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Dear Partners, Supporters, and Friends,

Like many of you, we at Worcester County Food Bank (WCFB) had to take some time to reflect on the recent presidential campaign, election, and the troubling commentary associated with it. The bigotry that surfaced from communities around the country, including ours, is deeply disturbing. Many of us, our friends, and neighbors, are fearful and anxious about what the next four years will bring.

In this time of uncertainty what we know is that every challenge we face brings opportunity. We have the opportunity to show the full power of advocacy in action. This is, and always has been, a daunting task; but it's one we're prepared for.

For more than three decades, WCFB has been dedicated to providing and ensuring access to healthy food for all people regardless of race, ethnicity, national origin, religion, immigration status, gender identity, age, ability, and health status. We believe that food is a fundamental right, that hunger is an issue of social justice, and that all people should be treated with dignity and respect, always.

In collaboration with our tremendous network of Partner Agencies and supporters like you, we're ready to firmly face this next chapter of ensuring healthy food and strong communities that are inclusive of all people.

This is our commitment to you and our community.

Bank of America "Give a Meal" TRIPLES your Donation



From now until the end of the year, Bank of America is generously sponsoring the "Give a Meal" Campaign to raise national awareness about food insecurity and help support our community. For every \$1 you donate through [Give A Meal](#), **Bank of America will donate \$2 MORE** to fight hunger. Special thanks to Bank of America, and for all donor support for this campaign! [more info](#)

24th Annual Feed Worcester County Food and Fund Drive



Your Christmas Station, Today's Variety, 96.1 SRS is doing it again this year! December 7th-10th Come on out to the Price Chopper at 72 Pullman Street in Worcester for our 24th Annual Feed Worcester County Food & Fund Drive.

96.1 SRS' Suzanne & Greg in the Morning will broadcast live while playing classic holiday music - you won't want to miss this! [more info](#)

Thank You for Your Support!



Thanks to your generous support, more than **3,350 turkeys** and **664 grocery gift cards** helped families feed new traditions around their Thanksgiving Day table.

Giving Tuesday was also a tremendous success-- Worcester County Food Bank received over **\$8,000** in donations! That's enough to distribute **\$40,000** worth of food neighbors in need.

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