



Food Drive Guidelines

We are grateful for donations of any quantity, but transportation costs limit our ability to pick up donations of one barrel or less. For single barrel drives, please make arrangements to deliver food to the Food Bank. If your food drive produces multiple barrels, pickup/delivery is available with at least 48 hours notice.

The Food Bank of Lincoln appreciates your support and help in alleviating hunger in Southeast Nebraska. Any assistance with picking up/bringing barrels back to the Food Bank is greatly appreciated. This will help us reduce operating costs and more efficiently serve children, families and seniors.

How do I get a barrel for my drive?

The Food Bank of Lincoln has barrels available for your food drive. Please help cut our transportation costs by picking up the barrels from the Food Bank (4840 Doris Bair Circle, Suite A). We ask that if your food drive is less than two barrels, please make arrangements to pick the barrel up.

If you need of multiple barrels and transportation is an issue, arrangements can be made to deliver the barrels.

What happens if the barrels fill up before your drive is over?

If your drive is even more successful than anticipated and your barrels are overflowing before the end of your drive, please call Jami at

(402) 466-8170, ext. 124. We will work with you to make arrangements to schedule an additional pick up/delivery. We may need 48 hours notice to get a driver out to pick up multiple barrels. We will do our best to get pick the barrels up as soon as possible.

How do I get our food drive donations to the Food Bank?

Food can be dropped off Monday-Friday, from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. PLUS if you schedule your food drop off in advance, we will give you a tour of the Food Bank. If you have at least two barrels at the end of your drive, please contact Jami at (402) 466-8170, ext. 124 and we will schedule a driver to pick it up.

Most Needed Food Items:

- Tuna and other canned meats
- Canned fruits and vegetables
- Cereal
- Peanut butter
- Coffee
- Macaroni & cheese and other boxed dinners
- Soups, canned or boxed
- 100% fruit juices

We encourage pop-top lids on cans whenever possible as well as low-sodium vegetables and fruits in their own juice instead of syrup. This is a way to provide healthier options for hungry neighbors. Thank you for considering these requests!



The mission of the Food Bank of Lincoln is to alleviate hunger in Southeast Nebraska.

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