

The River Food Pantry



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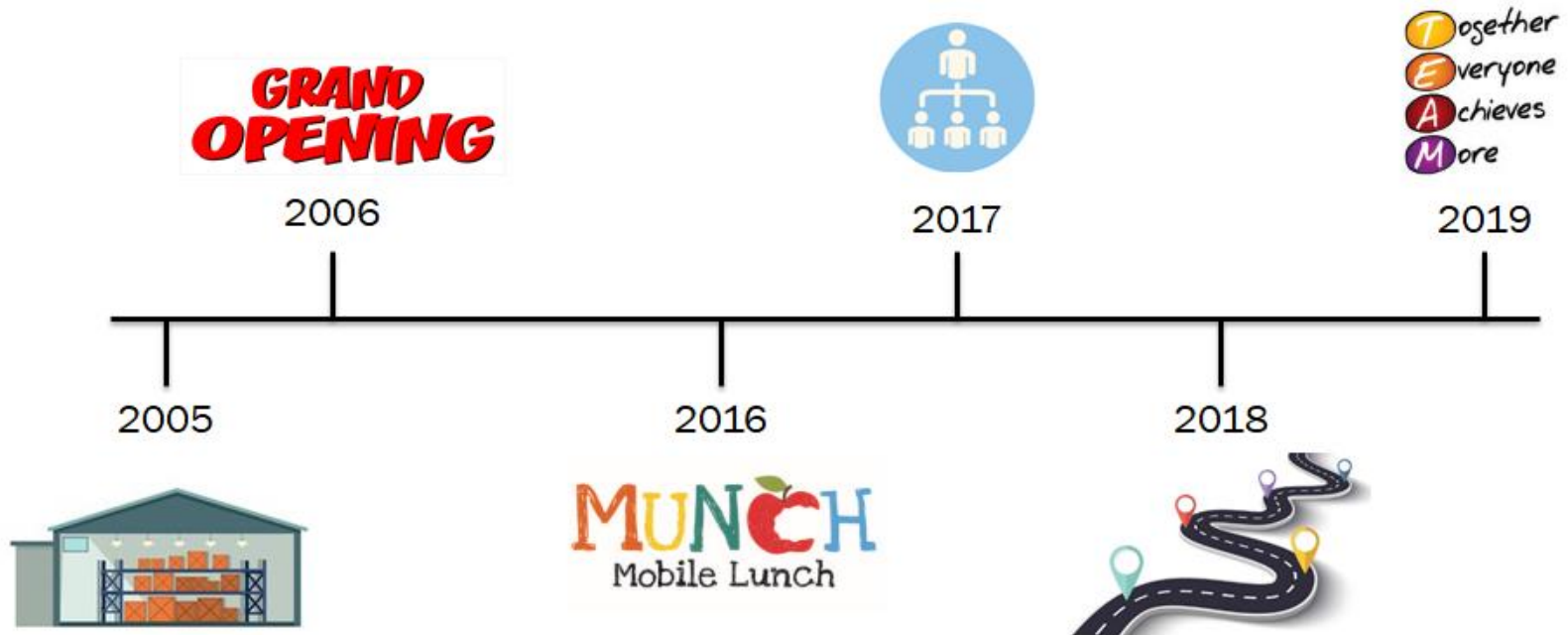
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ABOUT THE RIVER FOOD PANTRY

- › Mission: Food, resources and faith to build a stronger community



NEED FOR CONSISTENT SUPPLY OF FRESH PRODUCE

- › 6 hot meals per week
- › 419 MUNCH meals per day
- › Food for Success Food Pantries



community meals served



81,904

MUNCH lunches distributed
to children & teens on
non-school days

THE FLEX FARM 288

- > Fork Farms hydroponics system
- > Fresh produce year round
 - 25 lbs. every 28 days
- > Energy Efficient
 - 12 cents per kWh = \$16 monthly
- > Low operational needs
 - Estimated 2-3 hours a month to maintain/harvest



HYDROPONICS

- The process of growing plants without soil.
- Environmentally Sustainable
 - "Integrating sustainability principles and practices throughout our company and our communities."

vs. Traditional Agriculture



95%
More Energy
Efficient



99%
More Land
Efficient



97%
More Water
Efficient



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COMMUNITY



ENVIRONMENT



PEOPLE

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PROPOSAL

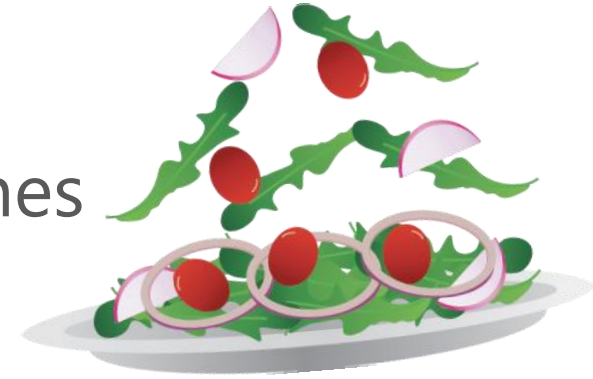
- › We ask that American Family grant The River Food Pantry \$9,490 to be used for 2 Flex Farm 288 systems and supplies to last the next 2.5 years. One of The River Food Pantry's **DREAMS** is to have a consistent supply of **FRESH** produce to serve to their clients of the market and their MUNCH program.

PROPOSAL NUMBERS

Item	Cost per Unit	Number of Units	Total Cost per Item
Flex Farm 228	\$3,995.00	2	\$7,990
Resupply Kits	\$150.00	10	\$1,500
Shipping	Free	N/A	\$0
Total Cost			\$9,490

USES OF FRESH PRODUCE

- › On sandwiches of MUNCH lunches
- › Distributed to clients
- › A part of community meals



\$1.72



VS.

\$0.35



COMMUNITY IMPACT

6,863 Clients



3,000 Volunteers



Washington Elementary, Merrill, WI

2,001 Households



THANK YOU!

QUESTIONS?

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