



Second Harvest Food Bank **PROPOSAL**

Ending Hunger, Feeding Hope

the SITUATION

Hungry Children Are at Risk of Failing in School

For too many kids, the end of the school day and weekends are not a time for play, but a time to wonder where their next meal will come from. Sometimes, kids come to school on Monday without having eaten for a day, or more. Their teachers know what the problem is – they just don't have the resources to do anything about it.

the PLAN

Provide Schools with Food for Hungry Kids to Take Home

Our Food For Kids program provides backpacks filled with kid-friendly food for children to take home after school or on the weekends. We want every elementary school in East Tennessee to be included in this essential program.

the CHALLENGE

There are Not Enough Resources for Every School

Right now, 168 elementary schools have signed up for the Food For Kids program for the upcoming school year. Unfortunately, most schools do not yet have a sponsor and Second Harvest is struggling to find the resources necessary to make sure that every child who needs this program is able to enroll.

the OPPORTUNITY

Sponsor a School Near You to Ensure Kids Don't Go Hungry when the Day Ends

You or your organization can fully sponsor the Food For Kids program for an entire school year for just \$2,800. Your sponsorship will ensure that kids have weekend meals, provide emergency food support for families and fill backpacks for all the children who need help in that school for an entire school year.

Not only will you help hungry children, but your commitment and generosity will be acknowledged in our publications, at our events and on our website. It is a great way for you or your organization to be recognized as a leader in the community – and it makes a real difference for kids in need.

For more detailed information please visit: www.secondharvestknox.org
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