

## A NOTE FROM KIM

At Community Food Share, we're working toward something simple yet profound: a future where no one has to worry about their next meal. Our refreshed mission shows how we'll get there: We partner with our community to provide access to nourishing food—supporting health, cultivating hope, and fueling resiliency.



These words guide how we show up every day. For our neighbors, for each other, and for the values we hold as a community. In my decades in food banking, I've learned this work has always been about more than food. It's about connection, trust, and dignity.

Supporting health means offering fresh, nutritious, and culturally meaningful food, so families don't just have enough to eat, but the kind of food that helps them feel strong and well. Cultivating hope happens in small moments, like a warm welcome at our pantry doors or the relief a parent feels knowing their budget can stretch further. And fueling resiliency comes from consistency: showing up every single day, for 44 years, so neighbors know they can count on us.

This refresh comes at an important time. Families in Boulder and Broomfield Counties are still feeling the strain of high costs, yet we see incredible resilience: volunteers giving their time, partners standing shoulder to shoulder with us, and donors changing lives with their generosity.

As we enter the holiday season, I invite you to live our vision with us. Helping us ensure families gather around tables filled with food and memories, not worry.



Gratefully,

Kim Da Silva  
CEO, Community Food Share



### Little moments. Big impact.

In a season filled with light and tradition, we come together to create something bigger—meals on tables and hope for neighbors across our community.

Making Spirits Bright celebrates the warmth, connection, and generosity of the holidays, turning them into the joy of giving. It's **health, hope, and resiliency** woven into the holidays.

JOIN THE SEASON OF GIVING BY  
PARTICIPATING IN OUR UPCOMING EVENTS:



NOVEMBER 1  
Making Spirits Bright Food Drive  
at King Soopers

NOVEMBER 1 - DECEMBER 7  
9Cares Drive

NOVEMBER 3 - DECEMBER 11  
Corporate Challenge

NOVEMBER 27  
Louisville Turkey Trot 5K

DECEMBER 9  
Colorado Gives Day

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# BEYOND THE PLATE

Mission launched. Impact celebrated.

health. hope. resiliency.



## MISSION

We partner with our community to provide access to nourishing food — supporting health, cultivating hope, and fueling resiliency.

## VISION

A future where no one has to worry about their next meal



## WE BRING OUR MISSION TO LIFE THROUGH ACTION IN FIVE AREAS:

### Partner

Working with agencies, donors, and volunteers to build trust, expand impact, and respond with compassion.

### Community

Lifting neighbors' voices, ensuring inclusive services, and creating belonging.

### Health

Providing safe, culturally relevant, nutritious food that supports lasting health.

### Hope

Creating moments of relief and possibility, grounded in empathy and dignity.

### Resiliency

Strengthening food security, standing with neighbors through challenges, and growing with equity.

Over the past year, Community Food Share engaged staff, volunteers, donors, partner agencies, and shoppers in a multi-step process to refine our mission and vision.

The mission and vision will shape how we show up every day- they define why we exist and where we're headed. This is a values-based commitment. While resources fluctuate, we hold that everyone should have access to nourishing food. This belief inspires donors, partners, and policymakers to help close the gap. They sharpen how we describe our purpose, set cultural expectations, and guide decision-making. For example, the mission explicitly names health, hope, and resiliency—each tied to programmatic priorities already measured in our strategic plan.

 **13.3 MILLION**  
POUNDS OF FOOD DISTRIBUTED  
NOT INCLUDING PET FOOD OR NON-FOOD POUNDAGE

**6,503.30**  
METRIC TONS OF CO<sub>2</sub> REDUCED  
EQUALS 1,548 PASSENGER VEHICLES DRIVEN FOR ONE YEAR



### Feeding Families

Our Feeding Families program distributed 2.8 million pounds of food in FY25, which accounts for 21% of the total 13.5 million pounds distributed. This vital initiative reached 13,842 unduplicated individuals, ensuring families had access to nourishing meals. Furthermore, we proudly launched a dedicated Senior Shopping Hour in June, serving 41 unduplicated seniors in its inaugural month.



### Blue Spruce Neighbors

The Blue Spruce program focuses specifically on supporting our aging neighbors through home deliveries and distributions. In total, the program reached 872 unduplicated individuals and distributed 256,883 pounds of food, directly contributing to the well-being and food security of older adults in our community, fostering a sense of care and connection.

 **60,000**  
INDIVIDUALS SERVED

 **11.08 MILLION**  
MEALS DISTRIBUTED  
1.2 LBS = 1 MEAL



### Mobile Pantry

The Mobile Pantry program continues to extend our reach into various communities, delivering 479,165 pounds of food directly to those in need. Through these efforts, we successfully served 6,194 unduplicated individuals, bringing essential groceries and fresh produce closer to their homes. This flexible and accessible distribution model helps overcome barriers to food access.



### Partner Agencies : Collaborated

Our collaborative efforts with over 45 Partner Agencies form the backbone of our distribution network, moving a remarkable 9,729,402 pounds of food. This represents over 75% of our total food distributed. We are proud to supply 50% or more of the food these partners distribute at no cost to them. This strategic partnership empowers numerous local organizations, amplifying our collective impact in fighting hunger.