



ANNUAL REPORT 2021

SHINING A LIGHT ON STORIES OF GIVING

Lighting the Way

We thank the many delivery networks who donated their time and their trains, planes, automobiles and boats plus the occasional firetruck, across the country so that food made it to people in need. In the process, they saved natural resources, and diverted harmful greenhouse gases from entering our environment through food waste. These dedicated supporters made it possible for over 41 million pounds of food to be rescued and distributed over the year.

The legacy for this work is set by our Driver and Warehouse Ambassadors in the Greater Toronto Area who transported and redistributed over 16.9 million pounds of food without fail - no matter the weather or the road conditions, the narrow alleys, or the congested downtown streets. What's more, they lifted much of those 16.9 million pounds themselves over the year. These dedicated teams represent the genesis of Second Harvest.

Our humble roots remind us that a single act of giving spurs another and another and that the positivity and determination of all Canadians this past year, has proven yet again that we rise when there's a need.





Feeding Seniors and A Wellness Check in the tiny Village of Barons, Alberta.

The Language of Love

Calgary Family Peer Connections' (CFPC) mandate is to empower youth, their families, and those in the community who may be struggling with mental health issues. Since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic, the agency has seen the growing need in small and isolated communities throughout Alberta. With the help of Second Harvest and some phenomenal donors, CFPC started 'Free Food Fridays' with pop-up tents in parking lots of small communities throughout Southern Alberta.

This program helped to feed those in need and allowed the agency to provide mental health resources to those who were suffering. Today, Calgary Family Peer Connections has transformed into Second Harvest's largest community partner in Alberta, distributing more than 1.5 million pounds of food and supporting upwards of 25 communities.

However, this is not a story with just one hero. Calgary Family Peer Connections and Second Harvest needed support to get the food and transportation required to make this program a reality. A group of donors came, literally, to the rescue. In addition to the 229 financial donors who joined us in Calgary this year we had even more help. **Conagra Brands** rescued almost one million pounds of food for the program and **Uber Freight** moved hundreds of pallets of fresh food, delivering it to Calgary Family Peer Connections' warehouse when they had no means to pick up the food.

From big programs come small stories of courage and commitment. During one of the lockdowns, the Village of Barons, Alberta (population 341) also on Calgary Family Peer Connections radar, was growing more and more concerned for the wellness of its elderly citizens. The town needed a way to communicate with these often frightened and isolated seniors. They asked the fire department in Barons to go door to door and perform a wellness check to make sure these vulnerable individuals were fed, had their medication, and their basic needs were being satisfied. Plus, they wanted to provide resource support for any mental health concerns amongst community members. But how to get them to open the door?

With Calgary Family Peer Connections providing the food, the fire department of Barons knocked on doors with hampers of fresh, good food. Doors were opened. Connections were made. Services were recommended. People felt close to their community once more.

As one client of CFPC told us,

“*Food to our family is our love language. We use food to have family time around the table. I bake and cook to show my appreciation and love...to my family. We hit hard times and I needed to express my love language more than ever. That's when Second Harvest and Calgary Family Peer Connections were there to support me and my family.*”

We would add both Conagra Brands and Uber Freight to this note of gratitude because, without their support, the beautiful food that was ready to be rescued, donated, picked up and delivered, would never have made it to the kitchens of the Village of Barons.

May The Light Be With You

At the onset of fiscal 2021, we emerged hopeful that the shock and fear of COVID-19 would subside. Unfortunately, by September 2020 almost 2 million Canadians were unemployed. The numbers of vulnerable citizens without adequate access to enough food for their families increased beyond our wildest predictions. There were almost one million more people who suffered from food insecurity and our research revealed that over 6 million Canadians were accessing food through charities and non-profits. Canadians who had never anticipated having to make the tough decision of paying the rent or feeding their children the healthy food they need were suddenly at risk.

Then, something incredible happened. From across the country, you came knocking. From food donors to volunteers, new financial donors and those who have been with us since the very beginning, you wanted to know how you could help communities in need.

This report is dedicated to you.

As a result of your generosity, we were able to support over 4.2 million Canadians accessing food in over 3,000 social service organizations, a significant increase from last year. This was only possible because of our incredible partnerships with over 4,500 food donors. However, with vast amounts of perfectly good, healthy food still going to waste, and rates of food insecurity continuing to climb, we know our work is far from done.

Not only was food insecurity on the rise, so was the need for healthy food. Fortunately, around 80% of the food we rescue continues to be perishable with a focus on fresh fruits and vegetables, dairy, meat and protein. Nutrient-dense food, which is often harder for low-income families to access, is becoming even further out of reach with food inflation on the rise. Perishable food also requires expertise in temperature and cold chain processes to ensure food safety compliance. Thankfully, that's what we do at Second Harvest, and we were able to provide this healthy food across the country to nourish bodies, fuel brains, and help fight health issues that can result from the lack of a balanced diet.



In addition to our regular business, we were fortunate to work with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada on two very important projects. With funding support through the Emergency Food Security Fund, we were able to provide emergency food support of over \$8.4 million dollars to 563 charities and non-profits. Also, funding support through the Surplus Food Rescue Program allowed us to deliver over 9 million lbs of fresh surplus food like eggs, salmon, chicken and produce from businesses struggling as a result of the pandemic. We then transformed and transported this excellent food to over 350 communities from PEI to BC, as far north as Clyde River, Nunavut and everywhere in between.

Our Operations team continues to forge new relationships within neighbourhoods across Canada – to find and support community agencies in need of food, provide education on safe food handling, and establish solid relationships with partners, funders and food donors. As a new national organization, we are making it a priority to learn, understand and appreciate the uniqueness of the different regions and provide our services with sensitivity and humility. This incredible team held 37 consultations within communities to share the

benefits of food rescue both to families in need and to the environment. Our phenomenal food and fund-raising team have worked tirelessly to connect like-minded donors with our mission. We are so moved by the number of people who understand the immediate impact they can make to both people and the planet with every act of philanthropy. This fiscal, we gratefully welcomed 2,300 new food donors to our supporter community. These new donors joined over 20,000 committed individuals, foundations, and corporate donors who share our vision of a Canada with No Waste, No Hunger. Along with our employees, volunteers, supporters, stakeholders and followers, we were ready to feed people and save harmful greenhouse gases from damaging our planet. In this report, have a look at stories like 'The Language of Love' and 'Starting with Yes' to learn about the human side of our impact.

We recognize that greater collaboration is essential for us to have real impact on the very complex and systemic issues that surround food security and food loss and waste. To help us extend our reach, we are grateful to have been appointed to Canada's Food Policy Advisory Council. This membership gives us a seat at a national table where our expertise will support policies that consider vulnerable populations, food loss and waste and food redistribution to make meaningful improvements on what is often a broken food system.

Our new membership to the Canadian Centre for Diversity and Inclusion will ensure we are part of the solution, taking action to foster a respectful, inclusive, and equitable environment where everyone can thrive. We are devoted to upholding the Living Wage Employers standard that we are certified for. We are also refining our human resources practices to improve our employee experience by providing things like on-demand training opportunities, more check-in points, and employee satisfaction surveys. Second Harvest has some of the most dedicated, empathetic, hard-working, and creative individuals as part of our team and we want to acknowledge and celebrate what they have done to support communities across the country. We express our deepest gratitude to each of them.

We are also committed to sharing our research and learnings on the impact food loss and waste has on our environment. As Canada's temperature continues to rise above global averages, food rescue and redistribution is a common-sense approach to diverting GHGs from the environment. We are proud to report that because of you Second Harvest has prevented 162 million pounds of greenhouse gases from entering our atmosphere this year alone.

To each of you who have become a part of our Second Harvest community over this past year, and to those who through your funding, food and other in-kind donations, made this possible, we thank you and look forward to forging even stronger relationships in the coming year.

Bernie Allion
Board Chair

Lori Nikkel
CEO



Our vision.

No waste. No hunger.

Our mission.

Grow an efficient food recovery network to fuel people and reduce the environmental impacts of avoidable food waste

Our values:

community.

We improve food access to ensure everyone, regardless of their economic situation, can have good food

environment.

We consistently strive to have a positive impact on the environment

integrity.

Open, honest and transparent, we hold ourselves to the highest ethical standards

collaboration.

We believe we can accomplish more when we work together



The Year That Could

While we appreciate each and every supporter that rallied behind us during a year like no other, we want to give a special shout-out to the following partners, who have truly gone above and beyond. Our heartfelt appreciation goes out to the following for being generous Donors and all-around wonderful humans to partner with:

- **Chick-fil-A**, as one of our largest corporate partners, provided critical support for us to continue to expand nationally during COVID-19. We could not have achieved the record growth of our business without this.
- **Each of our new individual donors** who gave us a chance to show them the good we can do with every single donation, no matter the amount. This fiscal, we welcomed 7,000 new individual donors to our Harvester family. That's 7,000 more reasons we are more motivated than ever to support hunger relief.
- **WealthSimple Tax** who is sticking with us and in this second year of partnership, raised 3 times more than last year by donating a meal for someone in need for every tax return filed. Who knew doing your taxes could have such an incredible impact on your community?
- **Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada** which, through the Emergency Food Security Fund, allowed us to distribute more than \$8.4 million dollars in emergency funding to 563 charities and non-profits. This commitment helped provide immediate hunger relief to hundreds of thousands of Canadians.
- **Peak of the Market**, a new partner for us in Manitoba, provided over 500,000 pounds in food donations which went directly to local school divisions.
- **Our Heart of the Harvest monthly donors** who each share in our mission. To each of our incredible monthly donors, who contribute enough funds for 65,000 meals a month, thank you!
- **TD Bank**, who were the top fundraisers in our Hero Campaign and contributed over \$127,000 – breaking their own record for the most ever raised by a team. Heroes, indeed.
- To the wonderful people at **Air Canada**, who donated surplus food that to date, equals almost one million pounds. Here's to one million more.
- Financial donors with vision like **The Sprott Foundation, The Nikita Foundation, and the Weston Family Foundation**, who generously supported our new building fund so that we can expand our food raising with 48,000 feet of lovely, safe, clean, and refrigerated spaces. We can't wait to move in.



Shining A Light On... The Daniels Corporation

“*The Daniels Corporation has partnered with Second Harvest for more than 25 years and we are proud to continue supporting their work to get healthy food to people in need. Second Harvest and Daniels are aligned in our mission and corporate philosophies of creating and fostering vibrant and healthy communities.*”

- Don Pugh, Partner,
The Daniels Corporation

For 25 years, The Daniels Corporation has been an essential part of the fight against hunger in the city of Toronto as Presenting Sponsor of Toronto Taste, Second Harvest's annual culinary event and our single biggest fundraiser. And 2021 was no exception - when the pandemic forced the cancellation of the event for the second year in a row, our friends at The Daniels Corporation sprang into action to help us raise the much-needed funding typically generated by Toronto Taste.

With their collaboration and support, we pivoted to launch the Feeding the Need campaign, our very first national digital fundraising campaign with an ambitious goal of raising enough funds to provide one million meals to people in need. And with Daniels stepping up in a big way to match individual donations up to \$250,000, we did it! Thanks to in-kind media donations, we were able to spread the word about Second Harvest and Feeding the Need coast to coast. Because of generous partners like The Daniels Corporation and each and every one of you who donated in support of this campaign, we exceeded our target, raising enough to provide more than 1,027,000 meals worth of nutritious food, while giving our food rescue program additional stability during an uncertain time.



Shining A Light On... McCain Foods

“ We focus our efforts where we can have the greatest positive impact: no waste, no hunger means continuing to grow our business sustainably while ensuring that our finished goods and the raw products that we use always sustain our communities and never become waste. This is part of our objective to continue to bring people together and unite them towards planet-friendly food.

- Audrey Leduc, Director NA Planet-Friendly Practices, McCain Foods



Our partners are committed to bettering their communities and managing their environmental impact. Setting the standard is **McCain Foods**, a Second Harvest partner for nearly two decades, who donates healthy food for our non-profit networks and supports our food rescue mission through financial donations and the fundraising efforts of its employees through our Second Harvest Hero campaign. While McCain Foods have long been advocates for our vision of No Waste, No Hunger, this year they took it to the next level.

As part of their Thriving Communities strategy, McCain Foods has committed to providing 17 million meals to people in need in partnership with Second Harvest and other charitable

organizations across North America. Through a combination of surplus food donations, financial support, and more than 4,000 paid volunteer hours through their Chips In initiative, McCain is supporting the movement towards a more sustainable future for our people and our planet. Our partnership with McCain has already provided more than 300,000 meals to communities across the country, and we're just getting started!

Second Harvest is proud to be part of McCain's sustainability strategy and is equally committed to supporting McCain in achieving its zero waste to landfill objective, so that all food can fulfill its nourishing potential.

Turning The Lights On At Our New Home

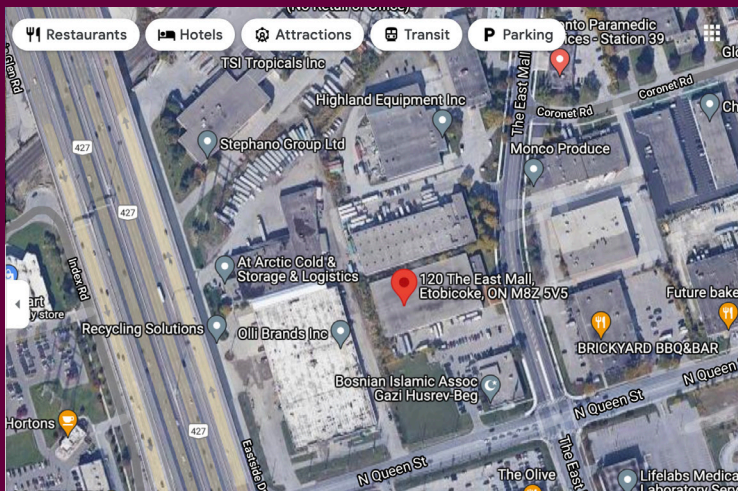
As our incredible community knows, Second Harvest is much more than bricks and mortar. However, having a home base for our national food rescue network is critically important for a few reasons. The need for an expanded cold storage facility is ever present as demand for surplus food rises, a central hub for our fleet is required, and a place for our teams to collaborate and innovate just makes us better. In FY21 we took big steps forward towards the opening of our new facility at 120 The East Mall in Etobicoke, Ontario, despite the supply challenges caused by COVID-19.

We are grateful for the incredible generosity, loyalty and support of **The Sprott Foundation** and **The Nikita Foundation** who helped us purchase our new home. We also deeply appreciate the generosity of the **Weston Family Foundation; LCBO; Ontario Ministry of the Environment, Conservation, and Parks; John and Sally Goodings; the Linda Judith Reed Foundation; the J.P. Bickell Foundation; The Charles H. Ivey Foundation; the Ontario Trillium Foundation; Sobeys Inc., Loblaw Companies Limited**, and numerous other supporters who stepped up to help complete the needed renovations of this best-in-class facility. We are humbled and grateful for your belief in our mission, and your commitment to making a difference in our community.

Because of you, our new 48,000 square foot home will allow us to:

- Grow the number of people we can nourish to over 1.6M in Ontario
- Exponentially prevent the harmful greenhouse gas emissions created by food loss and waste, dramatically reducing our collective environmental impact
- Provide a dedicated education space to support in-house training including food safety certification
- Welcome hundreds of volunteers through our doors to help sort and pack healthy food for our networks
- Provide an environment for partners to examine and measure food waste and instigate systemic change with innovative approaches
- Bring together thought leaders and changemakers through events and conferences to increase awareness and support initiatives that make true impact socially, economically, and environmentally.

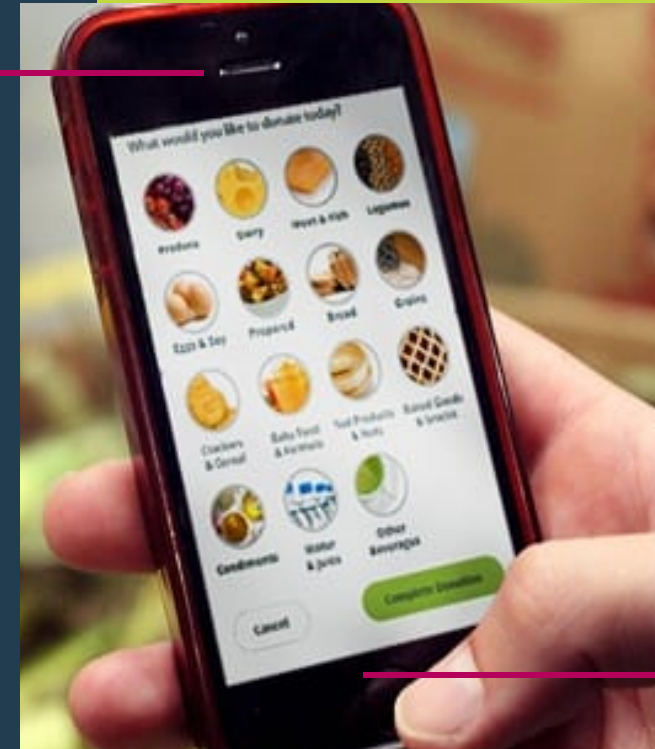
Thanks to your support, we are realizing our goal of becoming a hub of collaboration and innovation – a centre of food rescue excellence.



How Digital Tools Helped Us Lean In

The past year has continued to challenge us in ways we never thought possible. Thankfully, we've been able to incorporate digital transformations into many of our programs and fundraising initiatives so that we could continue to serve our communities and communicate with our stakeholders. Here are some examples of how we leaned in this past year.

- The Second Harvest Food Rescue App, that links surplus food with those who need it, welcomed 5,000 new users and capped the year at 11,000 donations. This means that food donors from the smallest independent coffee shop to the largest manufacturers and producers are now a part of the food rescue movement.
- Despite COVID-19 we were able to continue our safe food handling programs on a digital platform which now allows participants to self-pace through the learning.
- Our Hero Workplace Fundraising Campaign had to go entirely digital (and bilingual), including our annual sweepstakes. We were able to expand the initiative nationally and open the fun to provinces across Canada. Guess what happened? We accomplished an 8-year revenue high.
- In the spring, we hosted the "Tempest in a Green Bin" event that had incredible online presence and included partners like **RBC Global Asset Management's** Yousef Abushanab, renowned chef and author Bob Blumer, and Joanna Kerr, CEO of **MakeWay**.
- Also online, we held an exclusive event for our supporters which included speakers like Farah Kurji, Sr. Manager Philanthropy at **TD Bank Group** and Heela Omarkhail, VP of Social Impact at **The Daniels Corporation** who spoke about the hidden potential of "lockdown philanthropy".



Every Great Partnership Starts with Yes

“*The simple act of reducing, reusing and recycling our waste can have a tremendous impact in protecting our environment and supporting people in our communities in unique ways.*

- Hon. Bernard Davis,
Minister of Environment and Climate Change

We realize that great relationships are not built overnight, however we have to say that this was another year we were humbled by how many people said 'yes' when we came asking. Here are a couple of stories:



A Story With Many Threads

Strengthening Our Food Rescue Program in Newfoundland and Labrador

As we've expanded into every province across Canada, we've had to knock on doors with our hat in hand and tell our story. Our goal has always been to listen with an open mind and to offer our services in the context of how we can facilitate the redirection of good, surplus food to charities and not for profits that offer food to their local communities who need it. Newfoundland and Labrador are no exception. Here's how our team in the province puts it, "With so many Atlantic Canadians facing food insecurity, it is critical that we work together to rescue as much food as possible. We aim to feed people, not landfills."

We find the most wonderful partners along the way. Fortunately, **The Multi Materials Stewardship Board (MMSB)**, a Crown Agency of the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador that reports to the Minister of Environment and Climate Change, understood the importance of our work and awarded us a grant to offset the costs of running our operation in the province.

As the Honourable Bernard Davis, the Minister of the Environment and Climate Change states,

"Through these programs, funds generated through recycling and waste diversion programs are put back into our communities through businesses, industry associations, communities, and non-profit organizations such as Second Harvest. Their work to rescue food through partnerships with local businesses is helping those facing food insecurity, while also contributing to a reduction in greenhouse gas emissions. The simple act of reducing, reusing and recycling our waste can have a tremendous impact in protecting our environment and supporting people in our communities in unique ways."

This story continues with a news piece picked up by the **SaltWire Network** news outlet, penned by our new Operations team in Atlantic Canada. The article mentioned some incredible milestones that Second Harvest had achieved in their short time in the province through the Second Harvest Food Rescue App. You can't buy this kind of awareness! Soon, the team was receiving enquiries and questions from both donors and agencies.

In 2021, with the support of partners like the MMSB, we were able to rescue just under one million pounds of surplus food and re-distribute to charities that provide food. This in turn provides enough food for one million meals. In doing so, 5.4 million pounds of GHGs were prevented from entering the atmosphere in this province, the equivalent of carbon sequestered by 148,505 tree seedlings grown for 10 years.

When Saying Yes Gets Personal

When the **Sobeys** warehouse in Manitoba had a major food donation for us, the people at **Traffix Logistics** raised their hands to provide the transportation needed for food that was earmarked for the Winnipeg School District's food programs. After the successful delivery, we received a letter from a delivery team member at Traffix that made us pause. Here's what this courageous individual wrote:

"I want to say that this program and the Second Harvest initiative, holds a very special place in my heart. Growing up, my mother was a struggling single mother of two. We often didn't have enough money for food...We often had to use community resources, such as food banks, to survive the month. It is now, as a mother with a young daughter, that I realize how difficult it must have been for my mother and now for other families who struggle day in and day out."

And here's what the Winnipeg School District wrote to us: "Today we received a great mix of fresh food – mushrooms, avocados, kale, grapes, salads, yogurt, peppers, tomatoes, potatoes and more – and we were able to disburse all seven pallets of it to 26 schools in under 90 minutes. Everyone was so grateful to have this food to pass along to our families. Right now, our families are sitting down to meals that were partially supplemented or made entirely out of ingredients this donation provided."

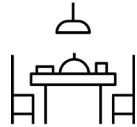
Thank you, Traffix Logistics for being there that day and for agreeing that delivering fresh food to where it was needed was something you could help with.



Impact Highlights



4,500
food donors



110,000
meals per day provided by
rescued food (avg.)



162M lbs of GHGs
averted from the atmosphere



41M lbs of food rescued
and distributed, valued at
\$120 million



1,385 organizations
received funding through the
Emergency Food Security Fund



22.5
billion litres of water saved



83%
of food donations
were perishable



66%
of food rescued and redistributed
was produce, protein and dairy.

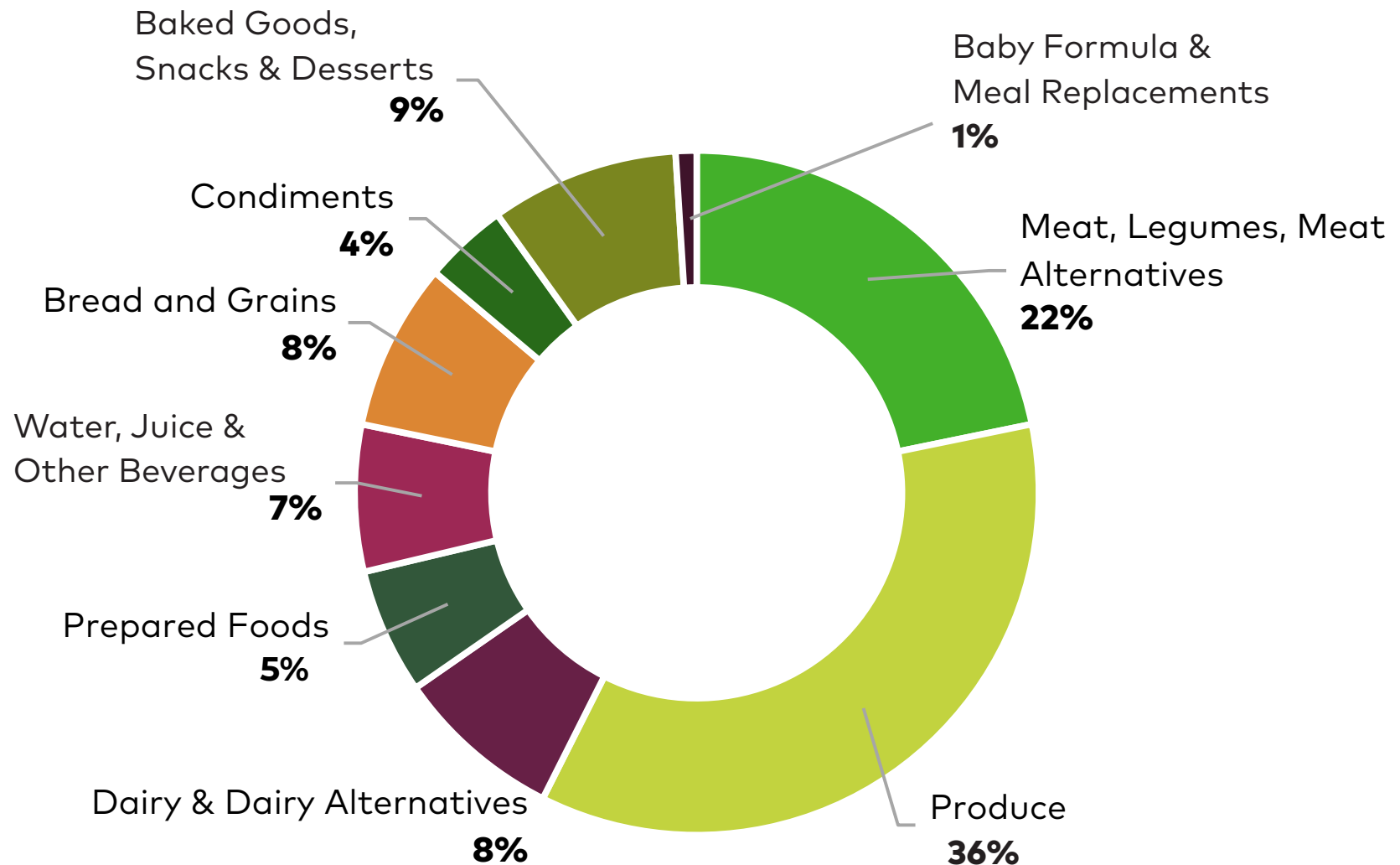


4.2M
Canadians received food



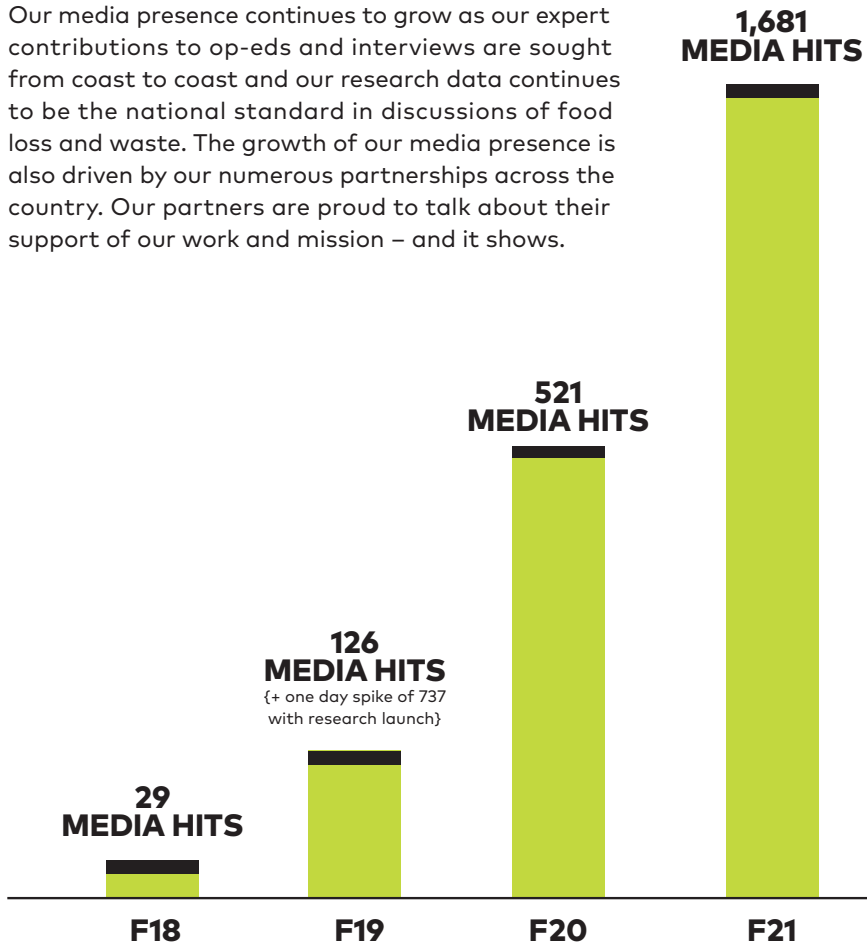
Impact Highlights

FY21 percentage of food rescued, by category:



Thought leadership that shines

Our media presence continues to grow as our expert contributions to op-eds and interviews are sought from coast to coast and our research data continues to be the national standard in discussions of food loss and waste. The growth of our media presence is also driven by our numerous partnerships across the country. Our partners are proud to talk about their support of our work and mission – and it shows.



Here are some of the many outlets where Second Harvest was featured: BNN Bloomberg, CTV, CBC, CP24, The Toronto Star, Canadian Living magazine, National Post, Global News, Regina Leader-Post, Corporate Knights, AM800 (Windsor), NewsTalk1010, Food in Canada, Canadian Grocer, SaltWire Network

THE GLOBE AND MAIL*

Lori Nikkel contributed two op-eds to The Globe and Mail: "The pandemic has given us new insight into tackling food waste" (February 8, 2021) and "For companies committed to helping the environment, reducing food waste is the clear place to start" (July 22).

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In an interview, Microsoft CEO Satya Nadella praised Second Harvest's Food Rescue App and its developer RedBit Development: "They essentially created a system of connecting all of the food, solving the hard challenge in the pandemic: How can they scale a nationwide effort around food security? That was fascinating."



Our op-ed, "Food insecurity is an issue where politicians can put money where their mouths are" (August 30, 2021) is published in the Ottawa Citizen and syndicated in Postmedia newspapers across Ontario.



Second Harvest even garnered coverage in Variety, the Hollywood industry news giant, which featured us as a charity that TIFF attendees should support, with a focus on our impact and our food rescue platform.

We gratefully acknowledge Allvision, Captivate, IHN media, MaxTV, Postmedia, the Toronto Transit Commission and ZOOM Media for their generous in-kind media donations in FY21 through billboards and video screens, plus donated radio, TV, digital and print ad space which helped us connect to Canadians and raise awareness of our mission.

Thought Leadership Highlights In FY21

Membership on the Canadian Food Policy Advisory Council

Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada launched the Canadian Food Policy Advisory Council and appointed CEO Lori Nikkel as one of its members. The Advisory Council is a key component of the Food Policy for Canada, bringing together 24 experts and stakeholders from a variety of sectors, including the agriculture and food sector, health, academia, and non-profit organizations. The Council will provide a critical forum to engage food, community and agriculture leaders on how we can collectively build a better food system for all Canadians and will provide advice to the Minister on current and emerging issues.

Membership on the Standards Council of Canada

CEO Lori Nikkel became a member of the Standards Council of Canada's Mirror Committee on Food Loss and Waste. This is a very important milestone for Second Harvest and will ensure that we have a voice on standards and accreditation on the national and international stage on the reduction of food loss and waste.



Sharing our expertise

Second Harvest staff across Canada shared our food rescue expertise at 35 conferences, panel discussions and presentations this year. Here are some highlights.

- **October 1, 2020**
Government of Northwest Territories: Staff led a food preservation workshop for nutrition educators.
- **November 18, 2020**
Food for All New Brunswick: We introduced our food rescue app during a call with the provincial government.
- **November 18, 2020**
Food First Newfoundland: We presented at "Never Enough: Food Banks & Food Insecurity in St. John's."
- **December 16, 2020**
We made a presentation to the provincial committee of First Nations and Inuit Health Branch & First Nations of Quebec and Labrador Health and Social Services Commission. Second Harvest was added to list of resources for First Nations communities.
- **January 27, 2021**
We participated in a consultation on ending food waste with the City of Montreal.
- **February 18, 2021**
Second Harvest is invited to the House of Commons Standing Committee on Indigenous and Northern Affairs to speak about food security in Northern communities.
- **Feb 22, 2021**
Staff participated on a panel speaking about the importance of sustainability and food waste management at Global Kitchen at University of Toronto Mississauga.
- **April 11, 2021**
Staff presented at the full-day FeedxNeed virtual conference focused on alleviating food insecurity in Toronto and the GTA.
- **May 10, 2021**
Staff spoke to the United Way Lower Mainland Food Security Roundtable about developing food hubs.
- **August 4, 2021**
Second Harvest was invited to the press conference in Sherbrooke, QC, for Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada's announcement of the \$100M top-up to its Emergency Food Security Fund.

National Scope Supporting Regional Connection

From large donations come many, many small acts of kindness. While it is easy to think of what Second Harvest does in terms of redistributing millions of pounds of nutrient-dense foods, the connection that food provides feeds the soul as much as the body.

Thanks to the amazing support of our donors, Second Harvest has been able to grow our national presence and become the conduit for both food and funding to community groups across Canada. These vital service providers have deep connections to their communities and are responding to urgent need while struggling with the impact of the pandemic.

But Second Harvest is there for them through the food recovery network we continue to build - together. We have learned how much value there is in a preexisting platform that people can turn to - improvising solutions takes a great deal of time and resources that could be used for delivering programs. The Second Harvest Food Rescue App can also facilitate access to types of food that are uncommon in the emergency food space.

Gifts from the Heart in Charlottetown, PEI, is just one such example, founded by Betty Begg-Brooks as her heartfelt response to the hard conditions for so many on the Island. A lot of employment is seasonal, and

Betty estimates that 70% of Islanders are the working poor. Second Harvest enabled her to access surplus food, like chicken, beef, pork, fish, french fries and other healthy food and the difference is profound.

"Money saved from having to buy these products for our hampers allows us to pay for gas for our van and SUV to deliver to all that cannot come pick them up. We can also put masks into each order for all members of the family," she says. "Second Harvest is also allowing us to bring in a qualified teacher in life skills. The donation keeps on working in all areas of our organization."

A Food Rescue Revolution in the Aisles

The prime point of connection for food in almost every community is the local grocery store and thanks to our partners supporting the national expansion of the Second Harvest Food Rescue App, grocery stores in Canada are becoming vital hubs of community support and food waste reduction.

Loblaws Companies Limited have been working with us since we were established in 1985 and have been integral to our growth, from initiatives as complex as supporting the initial expansion of our food rescue app into BC, to sponsoring our annual holiday food-raising campaign, which this year provided more than 10,500 festive turkeys, hams, and vegetarian alternatives to our agency partners to create warm, nourishing holiday meals.

In October 2020, Loblaw and Second Harvest announced further plans to eliminate food waste, support communities and expand their 35-year partnership across Canada, with Loblaw's commitment to on-board its banner stores onto our food rescue app.

In April 2021 **Empire** announced plans to implement our food rescue app in its grocery stores over 18 months, including **Sobeys, Safeway, IGA, Foodland, FreshCo and Thrifty Foods**. Empire will also use the app in its distribution centres and e-commerce business, **Voilà**.

What does this look like at store level? Lori, the manager of Sobeys Grant Park, MB store, has seen how partnering with Second Harvest can augment

what local stores are doing to reduce waste and support their communities.

"Even prior to our partnership with Second Harvest, we tried as much as possible to redirect our non-sellable food to the community," said Lori. "Since our partnership with Second Harvest, our impact is more wide-reaching now because we have expanded the number of community organizations we can reach through the program and the app.

"Every little bit helps. Second Harvest is like a snowball, the more it rolls the bigger it gets. It's the same with food donation, each location that can give a bit accumulates and reaches many in the community."

Harvest Kitchens: Bringing Everyone to the Table



A warm meal is a source of both nourishment and comfort. Simply knowing that a meal is taken care of can relieve stress and support resilience in people living with food insecurity.

With the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic, our Toronto-area agencies' need for take-away meals significantly increased and more than a year later, that need has remained constant. But many of our partner agencies don't have adequate kitchen facilities or the resources to prepare meals for distribution. That's where Harvest Kitchens comes in.

Second Harvest launched Harvest Kitchens in 2001 as a skills development and training program for adults and youth with barriers to employment, providing foodservice training and safe food handler certification. In March 2020 when COVID hit, Second Harvest halted in-person training and pivoted our Harvest Kitchens partners to operate solely as production kitchens in order to meet the growing need for ready-made meals. This continued in FY21, and our production partners were superstars, providing more than 735,000 prepared meals to 110

frontline agencies in Toronto including food banks, meal programs and drop-ins, and school snack programs.

Our deepest thanks to our non-profit meal production partners: CORE, East Scarborough Boys and Girls Club, YMCA – Metro Hall, The 519, Hospitality Workers Training Centre, Frontlines and Kitchen24.

We are also grateful for the support – and delicious meals – provided by our corporate meal production partners **1Hotel, Maple Leaf Sports and Entertainment (MLSE)** and **Fairmount Royal York Hotel** in Toronto, as well as **La Tablée des Chefs** for their partnership through their Solidarity Kitchens program.

Finally, we gratefully acknowledge **Scotiabank, Chick-fil-A, Canada Life** and **State Street** for providing funding for Harvest Kitchens.

The strength of Harvest Kitchens is rooted in our partnerships, and in building a sustainable meal production program that agencies and their clients can rely upon. In FY21 Second Harvest began to strategically diversify our partnerships to embrace the strength and potential in our communities. We want to invite the whole country to the table, and thanks to your support we will.

“ We serve vulnerable, homeless and trafficked youth. The need for nutritious food is immense. Access to prepared meals and fresh food donations have allowed our agency to save money on high food costs and have provided youth with the sustenance they need to focus on other areas of their life.

– Covenant House, Toronto, ON

A Circle of Kindness in Saint-Philippe, Quebec

'Gleaning' is a term used in the farming industry when fresh excess food is collected from the already harvested fields to prevent it from being wasted. Gleaning is a careful hand picking process that is both time consuming and labour intensive. An ancient practice that is being revived in many urban and rural centres, it ensures nutritious, good food is used for its intended purpose of being consumed and enjoyed.

Our friends in Quebec told us a beautiful story of how gleaning by a large group of volunteers prevented a truckload of sweet peppers from going to waste. In response to an email from our Quebec operations team, a producer named **La Ferme à l'Accueil Chaleureux** in Saint-Philippe responded by asking for support to register on the Second Harvest Food Rescue App. We were more than happy to help. This producer had five hundred pounds of sweet peppers that needed rescuing. A group of volunteers from the not-for-profit *Meilleur Après* (photo, right) banded together and on a Saturday in late September, converged on the fields and hand-picked this bounty, all 500 pounds! In a true testament to good things that happen when people are united in a cause, the host farmer installed some canopies for shade and served the volunteers homemade muffins when they took a break. Friends were made. Food was shared.

This kind of exponential kindness is nurturing for each of the collaborators on this mission. And, of course, the nutrition these beauties provided to the many local families who received the peppers keep the circle of kindness going strong.



Food Waste, Food Rescue and the Environment

The environmental and social cost of food waste can be illustrated by showing the power of food rescue and by what happens when food isn't wasted.

“ We distribute between 300-350 food hampers every week. During COVID, that increased to as many as 400 per week. All of the Second Harvest food donations helped us to fill our weekly hampers with fresh produce and dairy products and helped to feed our clients. When we have had an abundance of donations, we have supported other organizations with the donation of hampers for families that they serve.

- Valerie Hutton, SHARE Family & Community Services, Coquitlam, BC.

Since they began using Second Harvest's Food Rescue App, SHARE has received more than 13,000 lbs of food donations – healthy food that was headed for a future in landfill where it would decompose and release greenhouse gases, all because it didn't have a market. Thanks to local food donors posting their surplus food on our food rescue app, SHARE not only provided hampers for their clients, they provided hampers for other social service agencies and community groups. That's hundreds of people with nourishing food where there would have been loss and waste.

The more than 4,500 food businesses that donate surplus food to their communities through Second Harvest also recognize the positive environmental impact and have made Second Harvest part of their business's sustainability strategy.

“The biggest concern with any food operation is wasting food that can go to a better place,” said Alex Ploughman, Chief Operations Officer of **Legends Haul Supply Company** in Coquitlam, BC. “We love that we can send overstocked products to good homes that can be utilized by people and avoid landfills. Our team is all very behind this movement and appreciates what Second Harvest can do to help us make an impact.”

Second Harvest's Food Rescue App offers a dashboard that calculates the amount of greenhouse gases each food donation keeps from entering the atmosphere so every app user can get a truly global picture of the impact of rescuing food. 21

Since they started using the app in February 2021, Legends Haul has donated 3,039 lbs of food, which helped avert the release of 20,108 lbs of greenhouse gases.

According to Canada's Changing Climate Report, Canada is warming at twice the rate as the rest of the world on average, and the North has been warming faster than the South, with the territories warming at more than double the global average. A warmer climate is linked to increased fire activity, lakes and rivers freezing later and breaking up earlier, and earlier snow melts leading to earlier peak spring stream flows.

Connecting surplus food donors with communities in need for social and environmental benefit is what drives the development of our food rescue app. This expansion has been made possible by support from innovative partners like the **RBC Foundation** and its **Tech for Nature** program, which provides funding for technical solutions to environmental problems. Last year, we rescued 41 million pounds of food from the path to landfill, which prevented the release of 162 million pounds of GHGs.

Through our food rescue tech, and our community partnerships and outreach, Second Harvest is making vital connections between food and people, growing a movement and a cohesive community effort to curb the environmental effects of food waste. It can be done. And you can join us.



The Power of a Warm Meal to Heal

It's one thing getting the food – it's often another thing to get the food where it needs to go.

Food systems in Canada's northern communities are a fragile network that has relied on both traditional hunting practices (which are in decline) and 'market food' that is transported into communities and is very costly. Nunavut is thousands of kilometers away from most urban centres in Canada. There are many challenging conditions that present themselves along the way, like wind, ice, cold, and blizzards.

The people of Nunavut are some of the most food insecure in Canada with almost half of all children experiencing food insecurity.* They live in communities like Coral Harbour, Chesterfield Inlet, Kinngait, and Iqaluit, and can spend up to half of their incomes on food which means every single day they must decide what to sacrifice. This pervasive food insecurity leaves many in the position of choosing food or clothing, food or heating, food or shelter, food or medicine.

The team at **Zurich Canada** is committed to supporting vulnerable communities adapting to climate change, as well as promoting social equity, including food access. In Canada, that meant emergency funding during COVID-19 and now, with their support of the Northern and Remote Communities Program, they are one of the first funders of this vital program. The people at Zurich Canada show all of us how corporations play such a critical role in supporting vulnerable communities in Canada. The impact of their support will continue in 2022.

Along with other committed donors, like **Uber Freight**, who managed logistics, and vessels from **Arctic Co-Op**, we were able to deliver 35,000 pounds of nutritious food to seven unique communities in Nunavut.

This story wouldn't be complete without mentioning the support of **The Slaughter Family Foundation** who have supported us with funds for the Northern and Remote Communities initiative. The Foundation understands the vital link between good food and mental health. We bow to your mission and your support. In total, we delivered 6.2 million pounds of food to northern and remote communities across the country over the past year.

* source: Stats Canada



Training and Education Initiatives

COVID-19 restrictions continued to limit our traditional, in-person education and training programs. But these barriers spurred our team to create digital content with even greater impact, innovation, and reach.

Thanks to the generosity of our donors, Second Harvest can provide our non-profit partners with the barrier-free access training they need to build staff and volunteer capacity. We also offer food storage, nutrition, food literacy and food waste reduction workshops for all audiences, including children and youth. Our free eLearning modules are available through training.secondharvest.ca.

Our goal for FY21 was to facilitate 80 training opportunities focused on food waste reduction, food safety and food literacy and nutrition to 1,500 individuals. We soared past that goal, engaging 4,413 individuals through 93 training sessions. More than 1,100 people used our e-learning modules – a more than 300% increase from the previous year – and 1,496 non-profit agencies and social service organizations participated in our trainings.

Second Harvest also continues to provide safe food handler five-year certification, offered at a significant discount for our non-profit partners. In total 188 people were fully certified through our training.

We grew our thought leadership this fiscal, too. In October 2020, thanks to an Ontario Trillium Foundation Seed Grant, more than 750 people participated via Zoom and Facebook Live for “Tackling Food Waste from Field to Fork”, a webinar studying the impact of food recovery and waste prevention on communities and the environment. Panelists included Laylo Atakhodjaeva, president of Road to Zero Waste; celebrity chef Bob Blumer; Eli Browne, Director of Corporate Sustainability at Sobeys; Mike von Massow, OAC Chair in Food System Leadership at University of Guelph; and Chef Chris Zielinski, Culinary Director and Executive Chef for Maple Leaf Sports & Entertainment (MLSE).

In January 2021, Second Harvest also launched an exciting National Virtual Speaker Series to build a more robust food recovery network and inspire a stronger commitment to waste reduction practices. The Series featured a diverse range of expertise connected to our training pillars of food waste prevention, food safety and food literacy. Some of the 12 workshops we presented included:

- Food Defenders, a two-day evening event sponsored by CI Financial which encouraged people to embrace a zero-food waste lifestyle;
- Turning Food Scraps into Compost, sponsored by Glad;
- The Youth Food Waste Prevention Symposium, sponsored by Scotiabank;
- Managing Diabetes for Older Adults, sponsored by Scotiabank;
- Eating Well on a Budget.

Some 1,454 people joined these workshops from across Canada.

We also took an active role in bringing food rescue education resources directly to educators, presenting at the Canadian Network for Environmental Education and Communication (EECOM) 2021 Conference on Urban Environmental Education in April 2021. Our Education team also created a K-12 Educators Guide with information and activities about food loss and waste, food rescue (including how to regrow vegetables) and healthy eating.

These incredible results are rooted in the generosity of our donors whose investment has enabled us to provide more resources and training to more people than ever before. Second Harvest gratefully acknowledges **Ontario Trillium Foundation, Scotiabank, CI Financial** and **Glad** for their support of our Education and Training program.





REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR ON THE SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

To the Members of Second Harvest Canada | Deuxième Récolte Canada

Opinion

The summary financial statements, which comprise the summary statement of financial position as at August 31, 2021, and the summary statement of operations, and the related note, are derived from the audited financial statements of Second Harvest Canada | Deuxième Récolte Canada (the “Organization”) for the year ended August 31, 2021.

In our opinion, the accompanying summary financial statements are a fair summary of the financial statements, on the basis described in Note 1. However, we were not able to determine if any adjustments to the summary financial statements were necessary for the reasons described in *The Audited Financial Statements and Our Report Thereon* section of this audit report.

Summary Financial Statements

The summary financial statements do not contain all the disclosures required by Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations. Reading the summary financial statements and the auditor’s report thereon, therefore, is not a substitute for reading the Organization’s audited financial statements and the auditor’s report thereon.

The summary financial statements and the audited financial statements do not reflect the effects of events that occurred subsequent to the date of our report on the audited financial statements.

The Audited Financial Statements and Our Report Thereon

In our report dated November 4, 2021:

- We expressed a qualified audit opinion on the audited financial statements because we were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the completeness of revenues from donations and fundraising.

Management’s Responsibility for the Summary Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the summary financial statements in accordance with the criteria disclosed in Note 1 to the summary financial statements.

Auditor’s Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on whether the summary financial statements are consistent with the audited financial statements based on our procedures, which were conducted in accordance with Canadian Auditing Standard (CAS) 810, *Engagements to Report on Summary Financial Statements*.

Hogg, Shain & Scheck PC

Toronto, Ontario
November 4, 2021

Authorized to practise public accounting by the
Chartered Professional Accountants of Ontario



| SUMMARY STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT AUGUST 31, 2021 | 2021 | 2020 |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|
| ASSETS | | |
| Current Assets: | | |
| Cash and short-term investments | \$ 18,011,249 | \$ 24,762,942 |
| Accounts receivable | 577,131 | 303,147 |
| Prepaid expenses | 70,070 | 109,823 |
| | 18,658,450 | 25,175,913 |
| Capital Assets, net of amortization | 12,878,255 | 9,001,314 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$ 31,536,705 | \$ 34,177,227 |
| LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS | | |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | \$ 630,796 | \$ 988,115 |
| Deferred contributions | 3,408,046 | 15,299,262 |
| | 4,038,842 | 16,287,377 |
| Deferred Capital Asset Contributions | 15,076,698 | 11,172,774 |
| | 19,115,540 | 27,460,151 |
| Unrestricted | 5,370,286 | 5,166,197 |
| Contributions for land | 1,550,879 | 1,550,879 |
| Internally restricted | | |
| Operating reserve | 5,100,000 | - |
| Building and capital asset reserve | 200,000 | - |
| Opportunity reserve | 200,000 | - |
| | 12,421,165 | 6,717,076 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS | \$ 31,536,705 | \$ 34,177,227 |

**Note to the Summary Financial Statements Prepared from the Audited Financial Statements
Year Ended August 31, 2021**

Note 1

The criteria applied by management in the preparation of these summary financial statements are as follows:

- a) The information in the summary financial statements is in agreement with the related information in the complete financial statements; and
- b) The summary financial statements contain all the information necessary to avoid distorting or obscuring matters disclosed in the complete financial statements, including the notes therein.

Management determined that the statement of changes in net assets and the statement of cash flows do not provide additional, useful information, and as such have not included them as part of the summary financial statements.

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2021

REVENUES

| | 2021 | 2020 |
|--|--------------------|-------------------|
| Food Donations | \$ 98,130,487 | \$ 64,395,487 |
| National food sharing program contributions: | | |
| Federal | 19,341,803 | 9,693,564 |
| Donations | 1,117,808 | – |
| Fundraising | 12,669,764 | 9,040,882 |
| Grants | 2,704,053 | 1,952,245 |
| Administration | 1,301,928 | 775,000 |
| Amortization of capital asset contributions | 664,041 | 831,992 |
| Training and education | 643,014 | 161,136 |
| Interest and other | 230,492 | 327,883 |
| Contributed volunteer services | 55,090 | 143,829 |
| Rental | 35,335 | 339,704 |
| Gift card program contribution | – | 7,780,000 |
| | 136,893,815 | 95,441,722 |

EXPENSES

| | | |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|
| Food recovery and delivery: | | |
| Food donations delivered to agencies | 98,130,487 | 64,395,487 |
| Other food delivery related costs | 4,163,742 | 2,849,752 |
| Food Rescue expansion costs | 2,934,252 | 2,358,229 |
| National food sharing program distributions: | | |
| Federal | 19,341,803 | 9,693,564 |
| Donations | 1,117,808 | – |
| Communications and fundraising | 2,107,991 | 1,802,686 |
| Administration | 1,679,440 | 1,816,485 |
| Amortization of capital assets | 723,175 | 477,490 |
| Training and education | 642,826 | 589,344 |
| Food waste reduction research | 293,112 | – |
| Donated volunteer services | 55,090 | 143,829 |
| Gift card program distributions | – | 7,780,000 |
| Contribution to gift card program | – | 181,656 |
| | 131,189,726 | 92,088,522 |
| EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR | \$ 5,704,089 | \$ 3,353,200 |

The Top Five Reasons to Love Our Harvester Community

We can't say enough about our Donors. From food to funds, we realize that you have a choice with where to dedicate your philanthropic resources and we are honored you choose us as the conduit for your incredible generosity.

We'd like to recognize our top five food and financial donors from FY21:

Top 5 Financial Donors

1. Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada
2. The Sprott Foundation
3. The Weston Family Foundation
4. The Walmart Foundation
5. The Nikita Foundation

Top 5 Food Rescue Partners

| | |
|--------------------------|---------------|
| Sobeys Inc. | 4,652,142 lbs |
| Conagra Brands | 1,778,818 lbs |
| Costco | 1,734,827 lbs |
| Mondelez International | 1,453,175 lbs |
| Loblaw Companies Limited | 989,091 lbs |

While we're at it, let's take a deep breath of fresh air and recognize how our Donors are supporting our actions to reduce harmful impacts to our planet. When good fresh food is redirected to people who need it, we also prevent the needless waste that would occur all along the food production, distribution, manufacturing, transport, and retail journey that every nutrient dense beautiful pound of food makes.

Environmental impact

- GHGs averted from entering the atmosphere in F21: 162,000,000 lbs – the equivalent of taking more than 22,650 cars off the road for a year
- Amount of water averted from going to waste: 22.5 billion litres



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For the fiscal year ending August 31, 2021

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FUND & IN-KIND DONORS

For the fiscal year ending August 31, 2021

PLANTERS CIRCLE \$1,000 - \$9,999

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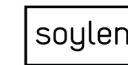
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FOOD DONORS For the fiscal year ending August 31, 2021

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- Chick-fil-A Canada
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- Holiday Marketplace Food Drive
- Homeland Missions
- Hormel Foods Canada
- I-D Foods Corporation
- Impossible Foods
- Inca Gold Organics
- Inform Brokerage Inc.
- Kerr Bros. Limited
- Khyber Deals Corp.
- Kitchen 24
- L and M Farms
- Lassonde Beverages Canada
- Liberty Freezers
- LifeCorps Food Share
- Limonana
- LIVIVA Foods
- Mainliner Freightways Ltd.
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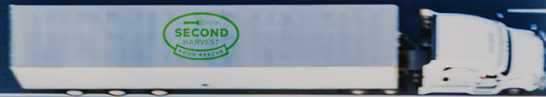
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- Ontario Natural Foods Co-Op
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- PepsiCo Canada
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- Purposeful Excellence/Time to Unwind Inc.
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- Reser's Fine Foods
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- Scarlett House Food Group
- Select Food Products Limited
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- Star Egg Company
- Streef Produce Ltd.
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- Sun Rich Fresh Foods Inc.
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- Sweet Ridge Farms
- Sysco Canada
- T & T Supermarket
- TAS Refrigerated Distribution Inc.
- TBI Cold Storage
- The Butcher Shoppe
- The Calgary Food Bank
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- The Little Potato Company
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- Tiffany Gate Foods Inc.
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- University of Toronto Food Services
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