

Harvest for All is a partnership between the SCFB Young Farmers & Ranchers program and local food charities, which provide food to people in need around the state. Each year, County Farm Bureaus are encouraged to organize projects/activities that help bridge the food gap in the following ways:

Raise money for a local food bank, food kitchen or food project

FRIENDS Volunteer time at a local food bank, food kitchen or food project

FOOD

FUNDS

Collect food for a local food bank, food kitchen or food project

Project How-to:

- Choose a local charitable organization and decide what type of food project would meet their needs. Contact Heather Barberio if you need assistance.
- Let your County Farm Bureau Board of Directors know which charitable organization you choose and be sure to discuss money management for a "funds" project. All funds received must be donated by Dec. 30, 2023.
- Form a team, decide on a start & end date for the project and make a plan. Feel free to cluster up with neighboring counties.
- Keep at least one of the SCFB YF&R Committee Members that represents your district informed about your project.
- Take pictures during your project.
- Track how much money, time or food (weight) you donate.
- To see examples of previous winning projects, please go to www.scfb.org/harvest-for-all
- To submit your Harvest for All Application, please visit <u>https://form.jotform.com/hbarberio/harvestforall23</u>

Awards:

- The Project Winner Award: \$250 Goes to the project that made the most impact on a local charitable organization by collecting the most funds, food, and/or volunteer hours.
- The Most Innovative Award: \$250 Goes to a project that was creatively designed and implemented.
- Project Runner-Up Award: \$100 Goes to the project that had the 2nd most funds, food, and/or volunteer hours.

The award monies are intended to be donated to a local charitable organization or used as seed money for a future Harvest for All project.

Application Guidelines:

- Any project can be submitted as long as it meets the Harvest for All criteria of donations of Food, Funds and/or Friends (volunteer hours) to a local food bank in South Carolina.
- All projects must be completed, and food/funds must be donated between January 1 December 30, 2023.
- If more than one county YF&R group worked together on the same project(s), they should submit one application together.
- The state's entry form must be submitted via the online portal on or before 11:59 p.m. EST December 31st, 2023.

SAMPLE ENTRY FORM

(For information purposes only. All applications must be submitted in the online portal)

Application submitted by:	
Email:	Phone:
County(ies) that participated in the project(s):	
Name of Project:	_
Food Bank (or Agency) Recipient(s):	
Food Bank (or Agency) Contact Name:	
Food Bank (or Agency) Contact Phone Number:	
Why did you choose this charity? (up to 250 words):	
Which of the following did your County YF&R donate? (Select all that apply)	
 Total Food Donated (in pounds): 	
 Funds Total Funds Raised: 	

- Volunteer Hours
 - Total Volunteer Hours: ______

Please provide an overview of the the project(s) you organized to collect these donations including planning steps, who was involved, when the activity(ies) took place, where the activity(ies) took place, and what actually happened. (up to 500 words)

How can this project be replicated? What tips/suggestions would help another county find even more success with this project? (up to 250 words)

*Please provide 3-5 photos or video footage that represent your project and may be used for promotional or recognition purposes.