# Illinois Local Food Purchasing Assistance
# Interested Lead Agencies

## North-Central Illinois



### Angelic Organics Learning Center

*Angelic Organics Learning Center builds sustainable local food and farm systems through experiential education and training programs in partnership with rural and urban people.*

1545 Rockton Rd, Caledonia, IL 61011
815-389-8455
jackie.b@learngrowconnect.org
www.learngrowconnect.org
Open to partnerships up to 1 ½ hours from location

### Midwest Food Bank

*As a faith-based organization, Midwest Food Bank's mission is to share the love of Christ by alleviating hunger and malnutrition locally and throughout the world and providing disaster relief, all without discrimination.*

9005 N. Industrial Rd. Peoria, IL 61615
309-691-5270
akamm@midwestfoodbank.org
www.midwestfoodbank.org
Open to partnerships up to 2 ½ hours from location

## Northeast Illinois



### Black Oaks Center

*The mission of Black Oaks Center is to facilitate local food system development from Pembroke to Chicago.*

6735 S South Chicago Ave
773-410-3446
blackoakscenter@gmail.com
www.blackoakscenter.org
Open to partnerships up to 2 ½ hours from location

### Chicago Local Foods

*Chicago Local Foods is a food hub and wholesale distributor supplying locally sourced produce, proteins, and more to restaurants and institutions in Chicago and around the region.*

1427 W Willow St., Chicago, IL 60642
919-412-2166
jamie@localfoods.com
www.localfoods.com
Open to partnerships up to 2 ½ hours from location

### Common Market Great Lakes

*The Common Market is a 501(c)3 mission-driven distributor of sustainable, local farm foods. The Common Market provides an efficient delivery system for local institutions and communities to procure from multiple farms throughout the Chicago region. We aggregate products from small and mid-scale farmers, democratizing access to fair market opportunities while expanding food access for vulnerable communities.*

400 E 71st St, Chicago, IL 60619
224-955-7720 x 44
greatlakes@thecommonmarket.org
www.thecommonmarket.org
Open to partnerships up to 2 ½ hours from location

## Illinois Migrant Council

333 Commerce Dr. Suite 800 Crystal Lake, IL 60014
1-815-995-0300
mrivera@illinoismigrant.org
www.illinoismigrant.org
Open to partnerships up to 2 hours from location

## In His Hands Resource Center Inc.

*The mission of In His Hands Resource Center is to facilitate and sustain human and economic viability in underserved communities and act as a common navigator for small businesses.*

1200 Ring Rd., Calumet City, IL 60409
312-768-3871
inhh.nfp@gmail.com
www.inhhresources.com
Open to partnerships up to 2 ½ hours from location

## Northern Illinois Food Bank

*Northern Illinois Food Bank is a food bank that serves 13 counties in Northern Illinois.*

273 Dearborn Ct, Geneva, IL 60134
630-443-6910
serruto@northernilfoodbank.org
https://solvehungertoday.org/
Open to partnerships up to 2 hours from location

## Run-A-Way Buckers Cowboy Cowgirl

*Run-A-Way Buckers organization provides fresh non-pesticide produce and non-hormonal pastured farm-raised chickens. We provide fresh produce to our local veterans, seniors and disabled, schools, and food pantries. We educate the youth in the community on basic agricultural and animal husbandry practices. We provide an intern and mentoring program.*

14317 E 2000 S Rd, Pembroke Township, IL
815-272-1326
stewart91863@sbcglobal.net
www.runawaybuckers.com
Open to partnerships up to 1 ½ hours from location

## Central Illinois

### Carle Health



*Carle Health is a health system with many initiatives focused on addressing food insecurity and personal nutrition within the communities that Carle serves. The Mobile Market provides access to fresh and nutritious foods to food desserts and limited-resource communities. The Mobile Market also provides education on healthy preparation and preservation of produce obtained on the market.*

4116 Fieldstone Rd. Champaign, IL 61822
217-902-3112
Jonathan.Woods@Carle.com
https://carle.org/Services/Mobile-Market
https://carle.org/Services/Institutes/Community-Health-Initiatives-Overview
Open to partnerships up to 1 hour from location

## Southern Illinois

### Lively Stone Church Ministry



*Lively Stone Church Ministry has a local food pantry.*

17000 Oakland Ave. Mount Vernon, IL
618-203-2593
banikkatipton@gmail.com
Open to partnerships up to 2 hours from location

### Operation Food Search

*With a strategic focus on ending childhood hunger, Operation Food Search (OFS) empowers families and increases access to healthy and affordable food in 40 Missouri and Illinois counties. It approaches food insecurity from an "upstream" perspective by addressing immediate need through 168 community food distribution partners, shopping/cooking/nutrition education, and food as medicine/advocacy work to foster systemic, sustainable solutions.*

1644 Lotsie Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63132
314-726-5355

ashley.snyder@operationfoodsearch.org
christine.krueger@operationfoodsearch.org
operationfoodsearch.org
Open to partnerships up to 1 hour from location

## Pete's Produce

116 W 9th St, Mount Carmel, IL
1-618-262-6531
hairport89@yahoo.com
Open to partnerships up to 1 ½ hours from location

## St. Louis Area Food Bank

*St. Louis Area Food Bank serves 26 counties, including 12 in Southwest Illinois. Our vision is a nutritionally secure Missouri AND Illinois, and we are actively looking to partner with local farmers and growers across Southwest Illinois to support the residents of Illinois with locally grown, healthy foods.*

70 Corporate Woods Drive, Bridgeton, MO 63044
314-292-6262
MKNOPP@STLFOODBANK.ORG
https://stlfoodbank.org/
Open to partnerships up to 1 ½ hours from location

## Tri-State Food Bank, Inc.

*A member of the Feeding America network of food banks, Tri-State Food Bank collects and disburses food to partner agencies and feeding programs assisting food-insecure families.*

2504 Lynch Road, Evansville, IN 4772
812-303-3558
glennroberts@tristatefoodbank.org
https://tristatefoodbank.org/
Open to partnerships up to 1 ½ hours from location

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