

FARMS TO FOOD BANKS

Supporting Farmers and Providing Fresh Produce to Hungry Kentuckians

The Farms to Food Banks program helps farmers recover losses for produce that would otherwise not be sold because of cosmetic imperfections or overproduction.

Farmers receive a reimbursement that helps cover the cost of picking, packing and transporting fresh produce from the field to a food bank.

The produce is distributed free of charge to hungry Kentuckians throughout the state through the food bank network.



How it **WORKS...**

Any Kentucky farmer who grows the crops included in the program may participate. Visit KyFoodBanks.org for the current crops list.

Payments are intended to cover production cost and must be below market price. Visit KyFoodBanks.org for recent average prices paid.

Farmers contact the Association when they have produce available to determine delivery arrangements.

Food bank staff forward the invoice provided by the farmer with the delivery to the Association for payment processing.



The Kentucky Association of Food Banks is a charitable organization committed to ending hunger in Kentucky. Our members serve all 120 counties and feed an estimated 1 in 7 Kentuckians every year.

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