

Cultivate. Nurture. Grow.

1-Year Anniversary Report | May 1, 2022-April 30, 2023

MILLIONS
of Meals Connected
to Neighbors

4,100,485 Pounds of **fresh produce** distributed

↑17.7% from the same period the year prior

Our expanded cooler space with new AiroCide preservation technology has enabled us to order more bulk produce. By enhancing storage time, we can repack bulk items into family-friendly portions for distribution.

704,792 Pounds of food connected at our on-site mobile distribution

“What has surprised me the most about our new location is how many people we serve at our Kingbird food distributions. It continues to be our highest-attended resource month after month.”

Kati Umberger, Youth & Senior Programs Manager

Hometown Fresh

A walk-thru mobile food pantry for underserved communities.

Lincoln Police Department (LPD) Partnership

Food-filled bags distributed by LPD following response calls.

Lincoln Northwest Food Market

Expansion of Child Hunger Programs to Lincoln's newest high school.

Welcome Bags

Grocery items for neighbors visiting the Food Bank outside of distribution hours.

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New Programs
& Partnerships


Food Bank
OF LINCOLN

Increased Community Engagement

7,706 unique **volunteers**

"Our volunteer efforts have exceeded already high expectations with the new place. I'm not surprised it's better... I'm surprised by how much better."

John Mabry, VP of Fundraising & Engagement

2,675 new volunteers

36,077 volunteer **hours**

\$1,050,028.75 estimated

value of volunteer support

20+ meetings and events held in the

Wende Baker Community Room by local organizations

"At the old location, we only had one meeting space and it was also the employee breakroom. Now we have plenty of space ... The Wende Baker Community Room has been a wonderful addition and it is put to good use almost daily."

Jenny Ekeler, VP of Finance & HR

Financial Savings

8% savings on utility costs, even with gas prices inflated to about double over the prior year

\$207,828 in eliminated rent costs

Because space in our previous building was limited, we had to rent additional office space and food storage units. With the expanded facility, these additional spaces are no longer needed.

1-minute walk to the Star Tran bus route. Our previous site was 9 walking minutes from the closest bus line.

55,000 miles traveled by the Food Bank fleet

Improved Accessibility

"Having more docks has allowed for more action to happen faster. With a larger parking lot, all trucks have a place to park. This promotes ease of movement, saves time with less waiting, and allows for a safer pedestrian environment."

James Reilly, Lincoln Fresh Coordinator