COVID-19 CRISIS HEAPS PRESSURE ON NATION'S FOOD BANKS

Feeding San Diego was featured in the NBC News COVID-19 special report with Lester Holt on April 7, 2020. The story shed light on how "food banks and pantries across the country are facing a steep drop-off in the bread and butter of their operations: food donated by supermarkets and farms.”

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HOW YOU CAN HELP

Find Food  Make a Gift  Donate Food  Start a Fundraiser  Spread the Word

For benefit campaigns and fund drives, click here.

SPOTLIGHT INTERVIEW: MICHAEL AT EMERGENCY DISTRIBUTION

"Fortunately, I'm still working. I still have two jobs. But I am trying to get this for the elderly people, the people who can't get out...it's a worthy cause."

Michael received one of the 1,100 food boxes that were given out along with fresh produce as part of our weekly drive-through emergency food distribution yesterday at the distribution in partnership with the San Diego & Imperial Counties Labor Council.

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GIVE TODAY AND DOUBLE YOUR IMPACT

Feeding San Diego is working diligently to meet the rapidly increasing need for food assistance throughout the county. The need grows every day along with our costs to operate our emergency hunger-relief programs. Gwendolyn M. Sontheim and the Aqualia International Foundation LTD are generously matching gifts up to $1 million. Every $1 donated becomes $2!

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UNITE: STAKEHOLDER CALL SERIES

Feeding San Diego is holding a series of UNITE: Stakeholder Calls over the next few weeks with CEO Vince Hall and other members of the Feeding San Diego team to keep the community informed about our COVID-19 response efforts. The webinars are conducted via Zoom video and phone conferencing. Register today for future calls and view past recordings.

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SAN DIEGO CITY FIREFIGHTERS: 19 DAYS OF FIGHTING COVID-19

Thank you to the San Diego City Firefighters for launching a special campaign to help local community organizations on the front lines during the coronavirus crisis! Feeding San Diego was nominated as a beneficiary by Councilmember Jennifer Campbell. We were presented with a generous gift towards our COVID-19 Response Fund and featured in a Facebook live interview with CEO Vince Hall.

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LOCAL PROFESSIONAL CYCLISTS HOST FOOD & FUNDS DRIVE

Hundreds of thousands have found themselves unemployed and more families now struggle to put food on the table for their children. As hunger rises, volunteers trapped at home are looking for new ways to make a difference. Professional cyclist and Encinitas local, Jess Cerra, was one individual who rose to the challenge. With the help of another local professional cyclist, Sam Boardman, she spent nearly a month planning and working out the logistics to host a contact-free food and funds drive next Friday, April 17 at Union Cowork Encinitas.

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Feeding San Diego is grateful to our dedicated corporate and foundation partners for generously supporting our COVID-19 Response Fund.

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