

MN FOODSHARE MARCH CAMPAIGN 2024



neighborsinc.



FAQs / IMPORTANT INFO

Dates: February 26—April 6, 2024

Neighbors' Goal: 350,000 lbs / dollars

Donation hours: M, Tu, Th & Fri 10AM to 4PM
Wednesdays 10AM to 5:30PM

Donation location: Lower Level
222 Grand Ave W, South St. Paul

**Donations may be received on Monday, April 8.*

Contact: Cody Semo
651-306-2149 or cody@neighborsmn.org

- **ALL** monetary, food and non-food items donated to the campaign count!
- Known donations that haven't yet been received can be counted! Contact Cody if you have known food or funds that won't be delivered by April 8.
- Progress updates will be shared on weekly via Facebook and the Neighbors website.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

Spread the word!

- Hang posters
- Share information in newsletters & bulletins
- Post and share on social media

Organize a food and fund drive or benefit event!

Neighbors can help! Call us for donation containers, posters, logos and more. Large groups are encouraged to schedule a drop-off time in advance.

Donate!!!

Faith Communities: Consider including us in your prayers or a special campaign kick-off blessing.

Thank you for supporting Neighbors during Minnesota FoodShare's March Campaign! For 42 years, the campaign has helped raise food, funds and awareness to help fight hunger across the state through a friendly "competition" between food shelves. The more dollars and pounds of food we raise during the campaign, the greater our amount of the FoodShare grant will be. We appreciate your partnership and want to help make it easy for you.

Visit www.neighborsmn.org/partner-resources for downloadable posters, resources and information.

HUNGER IN OUR COMMUNITY

Neighbors distributed **901,379 lbs** of food last year

Neighbors has **6 satellite food shelf locations** in the community + our main food shelf location

There are **4 ways to access** the Neighbors food shelf: in-person shopping, curbside pick-up, delivery and attending a distribution event

Last year, **24,870 households** were served through our hunger relief services

5 REASONS TO DONATE

1. Help your neighbors in need
2. The demand for food assistance in our community has increased
3. Equitable access to healthy food resources
4. Neighbors relies on generous donations during this campaign to help continue to meet the increasing demand
5. It's fun to give!