



Economic Impact Study

QUANTIFYING THE EFFECT OF HUNGER RELIEF ON CENTRAL FLORIDA'S ECONOMY

Second Harvest Food Bank of Central Florida has created an **ECONOMIC IMPACT OF MORE THAN**

RETURNING **\$13.06**

in economic benefit for every \$1 invested in it.

\$187
million
for fiscal year 2015-16

The direct economic impact is composed of

INFLOWS

Food donations,
monetary donations
& volunteer hours



OUTFLOWS

Operating budget and value
of food distributed to its
feeding partners



IN THE PAST FISCAL YEAR,
SECOND HARVEST HAS
DISTRIBUTED

54 million meals



\$135 million

THE VALUE OF FOOD THE
NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION
DISTRIBUTED



\$2 million

IS THE VALUE OF TIME DONATED BY
29,000 VOLUNTEERS

22,500 tons of food WOULD HAVE BEEN WASTED

HAD IT NOT GONE TO
SECOND HARVEST



30,000 cubic tons of

POTENTIALLY WASTED
FOOD WAS DIVERTED
FROM LANDFILLS
TO THE ORLANDO-BASED
FOOD BANK



\$1.8 million

IN TOTAL ANNUAL SALARIES WERE EARNED
BY GRADUATES OF THE SECOND HARVEST
CULINARY TRAINING PROGRAM.

To learn more please visit www.feedhopenow.org/economy

Second Harvest
FOOD BANK
OF CENTRAL FLORIDA