energy Company
Miss Dottie’s Pound Cake
Taryn Mitchell
Moet Hennessy, USA
Molex, Inc.
Mon Ami Gabi
Monster Energy Company
Mooney Farms/Bella Sun Luci
Mike Morgan
Muller-Pinehurst Dairy
NAT Hoffman
Nalco - An Ecolab Company
Robin Napolitano
Nasoya
Nature Ridge Elementary School
Navistar Capital
NEC Display
Nestle USA
Graig Neville and Lisa Ho
Randy and Kelly Nickisch
Nnon’s Foods, LLC
Noodles & Company
North American Breweries
Northwest Human Resource Council
Nosh
Oberweis Dairy
Heather O’Farrell
Angela Olsson
Omnion Electronics
John Onak
William and Cheryl Ondratschek
Optum Health
Ogil Group
Pam Otto
Pabst Brewing Company
Bernie Pallardy
The Pampered Chef
Panera Bread (Chicago Bread, LLC)
Papa Charlie’s Inc.
Papanicolas Coffee
Paramount Theatre
Roger Paraizade
Alex Paschal
Harika Patel
Karen and Ken Patterson
Peapod
Pearson’s Foods
Dawn Pengel
Performance Spine & Sport
Jen Pfeffer
Pheasant Run
Pingree Grove & Countryside Fire Protection District
Planet Health Chiropractic
Margaret Plumley
PNH Treasury
Richard Pokorny
Popchips
The Popcorn Factory
Pottawatomie Golf Course
Power Wellness
Prairie Farms Dairy, Inc.
Prairie State Legal Services
Prinova USA
Professional Business Consultants
Pushing the Envelope Farm
Q Center
Quad County Urban League
Donna Quan
Siraj Rajaram
Ranchview Home & School
Randall Manufacturing
Ryan Rasmussen
Red Cross
Reel Club
Regency Beauty Institute
James and Melissa Riani
Rivers Casino
Randy Roberson
Kevin Roche
Rockford Ice Hogs
Rockford Park District
Rockford Symphony Orchestra
Roselle School of Music
Kathleen Ross and George Ferguson
The Royal Country Clubs
Royalty Lifestyle & Limosines
Rutherford Wine Company
Ryder Transportation
Sales USA, Inc. (Pompei)
Eunice Saltz
K. Sample
Lisa Sauvageau
Ed and Debra Schack
Bian and Sandra Schlegel
Schulte Family Chiropractic
Seco Bay Sales
Sears Holdings Corporation
Seasons 52
Seneca Foods
Serenity Packaging Corporation
Sergio’s Cantina
Sheed Aquarium
Shirin Sai Baba Santha
SHOPCJM.COM
Aneet Shourie
Siemens - West Chicago
Six Flags Great America & Hurricane Harbor
Skin Deep Facials, Inc.
Sleep Innovations
Tim Slepchin
Frank Slepicka
Smitty’s on the Corner
Snyder’s
Sodexo, Inc.
Mark and Lindsey Spencer
Space World
Spraying Systems Co.
Sprint
St. Andrew United
Methodist Church
St. Charles Chamber of Commerce
St. Charles Congregational United Church of Christ
St. Charles East High School
St. Charles North Boys Volleyball
St. Charles North High School
St. Charles Park District
St. Charles Premrose Clovers
St. Patrick Catholic School
St. Patrick Catholic School
St. Peter Church
St. Peter School
St. Peter’s Food Pantry
Stades Farm Market
Stageworks
State Street Jewelers
Stephan Company
Stericycle
Stemburg Lighting
Stewart-Keator-Kessberger & Lederer, Inc.
Stockholm’s Vardshus, Inc.
Stoller Wholesale Wine & Spirits, Inc.
Straw Flower Shop
Studio Movie Grill
Bonnie Studt
The Sugar Path
SunCoke Energy
George Sundell and A. Wendy Casebeer
Sundia
Superior Nut & Candy
Jim Svetala
Michael Swaney
Swift
Erin and Rodger Sykes
Duncan Sylvester
Target
Kate Tassone
Tamara Tavassoli
Taylor Farms
TCF Bank
Jason and Mary Ellen Tercall
Thompson Middle School Student Council

The Towers at Four Lakes
Trinchero Family Estate
Trinity Lutheran Daycare
Trizetto
Sally Turk
Roy Turnbaugh
Two Men and a Truck
Union Pacific Railroad
United Heartland
US Foods
US Navy Recruit Training Command
USC
V & V Supremo Foods, Inc.
Valley Human Resource Association
Carla Van Bockel
Vaxcel International
Veolia Environmental Services
Vintage Wines / Wineshop
Vita Coco - Coco Cafe
Linda Viché
Gary and Krista Vottolina
VWR International
Walgreens
Wal-Mart DC
Dan and Cathy Walter
Wasco Elementary School
Wayne Area Conservancy Foundation
Gary and Jacqueline Weigand
Matthew Weinberger
WEL Companies
James and Kathleen Welday
Wellness Concepts, LLC
Wells Fargo Advisors, LLC
Wells Rist
Carol West
West Chicago Middle School
West Suburban Bank
Charlie Westerman
Western Avenue Girl Scouts
WGN-TV
Wheaton Bible Church
Margaret Whipple
Michele Wlckowski
Wild Rose Elementary School
Wildfire
Stephen Will
Ruth Williams
Windy Acres Farm
Windy City BMW
The Winery Exchange
Winnebago County Forest Preserve District
Wirtz Beverage Illinois, LLC
Dennis and Laura Wol Tang
Wonderful Brands
Woodforest Bank

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408 VISITS

New Life Community Center
New Life Church of New Lenox
New Life Bilingual Food Pantry
New Jerusalem Church
New Hope Missionary Baptist
Neighborhood Food Pantry
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NCO Youth & Family Services
N.I.C.A.A. of Freeport
Muslim Society, Inc.
Mt. St. Joseph
Mt. Sinai Baptist Church
Mueller Group, Inc.
N.I.G.A.A. of Freeport
N.I.C.E.
NCO Youth & Family Services
Neighborhood Food Pantry
Mt. St. Joseph
Muslin Society, Inc.
Mutual Ground, Inc.
Neighborhood Food Pantry
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Neighborhood Food Pantry
North Point Church Food Pantry
North Shore Church of Christ
Soups Kitchen
Northwest Community Center
Open Arms Mission
Open Bible Center
Open Doors PADS
Opportunity House - Aiden Place
Opportunity House - Linden
Opportunity House - Manor
Opportunity House - Maple
Opportunity House - Maplewood
Opportunity House - Rich Road
Our Lady of Humility Food Pantry
Our Savior's Lutheran Church
Our Sharing Food Pantry
Outreach Community Center
P.L.A.N.
PADS Crisis Service Safe Haven
PADS, A.M.
Patriot's Gateway
Peace Community Church
Pecatonica United Methodist
Community Food Pantry
People's Resource Center - Westmont
People's Resource Center - Wheaton
Pilgrimage Protestant
Pioneer Center - Curran Group
Pioneer Center - Harvard Group
Pioneer Center - Jackson Group
Pioneer Center - Johnnburg Group
Pioneer Center - Lawdale Group
Pioneer Center - Madison Group
Pioneer Center - Manke Group
Pioneer Center - Marengo Group
Pioneer Center - Ponca Group
Pioneer Center - Schroeder Group
Pioneer Center - Silver Creek
Pioneer Center - Wheeler Group
Plainfield Area Interfaith
Food Pantry
Polo Lifeline
Project Hope
Queen of Peace Retirement Home
R.E.A.C.H. Ministries
Refounders Unanimous
Men's Home
Remedies Renewing Lives
Restoration Christian Church
Ridgewood United
Community Pantry
Rochelle Child Care Center
Rock Chickens
Rock House Kids
Rock River Valley Food Pantry - Broadway
Rock River Valley Food Pantry - Rockton
Rockford MELD & Trinity House
Rockford Rescue Mission
Rope, Inc.
Round Lake Church of God
Safe Passage
St. Anastasia Food Pantry
St. Anastasia Soup Kitchen
St. Bridget's Church
St. Elizabeth's Center Daycare
St. Elizabeth's Center Food Pantry
St. Elizabeth's Center Soup Kitchen
St. James Church Food Pantry
St. John the Baptist Food Pantry
St. John Lutheran Church
St. Joseph's Church Food Pantry - Addison
St. Joseph's Church Food Pantry - Libertyville
St. Lawrence Episcopal Church
Community Meal
St. Patrick Catholic Church
St. Patrick's Food Pantry
St. Paul United Church of Christ
St. Peter Food Pantry
St. Peter's Church Food Pantry
St. Thomas the Apostle
St. Vincent de Paul - Christ the King
St. Vincent de Paul - Santa Maria De Popolo
St. Vincent de Paul - St. Peter's Table for You
St. Vincent de Paul - St. Bede Food Pantry
St. Vincent de Paul - St. Francis
St. Vincent de Paul - St. Joseph's of Downers Grove
St. Vincent de Paul - St. Marcelline
St. Vincent de Paul - St. Mary of Goslyn
St. Vincent de Paul - St. Pius
St. Vincent de Paul - St. Teresa
St. Vincent de Paul - St. Thomas More
St. Vincent de Paul Society of DeKalb
St. Vincent de Paul Society of McHenry
Salem Lutheran Church
Salvation Army - Aurora
Salvation Army - Belvidere
Salvation Army - Carpentersville
Salvation Army - Crystal Lake
Salvation Army - DeKalb Area
Salvation Army - Elgin
Salvation Army - Freeport
Food Pantry
Salvation Army - Freeport
Soup Kitchen
Salvation Army - Joliet
Salvation Army - Kankakee
Salvation Army - Lake County
Salvation Army - Oak Brook
Salvation Army - Rockford
Salvation Army - St. Charles
Salvation Army - Waukegan
Sandwich Board
Second Baptist Blessing Table
Second Baptist Food Pantry
Seeds of Hope Pantry of New Song Church
Senior Home Sharing - Chait Place
Senior Home Sharing - Eagle Street
Senior Home Sharing - Park Place
Senior Home Sharing - Van Buren
Serenity House Counselling Service
Share Program
Shelter Care Jubilee Center
Shelter Care Ministries
Shepherd of the Lakes Lutheran
Shields Township
Shiloh Baptist Church Food Pantry
Shiloh Baptist Church
Soup Kitchen
Silver Lining Club
SMV Sharing Hands - P.A.D.S.
SMV Sharing Hands Food Pantry
Sojourn House
Soul Food Pantry
Soul's Harbor Food Pantry
South Elgin Food Pantry
Spanish Community Center
The Store at Harvest Chapel
Sycamore United Methodist Church Food Pantry
Teen Parent Connection
Temple Jeremiah
BackPack Program
Thriftique-Chicagoland Church
Transitional Living Service
Food Pantry
Transitional Living Service
-Trinity Daycare
### FY2013 Financial Summary

#### Support and revenue

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<tr>
<th>Source of Funding</th>
<th>FY2013</th>
<th>FY2012</th>
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<tr>
<td>Contributions and grants</td>
<td>$ 9,275,682</td>
<td>$ 9,145,219</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fees and grants from government agencies</td>
<td>$ 2,811,270</td>
<td>$ 2,869,378</td>
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<td>Program service fees</td>
<td>$ 4,531,378</td>
<td>$ 4,587,419</td>
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<tr>
<td>Other income</td>
<td>$ 106,048</td>
<td>$ 457,545</td>
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<tr>
<td>Donated goods and services</td>
<td>$ 92,966,947</td>
<td>$ 67,443,965</td>
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<td><strong>Total support and revenue</strong></td>
<td>$ 109,691,325</td>
<td>$ 84,503,526</td>
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#### Expenses

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<tr>
<td>Foodbank operations</td>
<td>$ 102,483,049</td>
<td>$ 79,500,237</td>
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<td>Management and general</td>
<td>$ 789,921</td>
<td>$ 734,094</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fund raising</td>
<td>$ 1,988,861</td>
<td>$ 1,643,604</td>
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<td><strong>Total expenses</strong></td>
<td>$ 105,261,831</td>
<td>$ 81,879,935</td>
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#### Change in net assets

| Change in net assets                  | $ 4,429,494     | $ 2,623,591     |

#### Assets

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<td>Cash and cash equivalents</td>
<td>$ 6,225,071</td>
<td>$ 4,783,808</td>
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<td>Investments</td>
<td>$ 1,625,115</td>
<td>$ 1,541,018</td>
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<td>Accounts and contributions receivable</td>
<td>$ 573,606</td>
<td>$ 838,562</td>
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<tr>
<td>Inventory</td>
<td>$ 9,562,573</td>
<td>$ 5,735,273</td>
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<tr>
<td>Prepaid expenses and other assets</td>
<td>$ 50,683</td>
<td>$ 181,368</td>
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<tr>
<td>Property and equipment, net of depreciation</td>
<td>$ 19,432,375</td>
<td>$ 20,059,259</td>
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<td>Bond issuance costs, net</td>
<td>$ 164,282</td>
<td>$ 123,978</td>
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<td><strong>Total assets</strong></td>
<td>$ 37,633,705</td>
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#### Liabilities

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<td>Accounts and retainage payable</td>
<td>$ 502,774</td>
<td>$ 334,240</td>
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<td>Accrued wages</td>
<td>$ 785,974</td>
<td>$ 547,156</td>
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<td>Other accrued expenses</td>
<td>$ 90,344</td>
<td>$ 182,254</td>
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<td>Due to agencies</td>
<td>$ 165,168</td>
<td>$ 73,242</td>
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<tr>
<td>Bonds payable</td>
<td>$ 9,498,577</td>
<td>$ 9,965,000</td>
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<td><strong>Total liabilities</strong></td>
<td>$ 11,042,837</td>
<td>$ 11,101,892</td>
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#### Net assets

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<td>Unrestricted net assets</td>
<td>$ 23,708,775</td>
<td>$ 18,776,256</td>
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<td>Temporarily restricted net assets</td>
<td>$ 2,882,093</td>
<td>$ 3,385,118</td>
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<td><strong>Total net assets</strong></td>
<td>$ 26,590,868</td>
<td>$ 22,161,374</td>
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<td><strong>Total liabilities and net assets</strong></td>
<td>$ 37,633,705</td>
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#### Source of Food Received

- **77%** Donated
- **12%** Purchased
- **11%** Government Sources

#### Source of Funding (excluding value of donated food)

- **56%** Contributions
- **27%** Program service fees
- **16%** Government funding and grants
- **1%** Other income

#### Operating expenses

- **97%** Food bank operations
- **2%** Fund raising
- **1%** Management and general
BOARD OF DIRECTORS FY 2013

Jeff Burdeaux, Chicago Baking Company
Court Carruthers, W.W. Grainger
Doug Cygan, JEWEL-OSCO
Jeff Flemming, Rockford Architects
Bill Hall, Target Stores
Floyd Hill, UPS
Karen Alvis Joyce, Nielsen
Mike Keane, Central Grocers
Dirk Locascio, US Foods
Juanita Martinez, Wayne Township Food Pantry
James Mattikow, Ferrara Candy Company
Maureen Mitchell, Meijer
Gary Moe, Acosta Sales & Marketing

Jeff Norkiewicz, Dominick’s
Patricia Novosel, Ernst & Young
Jim Oberweis, Oberweis Dairy
Frank Pascoe, University of St. Francis
Michael Peaster, McDonald’s Corporation
Kathleen Ross, Bank of America Merrill Lynch
John Roussel, Reinhart Foodservice
Peter Schaefer, Northern Illinois Food Bank
Greg Schweitzer, The Hillshire Brands Company
Craig Sesemann, Partner’s Warehouse of Illinois
Geneace Williams, Our Living Word Communications
Richard Werhand, CROSSMARK
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