



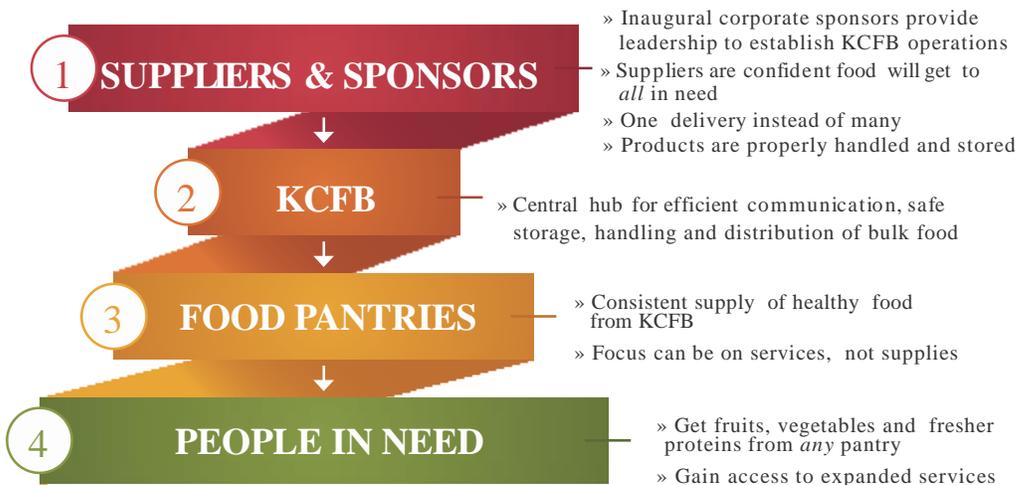
By Kenosha. For Kenosha.

Here in Kenosha, we care about each other. Sadly, two in five children and young adults suffer from food insecurity. How can we make sure the most vulnerable children and adults in our county have reliable access to both healthy food and the services they desperately need?

We can accomplish both as we move to a better model of supporting and supplying our food pantries. That model exists today.

The efficiency and equity of a food bank

Kenosha County Food Bank (KCFB) is not a food pantry. It is the centralized hub for securing healthy, fresh food from suppliers and then distributing that food to pantries in and around Kenosha.



A food bank is the right fit for our growing county

We've seen our fellow Kenoshans lined up behind trucks, getting food of variable quality, often more than they can use. And we know not every pantry has the same access to food.

We can do better. We can ensure people have food fit for their families plus access to services to help them move forward in life.

KCFB is the hub that suppliers, farms, pantries and people depend on. We appeal to leaders and visionaries of Kenosha to consider how well KCFB fits our communities' increasing needs and help us grow.

BB Gordon Food Service, since building our Distribution Center in Kenosha in 2010, has donated more than 10 million pounds of food products to local food programs serving Kenosha County organizations. Creating KCFB, as a single outlet that works alongside of us to facilitate this scale of local distribution, just makes sense. For this reason, we're proud to be a partner to KCFB and serve on their board of directors.

Scott Nelson, Regional Sales Manager, Gordon Food Service

BB We perceived value in the formation of a centralized food bank in our community; so much so that the Foundation has granted seed funding to KCFB.

Jane Harrington-Heide, Executive Director, Kenosha Community Foundation

BB The Kenosha County Food Bank, and its network of food pantries, are working collaboratively now. The KCFB has played a critical role in assisting local pantries do their work.

Tamarra Coleman, Executive Director, Shalom Center

BB KCFB is long overdue in this growing community with such need.

Sharon Pomaville, Executive Director, The Sharing Center