



INTER-FAITH
**FOOD
SHUTTLE**

2020 - 2021

**Gratitude
REPORT**

A Year of **IMPACT**



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Dear Friends of Inter-Faith Food Shuttle,

As we reflect on the work accomplished by the Food Shuttle this past year, it is with a sense of gratitude and amazement that we would like to thank the donors, volunteers, and partners who make our work possible every day. This past year has been far from easy, with many of our neighbors struggling to adjust to the challenging realities of the new normal — inflation, the rising cost of food and fuel, and increased food insecurity. But with supporters like you, we have experienced tremendous growth this past year, allowing us to meet the increasing needs of the community and serve more neighbors than ever before.



As we grow together, we are not only meeting the immediate needs of hunger relief but addressing the underlying systemic issues that contribute to generational poverty. With your help, we have launched several new, innovative initiatives like Gardens for Everyone, online Community Health Education classes, and the state-of-the-art Spinning Plate food truck. These community-centered solutions are empowering and transforming our neighbors. None of this work would be possible without your time, talent, and treasure — Thank you!

While the needs of our neighbors continue to grow, so does the response of supporters like you. You are empowering us to *Feed, Teach, Grow, and Cultivate* together, ensuring that we turn no child, family, or senior away. As we look forward to the great work ahead, we are confident that together we can create a hunger free community. Thank you for helping us deliver our mission each day and for being an essential part of our “community taking care of community.”

Yours in service,

A blue ink signature of L. Ron Pringle, consisting of stylized initials and a surname.

L. Ron Pringle
President and CEO

A blue ink signature of Matt Robinson, consisting of stylized initials and a surname.

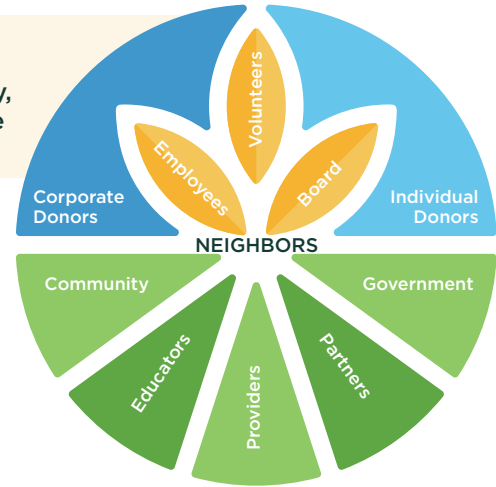
Matt Robinson
2021-2022 Chair, Board of Directors

Our Vision

A **hunger free** community

Our Mission

We **feed** our neighbors, **teach** self-sufficiency, **grow** healthy foods, and **cultivate** innovative approaches to **end hunger**.



Our Core Values

- We **RESPECT** each person's inherent value.
- We approach everything we do with **INTEGRITY**.
- We **COLLABORATE** to build strong relationships.
- We believe **HEALTH** is the foundation of any community.
- We commit ourselves to achieving **EQUITY**.
- We **SERVE** with excellence, compassion, and responsiveness.

MULTI-YEAR PLAN ALIGNMENT

Objectives	Become recognized as a regional leader of transformative, community-centered programs.	Expand the coordination of community resources and strategic partnerships.	Direct funding and resources for strategic short-term and long-term organizational sustainability.
Strategies	Identify, develop, strengthen, and invest in programs having measurable impact.		
	Build a collaborative and empowering culture where all constituents play a strategic, mission-driven role.		
	Lead in advocating for social justice solutions connected to hunger and food insecurity.		
	Educate the community on the factors contributing to hunger and the Food Shuttle's role in addressing those needs.		
	Steward existing and cultivate new funding and other resources.		
Measurements	Neighbor Impact	Community Involvement	Direct and Indirect Funding

FIVE-YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN

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THE POWER OF THE FOOD SHUTTLE

Thanks to your generosity, the Food Shuttle launched several new initiatives this year and served more of our neighbors than ever before in our seven-county service area. Because of you, we can continue to work toward a *hunger free community* for children, families, and seniors in central North Carolina.

 **8,944,277**
pounds of food
distributed, of which 6.3 million
pounds were prevented from
reaching landfills

 **61,118**
BackPack Buddies
provided for
children
struggling with hunger

 **8,188**
families
sustained through
School Pantries

 **15,801**
grocery bags
filled and
delivered to seniors

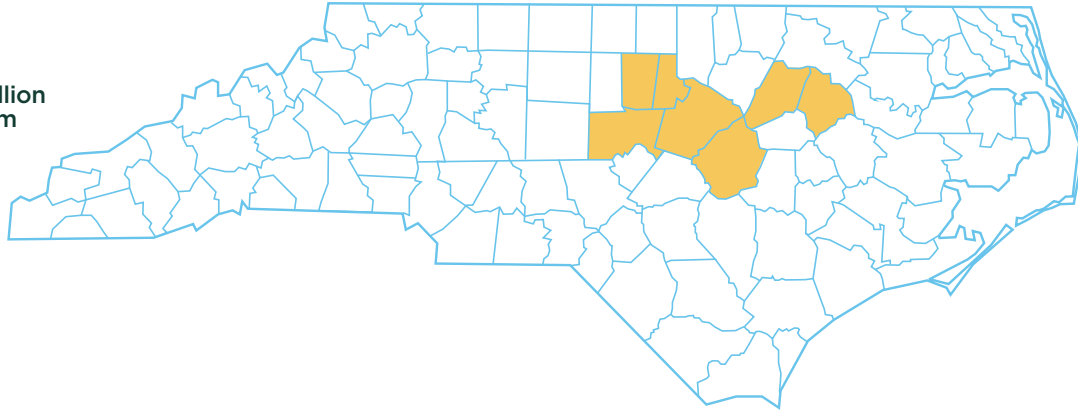
 **1,373**
children and adults
empowered with knowledge
through Community Health
Education

 **663,508**
neighbors
served through direct distributions
of healthy food at Mobile Markets

 **1,183**
participants
grew through programs
in Agriculture Education

 **54,398**
pounds of produce
harvested at the Food Shuttle Farm

 **18,110**
volunteer service hours
engaged across all
our programs





BackPack Buddies
delivered to 2,652 children
at 83 school sites

School Pantries
10 stocked and maintained

Mobile Markets
13 markets per month
where those in need
received free groceries
and fresh produce



The Spinning Plate
6,682 fresh, hot meals delivered directly
into our hardest hit communities



Grocery Bags for Seniors
packed and delivered to 25
low-income communities



Culinary Program
76,696 meals prepared and distributed
to neighbors through agency partners



Agriculture Education

4,009 hours of gardening, cooking, and nutrition education for youth and educators

Grow Kits
4,341 grow-at-home kits distributed to children and families



Cooking Matters

1,740 hours of education on cooking affordable, healthy meals for adults and families



Nutrition Education

45,615 Community Health Education resources printed and distributed



School Gardens

11 elementary school gardens grew fresh produce and created learning opportunities



Food Shuttle Farm

14-acre farm distributed 45,460 pounds of fresh produce through Food Shuttle programs

Camden Street Learning Garden
Home to 23 community gardeners, and volunteers who gave 907 hours in service



Geer Street Learning Garden
Mentored 5 community gardeners, and grew local produce with the help of 216 volunteer hours

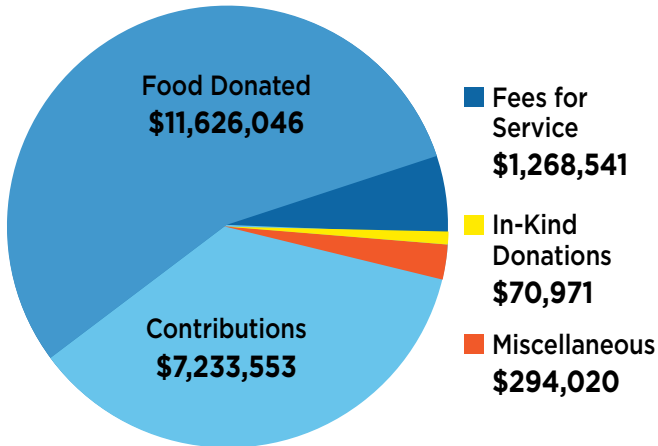
Food Shuttle Farm Stand
Sold \$3,919 of produce to the community, with an additional \$318 in egg sales



Gardens for Everyone
110 garden beds built, with education and resources provided, so that neighbors can grow their own food

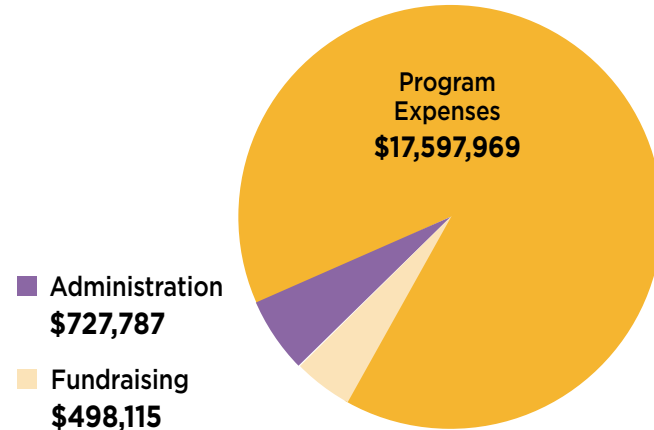
2020-2021 REVENUE

TOTAL: \$20,493,131



2020-2021 EXPENSES

TOTAL: \$18,823,871



2020-2021 NET ASSETS

Net Assets at the Beginning of the Year: \$6,521,056

Net Assets at the End of the Year: \$8,190,316

Change in Net Assets: \$1,669,260

**\$0.93 of every dollar
directly supported
Food Shuttle programs**

NEIGHBOR SPOTLIGHT



Through the Food Shuttle's Gardens for Everyone program, volunteers helped **My Hao** build an at-home garden box. Since then, she has become a seasoned gardener and has enjoyed growing her own Swiss chard, bok choy, peas, and kale. My Hao's garden box is one of 110 total boxes built through this program. This number continues to grow to provide more neighbors with the tools they need to sustain gardens and access produce in their own backyards and communities.

VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT



Carrie Strom started volunteering at the Food Shuttle Farm simply to fulfill graduation requirements, but what she gleaned from her experience was much more. Carrie has fallen in love with working at the Farm. With over 130 volunteer hours under her belt, Carrie enjoys harvesting zucchini, squash, and strawberries — and relaxing mornings quietly weeding the fields. “I surpassed my graduation requirements for service hours, but I find it so rewarding to help on the farm, I can't stop,” says Carrie.

PARTNER AGENCY SPOTLIGHT



Iglesia Episcopal El Buen Pastor has hosted Mobile Markets for years in partnership with the Food Shuttle, serving east Durham and providing a safe space for the Spanish-speaking community. The church notably stepped up during the pandemic, hosting extra food distributions and recruiting more drivers for support. In one recent month, they hosted three Mobile Markets. Their team of volunteers is very dedicated and their commitment to serve has brought relief to the needs of their community.

DONOR SPOTLIGHT



The **Mead Family Foundation** has been a partner to the Food Shuttle for over eight years and has invested over a quarter million dollars into the Food Shuttle's mission to cultivate solutions to end hunger. Most recently, the Mead Family Foundation partnered with Citrix to provide a matching gift for the Food Shuttle's Spring Match Challenge, raising over \$438,000 for programs serving children facing food insecurity.

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