

# Metro Food Rescue



## 2022 Annual Report





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- We rescued enough food, that would otherwise end up in a landfill, to provide **1.5 million meals** for our neighbors in need.
  - We now provide food to **50 partner agencies**.
  - We currently **rescue food from 25 sources** including grocery stores, big box stores, caterers, farms and distributors.
  - We now deliver food (utilizing two trucks and a van) to **20 cities** throughout the metro area.
  - Most importantly, we have **impacted the lives of thousands of people** providing them with nourishment they might otherwise go without.

-Most importantly, we have impact. We're providing them with nourishment they might otherwise go without.

Of course we couldn't accomplish these amazing feats without the support of our partners and our crew. Our dedicated drivers, our small, flexible staff, food providers, board members and especially our donors whose belief in our mission steers our ship and fuels our growth.

We won't rest on our milk crates and banana boxes. We've got a lot more to do. With your help we'll **WASTE LESS & FEED MORE**.

Of course we couldn't account for our dedicated animal partners and our crew. Our dedicated animal care providers, board members and especially our donors who steer our ship and fuels our growth.

I promise that we won't rest on our milk crates and banana boxes. We've got a lot to do in the coming year and with your help we'll **WASTE LESS & FEED MORE.**

Respectfully,

*C. J. T.*

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WASTE LESS. FEED MORE.

We rescue food that would otherwise be discarded and deliver it to a network of food pantries, thereby helping to feed individuals and families in need.

## - Eli A. Scherr

Jeffrey & Beth Davidson  
Howard & Terri Dembs  
Ellen R. Firestone  
Geoff Krechmer & Jody Lipton  
The Marsellus Family  
Jody & Lee B. Schottenfels  
Julie & Eugene Sherizen





# 2022 YEAR IN REVIEW

In 2022 we provided  
much needed food for

**OVER 20,000**  
NEIGHBORS IN NEED

Since our founding in 2020, we have  
rescued over **3,500,000** pounds of food  
that otherwise would end up in a landfill.

Thats enough food for **3,000,000** meals for our neighbors in need.

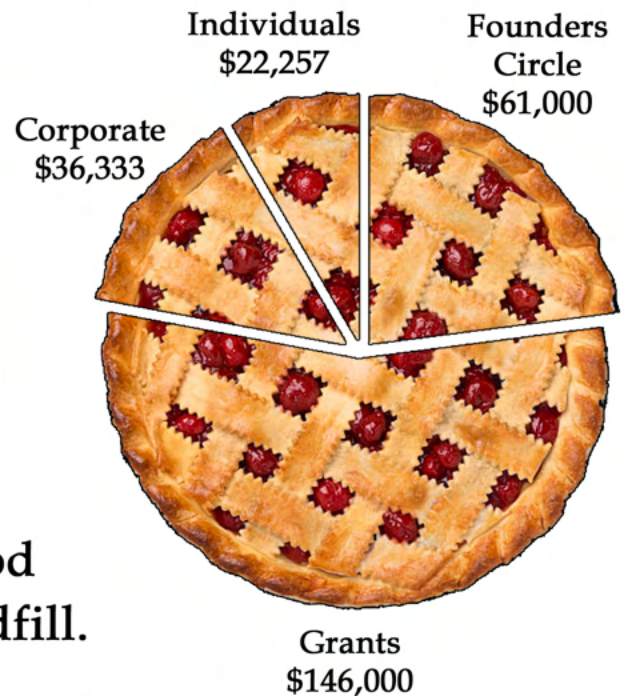
This year, we added **17** drop-off locations.

We provide to over **50** food pantires and soup kitchens.

We added **13** pick-up locations, we now rescue from **25** partners.

We've added **6** cities, now delivering to **20** areas.

2022 Fundraising - \$265,590



# Metro Food Rescue Profit & Loss

January through December 2022

# Metro Food Rescue Balance Sheet

As of December 31, 2022

	Jan - Dec 22
<b>Ordinary Income/Expense</b>	
Income	
Direct Public Support	
Corporate Contributions	36,333.00
Donations - Individual & Corpor	18,661.50
Founders Contributions	61,000.00
Individ, Business Contributions	3,596.25
Total Direct Public Support	119,590.75
Grant Revenue	146,000.00
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>265,590.75</b>
Expense	
Auto Expense	
Auto Parts/Repairs	4,528.64
Gas	17,662.47
Total Auto Expense	22,191.11
Bank Service Fees	53.78
Business Registration Fees	370.00
Charitable Contributions	36.00
Contract Services	
Accounting Fees	3,000.00
Total Contract Services	3,000.00
Grant Writers	11,753.00
Grocery	
Soup Kits/Meal Kits	694.92
Thanksgiving Distribution	10,996.31
Total Grocery	11,691.23
Operations	
Office Expense	312.72
Supplies	1,662.87
Total Operations	1,975.59
Other Types of Expenses	
Insurance	
Auto Insurance	6,063.00
Insurance - Other	1,566.25
Total Insurance	7,629.25
Total Other Types of Expenses	7,629.25
Payroll Expenses	
Payroll Service Fees	188.60
Payroll Taxes	10,236.73
Wages	119,277.44
Payroll Expenses - Other	769.71
Total Payroll Expenses	130,472.48
Software Expense	238.10
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>189,410.54</b>
<b>Net Ordinary Income</b>	<b>76,180.21</b>

	Dec 31, 22
<b>ASSETS</b>	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Bank - Checking	49,024.03
Total Checking/Savings	49,024.03
Other Current Assets	
Pledges Receivable	56,000.00
Prepaid Expenses	148.79
Total Other Current Assets	56,148.79
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>105,172.82</b>
Fixed Assets	
Accumulated Depreciation	-9,118.98
Fixed Assets	54,312.67
<b>Total Fixed Assets</b>	<b>45,193.69</b>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>150,366.51</b>
<b>LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Credit Cards	
Capital One Credit Card	442.13
Total Credit Cards	442.13
Total Current Liabilities	442.13
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>442.13</b>
Equity	
Unrestricted Net Assets	82,855.03
Net Income	67,069.35
<b>Total Equity</b>	<b>149,924.38</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>	<b>150,366.51</b>





Every \$1 donated rescues over 10 pounds of food, which equals 9 meals. Our impact per dollar is tremendous because we do not pay for the food we rescue, nor charge our partner recipients. We fundraise strictly for logistics!

**Howard Dembs**  
Board Chair/Secretary  
**Howard M. Schwartz**  
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