



LETTER from the CEO

WHEN I THINK ABOUT OUR NEIGHBORS IN WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

I think about people from all different backgrounds who come from different places, each with their own stories. They're young, old and from all over the world. They're children, young adults, families and seniors. They're proud, hardworking people who strive to do the best for themselves, the people they care about and their communities. At the end of the day, our neighbors in Westchester are just like you and me.

In this annual report, you'll read that we moved more than 10 million pounds of food, which equates to more than 8 million meals. You'll see that we provided more than 4 million pounds of produce and saved 4.5 million pounds of food from the landfill. But the numbers only tell part of the story.

More importantly you'll read about Alex and Michael, whose mom takes advantage of our Mobile Food Pantry in Port Chester; Leticia, who visits one of our partner pantries in Mount Kisco for fresh dairy and produce; Melania, who supports herself and her sister with good nutritious food she receives from one of our distributions; and Michael, who loves to make juice from the carrots he receives at one of our sites.

We're certainly proud of the numbers we moved last year and are building on that momentum to move even more food this year, but we take even more pride in the fact that we meet people where they are. While everyone has a different background and story, they also have different needs. Because of that, we don't believe in a cookie cutter approach to fighting hunger, evidenced by our BackPack Program, Senior Grocery Program, Mobile Food Pantry distributions and county-wide nutrition classes.

The truth is, there are 200,000 people in Westchester County who face hunger. That includes 60,000 children and 44,000 seniors. No matter who they are or where in the county they live, no one ever wants to be in a position where they need one of our services. More times than not, an unexpected event has happened in their lives where they need us. Our goal is to remove the question about where their next meal will come from, to alleviate one worry from their lives so they can focus on other priorities.

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And that's when the story turns to you. When you support Feeding Westchester, you're helping power our programs and operations. But beyond that you're providing a helping hand to our neighbors in need, neighbors just like the people you'll meet in this annual report. For that, I am forever grateful. Thank you.

With gratitude,

Joshi Dach

Leslie Gordon President and CEO

FEEDING WESTCHESTER

2019 Annual Report Data

(Fiscal Year — July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019)





10.2
MILLION POUNDS



8.5
MILLION MEALS



POUNDS OF PRODUCE

4.4
MILLION POUNDS



RECOVERED FOOD SAVED FROM LANDFILL

4.5
MILLION POUNDS



MOBILE PANTRY & FRESH MARKET POUNDS

3.0
MILLION POUNDS



PARTNER PROGRAMS

300



VOLUNTEERS

11,000



BACKPACKS

65,161



163



VOLUNTEER HOURS

40,000



SENIOR GROCERY BAGS

46,000

WE ARE FEEDING CHILDREN

- **60,000** children are hungry in Westchester
 - **65,161** backpacks full of food from all 5 food groups were distributed to school children throughout the year at 37 different schools
 - **40,000** volunteer hours were given to help pack BackPacks, Senior Grocery bags and other critical work with which volunteers help us





Five-year-old Michael and fouryear-old Alex enjoy fresh fruits from one of our Mobile Food Pantry distributions in Port Chester. On this day, the brothers, accompanied by their mom, took home a bounty of fresh cherries, among other fresh fruits, vegetables and meat.

Michael and Alex's story is one that's all too familiar in Westchester County. Coming from a single-income home, their father works various jobs as a laborer while their mother looks after them. Michael and Alex's family is just a single example of this type of situation.

With Mobile Food Pantry distributions throughout the week in all parts of the county, it's Feeding Westchester's goal to ensure that families just like this one have access to good nutritious food so that they can live their best lives. The bright orange pantries on wheels, which look like trucks, allow us to bring food wherever it's needed, cutting down on travel time for those who need it most.

WE ARE **FEEDING FAMILIES**

- 1 in 5 people in Westchester is hungry
- **10,152,362** pounds of food were distributed across Westchester
- **4,385,553** pounds of fresh produce were "recovered" and shared with those who are hungry
- 119,276 hand-packed bags of produce were distributed to families







Leticia is a part-time worker and Mount Kisco resident

who shares a studio apartment with her friend and friend's child while they both try to get back on their feet. "The community center helps me a lot. The people here treat me well," Leticia said.

She visits the Community Center of Northern Westchester weekly to get nutritious food for the entire household. "I like that I am able to get fresh fruits and vegetables to cook with," she said. "It keeps me healthy." Leticia also likes the variety of meats and dairy that she can access to cook fresh meals and help keep her, her friend and her friend's child full and help them lead a healthy lifestyle.

WE ARE FEEDING SENIORS



Meet Melania, a 68-year-old school bus monitor in Eastchester.

"I am a former teacher and bus driver," she said. "I still work as a school bus monitor since my pension and Social Security don't always cover my expenses." Melania also lives with and cares for her elderly sister who can't get around.

That's why she's been coming to Feeding Westchester's Mobile Food Pantry distribution at Yonkers Community Action Program for the past few years. Melania told us it allows her and her sister to save a little extra money. Staying healthy is important to them, she said: "We love all the fresh fruit, vegetables and meat we're able to access."

Your generous support ensures that seniors like Melania and her sister and other families throughout Westchester can access nutritious food like fresh produce and protein through programs such as our Mobile Food Pantry.

It was hard not to notice Michael at the Mobile Food Pantry at Beulah Church in Mount Vernon.

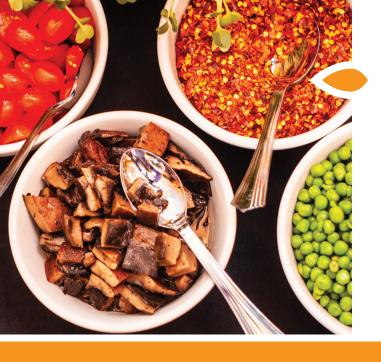
The 58-year-old with an infectious smile and keen sense of humor filled up his box with fresh produce. He shared with us that this was his second time using the Pantry.

When we asked him what he liked most about the food, he chuckled and said, "That it's free!" In all seriousness, Michael said that he was headed home to make some fresh carrot juice. He got an entire bag of carrots! Michael also packed his box with fresh apples, bananas, pears and yogurt, which he said would also end up in his juice.





MELANIA MICHAEL



AN EVENING IN GOOD TASTE

More than 30 of Westchester's best restaurants and beverage purveyors presented premier bites and drinks for more than 500 Feeding Westchester supporters. In addition to world-class cuisine, guests of the county's top tasting event enjoyed a silent auction and prize drawings.



EVENTS ARE FEEDING WESTCHESTER



GOLDEN SCOOP

Nineteen corporate teams competed to pack the most food in an hour. Competitors proved their commitment to fighting hunger and packed more than 34,200 meals! Stop & Shop took home the coveted Golden Scoop Competition Trophy as this year's winner for another year.



SPRING GALA

The historic Tappan Hill Mansion in Tarrytown served as the backdrop for more than 350 guests at our annual spring gala. Guests enjoyed a spectacular dinner prepared by Abigail Kirsch and helped raise critical funds to support our programs and services.



MILES FOR MEALS

Participants of all skill levels laced up their sneakers for our annual 5K Walk and Run. While pounding the pavement on the race course at Pace University, they also raised funds and awareness for the fight against hunger.

WORKING WITH MORE THAN 300 LOCAL PARTNERS

COMMUNITY SCOOP

Fourteen teams made up of families, community groups and sports teams gathered for this second annual food-packing competition on #GivingTuesday. In 45 minutes, teams packed close to 16,000 pounds of sweet potatoes into bags that were later distributed to local soup kitchens and food pantries. GDC Rentals took home the winning trophy.



HUNGER HEROES AWARDS BREAKFAST

More than 200 guests gathered as we celebrated the important work and support of all our donors, volunteers and food donors at our signature awards breakfast.

WAYS TO **GET INVOLVED**





















DONATE

Join Our Sustainer Society

Sustainer Society members show their support with qualified gifts of \$5,000 or more. Members are invited to special events, tours and select volunteer opportunities and receive quarterly updates.

Leave a Lasting Legacy

Consider including Feeding Westchester in your estate plans or contact us if you would like to learn more about leaving a lasting impact on hunger in our area.

Make a Recurring Gift

Support Feeding Westchester with a monthly or quarterly recurring gift.

Celebrate a Milestone or Memory

- Honor a special day with a gift to Feeding Westchester or encourage your guests to donate in lieu of gifts.
- Give in honor of someone special and honor the life or recognize the accomplishments of your loved one.
- Make an impression during the holidays by giving to Feeding Westchester in the name of family, friends and business associates.

Workplace Giving and Matching Gifts

Ask your human resources department if your company participates or check online at FeedingWestchester.org/match. We are happy to help with the paperwork!

Sponsor an Event

Receive recognition through social media, e-blasts, event signs and website presence, and enjoy event tickets and more!

TAKE ACTION

Host a Fundraiser

Ask friends and family to celebrate your next birthday, bar/bat mitzvah, confirmation, anniversary or other milestoneby donating in your name. Or, start a drive just because you feel like it!

Fundraise Your Way

Select Feeding Westchester as the beneficiary of your event, new brand launch, store opening or promotion, and donate a portion of sales.

Volunteer

We need people like you at our distribution center, in our office, at events, at Mobile Food Pantry distributions and on our farms. We have opportunities for corporate, community, school and family groups (including children!) on weekdays, evenings and weekends. Please visit our website for more information and to find a time that works for you.

Team Building Activities

We welcome groups of 10-60 people,
Monday through Friday, to pack food.

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

PUBLIC SUPPORT AND REVENUE	YEAR END 6/30/2018	YEAR END 6/30/2019
Corporate/Foundation/Community/Individual Support	\$3,178,046	\$3,447,553
Direct Mail Contributions	\$495,866	\$523,102
Special Events	\$874,459	\$700,062
Adopt-a-Pantry Program	\$152,189	\$278,870
Other Programs	\$157,007	\$317,512
TOTAL PUBLIC SUPPORT	\$4,857,587 _	\$5,267,099
GOVERNMENT SUPPORT	YEAR END 6/30/2018	YEAR END 6/30/2019
Government Support: New York State	\$1,637,864	\$1,409,940
Westchester County	\$312,766	\$291,940
U.S. Department of Agriculture	\$105,482	\$239,345
Federal Emergency Management Agency	\$30,261	\$30,760
TOTAL GOVERNMENT SUPPORT	\$2,086,373 _	\$1,971,985

	OTHER REVENUE	YEAR END 6/30/2018	YEAR END 6/30/2019
	Food Program	\$9,580,787	\$10,048,452
	Shared Maintenance Fees	\$95,373	\$103,751
L	Investment Income	\$14,946	\$56,602
	TOTAL OTHER REVENUE	\$9,691,106	\$10,208,805
	EXPENSES	YEAR END 6/30/2018	YEAR END 6/30/2019
	Program Expenses	\$13,789,243	\$14,648,010
	Support Expenses	\$842,252	\$1,068,674
	Fundraising Expenses	\$1,221,151	\$1,223,088
	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$15,852,646 _	\$16,939,772
	NET ASSETS	YEAR END 6/30/2018	YEAR END 6/30/2019
	Net Assets, End of Fiscal Year, Including In-Kind Food Donations	\$5,034,946	\$5,652,915

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Alice E. Grady Elementary School | Anne M. Dorner Middle School | Anthony F. Veteran Park | Armory Plaza | Bethany AME Church | Bethel Baptist Church | Bethel Temple of Praise: Church of the United Brethren USA | Bethesda Baptist Church | Beulah SDA Church | Bible Way Church | Blythedale Children's Hospital | Bowen Memorial Baptist Church | Boys & Girls Club of Northern Westchester | Brookside Elementary School | Caritas | Carver Center | Cecil H. Parker Elementary School | Cedar Place Elementary School | Cerebral Palsy of Westchester | The Children's Village | Choice of NY | Church of the Holy Spirit | Church of the Ascension | City of Peekskill Senior Cooking Classes | Claremont Elementary School | Cluster | COGOP Project Hope Food Pantry | Columbus Elementary School | Columbus Magnet Elementary School | Community Center of Northern Westchester | Community Food Pantry at St. Mary's Mohegan Lake | Community Food Pantry of Sleepy Hollow and Tarrytown | Community Service Associates | Congregation Kol Ami | Cottage | Croton-Cortlandt Food Pantry | Dayspring Community Center | Deliverance Temple Church of God of Prophecy | Dobbs Ferry Food Pantry | Dominican American Club | Don Bosco Community Center | Eastchester CAP | Ecumenical | Edward Williams Elementary School | El Centro Hispano | Elmsford Union Free School District | Family Resource Center of Peekskill | Family Ties of Westchester | First Community Baptist Church | First Presbyterian Church of Yorktown | First Reformed Church Food Pantry | First Seventh-Day Adventist Church of White Plains | First United Methodist Church | Flynn Manor | Fox Center Mount Kisco | Franklin Housing Authority In Tarrytown | Fred's Pantry | George Washington Elementary School | Giving Tree Global Inc. | Good Shepherd Church | Grace Baptist Church | Grace House | Grace Plaza | Grace Terrace | Graham School | Greenburgh Central School District | Greenburgh/ Elmsford CAP | Greenburgh-Graham UFSD | Grimes Elementary School | Halfway Houses of Westchester | Hamilton Apartments | Hamilton Elementary School | Harrison Community Services | Hillcrest Elementary School | Hillside Food Outreach | Holmes Elementary School | Hope Community Services | Hope's Door | Hudson River Healthcare | Hudson Valley Community Services | Interfaith Emergency Food Pantry of Pleasantville | Intown Associates | Jan Peek | Jefferson Elementary School | Lakeland Central School District | Larchmont Mamaroneck Hunger Task Force | Lexington Center for Recovery | Life Progressive Services Group | Lifting Up Westchester | Lincoln Towers | Loaves and Fish | Loerh CT/Western Site | Macedonia Baptist Church | Macedonia Towers | Margaret Hughes Manor | Martin Luther King, Jr. Academy | Mary J. Blige Center for Women | The Master's Helping Hands | Mayerick Friendly Market | Metropolitan AME Zion Church | Morse Elementary School |

Mt. Carmel Food Pantry | Mount Hope Table of Grace Soup Kitchen | Mount Kisco Fox Center | Mount Kisco Interfaith Food Pantry | Mount Lebanon Baptist Church | Mount Olive Church | Mount Vernon Armory | Mount Vernon Boys & Girls Club | Mount Vernon CAP | Mount Vernon Community @ Macedonia Baptist Church | Mount Vernon Library | Mount Vernon Neighborhood Health Center | Mount Vernon City School District | Mount Vernon SDA Church | Mount Zion Baptist Church | Municipal Housing Authority for the City of Yonkers | My Brother Vinny | Neighborhood Services | Nepperhan Community Center | New Beginnings | New Life Fellowship Church | New Rochelle CAP | New Rochelle Day Nursery | New Rochelle Municipal Housing Authority | North Yonkers Preservation | Oakside Elementary School | Open Door Family Medical Center | Ossining Community | Ossining Food Pantry | Ossining Union Free School District | Our Lady of Mount Carmel | P.A.T. Community Distribution | Pace University | Park Avenue School | Park Early Childhood Center | Parkledge Apartments | Peekskill CAP | Peekskill Community Distribution | Peekskill Neighborhood Senior Center | Peekskill School District | Port Chester Community at St. Peter's Episcopal Church | Pressley Memorial Church | Purchase College | Queen's Daughters Day Care Center | Refuge of Hope Church | Restoring Life Tabernacle Church of God of Prophecy | Ridgeway Alliance Church | Ridgeway Elementary School | Riverdale Seventh Day Adventist Church | Roosevelt Elementary School | RSHM Life Center | Sacred Heart Church, Food for the Hungry | Saint Frances AME Zion Church | Saint Joseph's Church | Saint Mary's Church | St. Peter's Child Care Center | St. Peter's Church | St. Thomas Brown Bag Lunch | Church of Sts. John, Paul & Clement | Salvation Army New Rochelle | Salvation Army Peekskill | Salvation Army Port Chester | Salvation Army Tarrytown | Salvation Army White Plains | Salvation Army Yonkers | San Andres Episcopal Church | Sandford Terrace | Saturday Academy | School 13 | Sharon Seventh-Day Adventist Church | Shiloh Baptist Church | Soundview Apartments | St. Casimir Apartments | Star of Bethlehem Church | Sunnybrook Gardens Apartments | Tarrytown COC | Shepherd's Flock | Sterling Community Center | Thomas Cornell Academy | Thomas Edison | Troy Manor | Union Baptist Church | Union Food For Life | United Community Center of Westchester | United Interfaith Food Bank | Uriah Hill School | VA Hospital Supportive Housing | VA Hudson Valley at Castle Point | VOA Crossroads Shelter | VOA Grasslands Homeless Shelter | Wartburg | Westchester Community College | Westchester Medical Center | Westhab Inc. | Westhab New Windham Residence | White Plains CAP | White Plains Hospital | White Plains Public Library | The William A. Schlobohm Houses | William Boyce Thompson School | Wynwood Oaks Apartments | YMCA of Yonkers | Yonkers CAP | Yonkers Christian Assembly | Yonkers Montessori Academy | Yonkers Neighborhood Health Center Yonkers Office for the Aging | Yonkers Partners in Education | Yonkers Police Athletic League | Yonkers Public Schools | Yonkers SDA Church | Yorktown Senior Nutrition Center | Youth Shelter Program of Westchester | YWCA of White Plains | YWCA of Yonkers



