

BRITISH COLUMBIA

It all begins with sharing.

Food Banks Canada works with provincial associations across the country to support the important work of the food banking community. Together, we help Canadians in need by supporting food bank organizations with essential food and vital services. This report summarizes our support for Food Banks BC and its 100 affiliate food banks.

100

affiliate food banks
in British Columbia.

FOOD

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This past year in British Columbia, we shared

4,342,456 lbs of food 

for a value of

\$11,377,233.67 

NFSS Food Donation By Channel in British Columbia



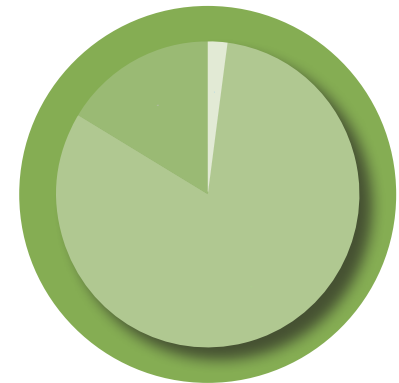
Corporate [^]	647,237 lbs (\$1,695,760.94*)
Retail Program	3,496,416 lbs (\$9,160,608.87)
Food Drives	198,803 lbs (\$520,863.86)
TOTAL	4,342,456 lbs (\$11,377,233.67)

*Based on a calculation whereby 1 lb. of food is valued at \$2.62. This value has been determined using data from: Nielsen MarketTrack, All Channels, 52 Weeks ending December 2019.

[^]The value of food and consumer goods donated through the Corporate channel are included in Food Banks Canada's audited financial statements, whereas the Retail Food Program and Food Drives values are excluded due to agency relationship.

Food Logistics

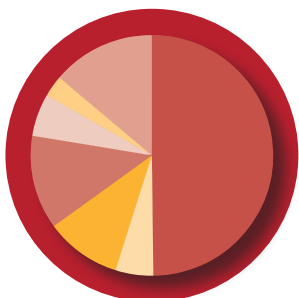
\$145,469 in transportation and warehouse services were provided to move **647,237 lbs** of food and consumer products into various locations in British Columbia.



Value of pro-bono transportation	\$118,649
Value of pro-bono warehouse services	\$23,791
Value purchased warehouse services	\$3,029

Total food raised for British Columbia food banks

647,237 lbs through corporate donations of which **81,679 lbs** were fruits and vegetables



Protein	32,764 lbs
Dairy	65,548 lbs
Bread, grains and cereals	322,325 lbs
Fruits and vegetables	81,679 lbs
Combination Foods	36,881 lbs
Soups	18,701 lbs
Consumer Products	89,339 lbs

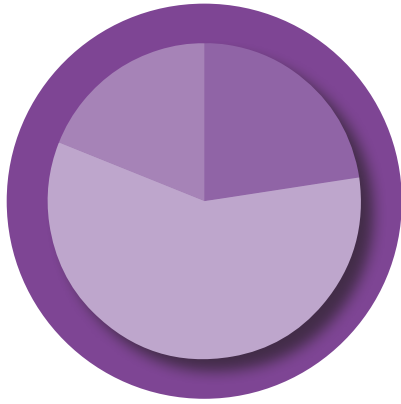
We have been able to acquire and share a diversity of safe, quality food including fruits and vegetables, meats and proteins, and cereals.

FUNDS

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Spotlight on our activities supporting British Columbia.

Our initiatives in support of Food Banks BC and its 100 affiliate food banks across the province are robust and comprehensive. Financial support, donations of food and consumer products, and resources and education all combine to form assistance for our neighbours. Here are some highlights.



A total of **\$2,653,756** in funds were shared with food banks in British Columbia.

	Corporate Philanthropy and Cause Marketing Campaigns	\$1,551,402
	Food Banks Canada National Granting Programs	\$502,832
	National Campaigns and Individual Giving	\$599,522

In addition, food banks in British Columbia received **\$100,608** directly from donors through nationally coordinated campaigns.

Working Together

36 food banks across British Columbia participated in the Retail Food Program, **1** individual completed the Safe Food Handling E-Learning program, **31** representatives from food banks from across British Columbia attended the 2019 National Conference, **7** food banks participated in After the Bell and **47** new users registered for Ignite.



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