

"I have never eaten so well, or such a variety of food, until I started receiving deliveries from Second Chance Foods."

-Community Supported Nutrition Recipient

Thank You
For Making 2023 Impactful!

Over Eight Years of ELEVATING THE HEALTH OF PEOPLE & THE PLANET THROUGH FOOD RESCUE

Second Chance Foods is founded and immediately begins rescuing food.

Program partnerships expand as the need for our unique services becomes clear.

In partnership with CCE Putnam, our Bountiful Meals program was launched in senior centers, expanding access points to distribute healthy meals without barriers. Our staff expanded to six employees, significantly increasing our capacity and impact.

2016

2018-2019

2023



2017

60 lbs of gleaned carrots become the first meal of many to make healthy eating easy!

2020-2022

An innovative year as we responded to the challenges of the global pandemic and its lasting impact for hunger relief.

2024 & BEYOND

This April, we moved into our new Community Food Rescue Hub & Kitchen, allowing us to cook more food, store additional groceries, run programs concurrently, and, most importantly, connect more nourishing food with the community we serve.

Our Ongoing Commitment to Environmental Sustainability

162.6

tons of CO2 avoided due to our food recovery - that's like 36 passenger cars driving for one year!

95%

of the food used in our meals is surplus food and would have been otherwise wasted.

31,060

pounds of food was collected from our food partners and passed on as compost or used to feed animals!

Even this Impact Report is "greener." It uses less paper, is printed on post-consumer paper with sustainable ink, and carbon offset shipping!

VIEW OUR FULL 2023 IMPACT AT WWW.SECONDCHANCEFOODS.ORG/IMPACT

Working towards a **ZER** hunger community



Images: Top Left - Freshly gleaned zucchini and greens from Hilltop Hanover Farm. Bottom Left - We go through a lot of sheet pans and are thankful for the volunteers who help wash them all! Top Right - Volunteer portions out soup. Bottom Right - Nourishing chicken soup with smaller pasta makes healthy eating easy!



34%
More Time
Than in 2022!

300+ volunteers giving 11,427 hours

310,610
Pounds of Fresh Groceries Connected

↑9%
More Than in 2022



15+
Grocers, Growers, & Other Crucial Food Donors



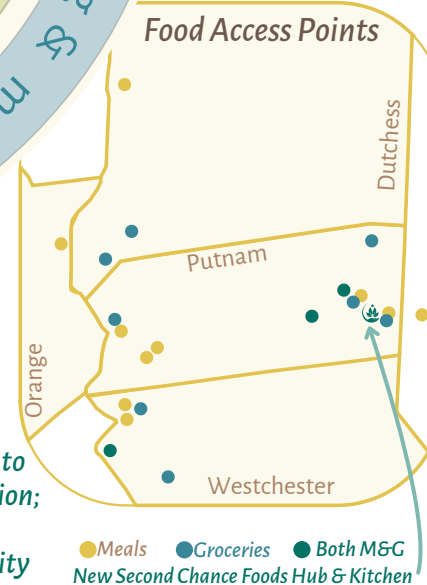
752
Deliveries to Over

19
Hunger Relief Partners at 22 Locations & Nourishing
75,432
Children, Families, Seniors, Veterans, and Neighbors in Need

collecting - cooking - gleaning & more

92,504
Nourishing Meals Cooked

↑37%
More Meals Than in 2022



Thank You For Joining Us in Food Justice!

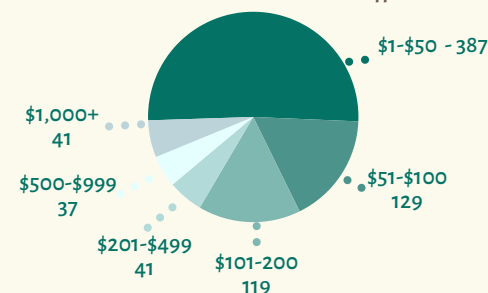
"I want to express my deepest gratitude to everyone who has supported our mission to rescue and redistribute surplus food to those in need. Partnership is at the core of achieving our mission; again this year, we've seen the power of community and look forward to continuing our work towards a thriving community with zero hunger."

Martha Elder

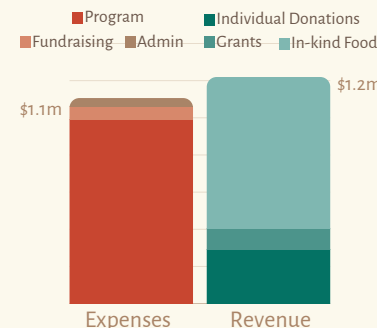
Martha Elder, Executive Director

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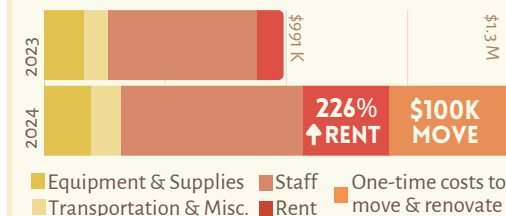
Individual Donors Every Donation Makes a Difference!



2023 Expenses & Revenue



2024 Program Expenses



Increased Expenses = Increased Impact!

- + 15% more fresh groceries
- + 15-20% more nutrient-dense meals
- More access points in community
- Increased efficiency & response

Help us do more in 2024!



5-15-24

Our biggest & most important fundraising day!

Your gift amplified by matches & prizes

Help us meet our goal of raising \$65,000