

THE NORTH TEXAS FOOD BANK

Mission: *The North Texas Food Bank passionately pursues a hunger-free community.*

Since it was founded in 1982 by Liz Minyard, Kathryn Hall, Jo Curtis and Lorraine Griffin Kircher, the NTFB has distributed 362 million pounds of food across our 13-county service area, which includes Dallas, Denton, Collin, Fannin, Rockwall, Hunt, Grayson, Kaufman, Ellis, Navarro, Lamar, Delta and Hopkins counties.

Last year, 32 million pounds of food was distributed from our warehouse, which underwent a \$4.4 million renovation that enables us to distribute 50 percent more food.

Each month last year, member agency pantries distributed food to more than 43,000 families, and on-site meal programs served more than 410,000 meals and snacks.

For fiscal year 2006, the NTFB was No. 8 among more than 200 America's Second Harvest food banks around the nation for pounds distributed. The NTFB is consistently ranked as one of the top nonprofit organizations in Dallas/Fort Worth.



Celebrating 25 years of service to the community, the North Texas Food Bank passionately pursues a hunger-free community. Last year, the NTFB distributed 32 million pounds of food to 764 feeding and education programs in 13 North Texas counties, including after-school programs, residential treatment programs, food pantries, emergency shelters, soup kitchens, senior citizen centers and low-income daycare centers.

The NTFB is a member of America's Second Harvest – The Nation's Food Bank Network.

- For every dollar donated, the NTFB is able to provide five meals.
- For every dollar donated, 97 cents is used to feed hungry North Texas families.

FIVE WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

1. **Give your voice.** Hunger affects everyone in our community. Learn how and tell others.
2. **Give an hour.** We've got a variety of volunteer opportunities and options.
3. **Give a pound.** Host traditional and virtual food drives through your work, faith, school or civic group.
4. **Give a dollar.** We can take your \$1 and distribute \$10 worth of food.
5. **Strengthen your team.** Consider our teambuilding program for the greater good: serving-u.org

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