

### Healthy Food. Every Person. Every Day.

### **Nevada Faces Hunger Crisis**

The Food Bank of Northern Nevada is currently helping a record 153,000 people each month. This number represents more than a 42% increase over our service numbers during the height of the pandemic. Nearly half of those served are children and seniors and the numbers continue to climb.

#### **A Perfect Storm**

- Pandemic TEFAP commodities are ending. The Food Bank will see 3 million less pounds from this program next year with the loss of COVID funding and since trade mitigation support.
- High cost of living in our area is resulting in more food insecure working families.
- Ending of pandemic SNAP supports in spring of 2023 have led to more families and seniors reaching out for food assistance.
- Of those served by the Food Bank, 41% have had to choose between food and housing costs.
- Nearly 30% have had to choose between food and medical costs or prescriptions.

### State investment working for Nevada families. \$2 million invested in 2024

1.7 million lbs. of food distributed

Bread/Cereal-59,640 lbs.

Dairy-428,136

Protein (frozen & shelf stable)-458,287 lbs.

Shelf stable entrees—199,891 lbs.

Fruit & Vegetables (canned & frozen) -184,057 lbs.

Fresh Produce -246.800 lbs.

Grains, Rice & Pasta-134,350 lbs.

#### FOOD PURCHASE DOLLARS HELPING THESE NEVADA COUNTIES

Washoe

902,618 Pounds

Humboldt

15,746 Pounds

Pershing

5,324 Pounds

Churchill

107,357 Pounds

Mineral

41,497 Pounds

Lyon

165,844 Pounds

Carson City

158,257 Pounds

Storey

12,350 Pounds

Douglas

36.840 Pounds

Lander

18,310 Pounds

Eureka

3.805 Pounds

Elko

75,464 Pounds

White Pine

12.711 Pounds



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### Home Feeds Nevada

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**Total Pounds: 1,077,982** 

Pantry sites: 120 (9 Tribal agencies)

Mobile sites: 42 (5 Tribal locations)

CSFP sites: 32

School Pantries: 6

Rural mobile distributions: 29

Participating rural partner agencies: 50

### **Record High Need for Food Services**

The Food Bank of Northern Nevada provides assistance to more than **153,000 people every month,** with nearly half being children and seniors. **This** represents 27.5% increase in need over FY2022.

Families, children and seniors are helped through a network of 155 partner agencies and direct service programs across the region. The Food Bank service area spans more than 90,000 square miles.

### **PRODUCER LIST**

Al Bees

Alanis Family Farm

Brough Ranch Beef

**Custom Gardens** 

First Fruit

Sustainable Farms

Kerr Farms

Model Dairy

Nevada Brining

Pacific Cheese

Pickn & Grin'n Farm

Ponderosa Meat

The Radish Hotel

Sand Hill Dairy

Oney Land & Cattle

Wolf Pack Meats

## PRODUCT MAKEUP

Produce - 56%

Dairy - 23%

Protein – 18%

Self-Stable – 3%