



Funds Distribution Report

Recipient Organization:
Emergency Food Network

Address:
3318 92nd St S
Lakewood, WA 98499

Contact:
(253) 584-1040
<https://www.efoodnet.org>

Organization's General Goals:
Our mission is to provide Pierce County with a consistent, diverse and nutritious food supply so that no person goes hungry.

Date of Award:	Level:
2022 Q3	\$500 to \$2,500

For more information, please read the attached report from Emergency Food Network.

8802 27th Ave NE
Tulalip, WA 98271

TulalipCares.org

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...so that no person goes hungry.

June 6, 2023

Marilyn Sheldon
Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions
8802 27th Ave NE
Tulalip, WA 98271

Dear Marilyn,

Emergency Food Network is grateful for the generous support we received from the Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions in 2022. Please accept this letter as the requested report on the grant of ██████ received on December 6, 2022 (Code: Q3 2022 14.2). Funds from the Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions supported our Co-op Food Purchasing Program, which provided more than 1.5 million pounds of nutritious food to our Partner Programs in 2022.

Together with our partners, EFN served 2 million visits in 2022, a record high in our history. Many families turned to our network for support as they faced compounding hardships, including historic inflation rates and the end of pandemic-era relief such as the Child Tax Credit. To meet this need, EFN utilized every available avenue to get food to our partners. The Co-op Food Purchasing Program was a vital part of our strategy, and we spent \$1.2 million on staples such as rice, oats, pasta, and canned fruits and vegetables to stock food pantry shelves. In spite of record-high need, 98% of our Partner Programs reported that they maintained an adequate food supply in 2022. Support from the Tulalip Tribes Charitable Fund was instrumental in EFN's ability to distribute nutritious staples and feed our hungry neighbors.

Thank you for your gift, and thank you for being a part of the EFN community. If you have any further questions about our work, please reach out at 253.584.1040 or Marissal@efoodnet.org. We can't address food insecurity in Pierce County alone – we are grateful for your partnership in ensuring that no person goes hungry.

Gratefully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michelle".

Michelle Douglas
Chief Executive Officer



