



COMMUNITY IMPACT REPORT DISASTER RESPONSE 2013

FROM OUR LEADERS

In June of 2013, we at Care and Share, like so many others in our community, were busy planning our summer. We were focused on promoting food drives, preparing children's meals in our Community Kitchen, and working to feed those at risk of hunger throughout Southern Colorado. Little did we realize that our community would once again be experiencing the tragedy of record breaking fires. When the Black Forest Fire began, we knew that our neighbors might be facing unbearable loss and that they would need food during this critical time. Our community came together to provide support in ways we never could have imagined.

Volunteers and businesses from far and wide arrived to help us ensure that we could do what we do best—feed people in need. By the time the fire was contained on June 20th through the efforts of more than 450 firefighters, first responders, and law enforcement officers, 486 homes had been lost and more than 22 square miles of Black Forest had burned. While the fire was contained and our food drive had come to a close, our work had only just begun. During the summer we partnered with hundreds of caring volunteers and organizations to host free farmers markets, distribute food at community meetings, operate a grocery card program, distribution of holiday food boxes, and much more. You showed the world again that this community cares. You ensured that our neighbors would not go without the food they needed to make it through such challenging times. Thank you! We were humbled to be just one of the vehicles to bring a sense of peace during this time of need.

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I just wanted to thank Care and Share for the food give away this morning. I wasn't expecting this much stuff. I was evacuated from my house for 12 days but I didn't have any damage to my house but I did end up throwing away food from my fridge. I made myself a BLT sandwich with the items I received this morning. I have a friend who lost his house in the fire so I gave him the rest of the food. I did pick out 1 package of bacon, tomatoes, 2 ears of corn, and the water.
THANK YOU SO MUCH!!

DONOR ENGAGEMENT

Care and Share received food, beverage, and financial donations from more than 2,500 identified donors and hundreds more anonymous donors. We received financial support from donors throughout the United States. These donors made gifts ranging from \$1.26 to \$25,000. The list below acknowledges donations of \$1,500 or more. All donations are acknowledged on our website at www.careandshare.org.

Financial Contributors

\$10,000-\$25,000+

Walmart Foundation
Air Academy Federal Credit Union
Conoco Phillips
G. J. Aigner Foundation, Inc.
Jake Jabs Charities
Pikes Peak Community Foundation
Robert Blaha-Flying Horse Black Forest Recovery Golf Tournament
Toyota Motor Sales, USA, Inc.
Wells Fargo

\$5,000-\$9,999

Agilent Technologies Foundation
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In-Kind Contributors

\$250,000 and above

Feeding America

\$25,000 to \$75,000
Food Bank of the Rockies
Niagara Bottling, LLC
Pepsi

\$5,000-\$24,999

Classic Wines - Denver
Colorado Springs World Arena
Lions Club
OfficeScapes
Pikes Peak Community College
Sam's Clubs

\$1,500-\$4,999

Frito Lay
Kids Against Hunger
New Life Church
Odwalla
Panera Bread
Safeway
Sinton Dairy



2013 DISASTER RESPONSE

BY THE NUMBERS

PEOPLE REACHED

Households served through Direct Service, Free Farmers Markets, and Agencies 2,404
 Individuals served through Direct Service, Free Farmers Markets and Agencies 7,830
(note: Some families received food on more than one occasion, which was encouraged)

Temporarily Displaced		31%
Lost Work		26%
Permanently Displaced		20%
First Responders		2%
Firefighters		1%



FOOD RECEIVED

Donated Food and Beverage 712,141 pounds
 Purchased Food 161,825 pounds
Total Food and Beverage Received 873,966 pounds

FOOD DISTRIBUTED

Direct Service and Farmers Markets 355,906 pounds
 By Partner Agencies 99,436 pounds
 To emergency response agencies and shelters 351,436 pounds
 To and by Firefighters 87,740 pounds
 To and by Volunteers 4,592 pounds
Total Distributed as of October 31, 2013 899,110 pounds

IN KIND SERVICES

Revenue

In-Kind Services	\$800
Food Drive Giving	\$518,980
Donated Food Value	\$1,399,751
Total Revenue	\$1,919,531

Expenses

Labor	\$75,465
Administrative	\$6,413 <small>(supplies, mileage, printing, charge card fees, postage)</small>
Operations	\$3,222
Food Related Expenses	\$1,642,128 <small>(donated food distributed, purchased food, freight acquisition fees)</small>
Total Expenses	\$1,727,228

Value Remaining

Food Value	\$66,063
Cash Donations	\$192,369

Donated Food Remaining* 37,797 pounds

All data reported as of October 31, 2013

*Note: Donated food remaining includes food and beverage donated throughout the year for disaster relief, but not specifically designated for Black Forest Fire Relief.

PARTNERSHIP

Every day Care and Share relies on the tireless dedication of our partner agencies to reach those throughout Southern Colorado at risk of hunger. We called on our partner agencies again in 2013 during this time of community need. The following agencies played a vital role in distributing more than **99,436 POUNDS** of food, water, and personal care items to our neighbors affected by the disasters of 2013.

*Black Forest Cares | Christian House of Prayer | Connections 4 Life Center | Eastborough Food Pantry
 Ecumenical Social Ministries | Ellicott Helping Hands Faith Works | First Baptist Church Black Forest
 Grace Be Unto You Church | High Plains Helping Hands | Lighthouse Baptist Church
 Marian House: Catholic Charities of Central Colorado | Salvation Army of Colorado Springs
 Silver Key Senior Services | Springs Tabernacle Church | The Food Pantry | The Remnant Church
 Tri-Lakes Cares | Trinity United Methodist Church*

PERSON TO PERSON

People were affected by the fire in a variety of ways. There were those who lost their homes, others who were evacuated, others still who lost their jobs or lost time from work due to evacuation and personal loss. Care and Share was devoted to meeting all levels of need for these people. Through free farmers markets, Care and Share distributed fresh produce, meat, dairy, water, personal care items, and nonperishable food. Through distributions at recovery centers and emergency shelters, those in need received food and water. The following organizations helped Care and Share distribute more than **899,110 POUNDS** of food, water, and personal care items to our community.

AAA | Agilent Technologies | All Breed Rescue | American Heritage Girls | American Red Cross Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield | Army Community Services | Banana Republic | Black Forest Animal Shelter | Black Forest Fire Department Boy Scouts | Camping World | Canon City Fire Department | Canon City Middle School | Cherwell Software Church of Jesus Christ Later Day Saints | Cimarron Hills Fire Department | Civil Air Patrol | Colorado College Colorado Springs Fire Department | Colorado Springs Police Department | Colorado Springs Utilities Crosses For Losses | David C. Cook | Del Norte High School | Denver School of Nursing Discover Goodwill of Southern and Western Colorado | Edith Wolford Elementary School El Paso County Citizen Service Center | El Paso County Emergency Operations Center | El Paso County Sheriff's Department Ellicott Fire Department | Ent Federal Credit Union | Evans Army Hospital | First Baptist Church, Lubbock Texas Fraternal Order of Eagles | Fort Carson | Fort Carson Warrior Fire Air Support | Gap, Inc. | Hewlett Packard Ingersoll Rand John Mall High School | Junior Officers Council | Kinder Morgan | La Veta High School Linquest Corporation | LSI Corporation | Manitou Springs Elementary School | Manitou Springs Fire Department Meridian Church Women's Group | Mesa Ridge High School Cheerleaders | Mountain View Christian Church National American University | National Charity League | Old Navy | Palmer Ridge High School | Patriot Learning Center Patriot Technologies | Peterson Air Force Base | Pikes Peak Community College | Pikes Peak Region Homeschool Co-op Pine Creek High School Rocky Mountain Calvary | Rocky Mountain Field Institute | Rocky Mountain Robotics Samaritans Purse | Schriever Air Force Base | Springs Ranch Church | St. Mary's High School Boys Basketball Team Target Stores | The Business of Art Center | The Pinery at Black Forest | Tri-Lakes/Monument Fire Protection T-Rowe Price | United States Air Force Academy | United States Olympic Training Center University of Colorado Colorado Springs | University of Phoenix | USAA | Venue 5151 | Vivint Gives Back | Walmart Wells Fargo Bank | Wescott Fire Department | Woodmen Valley Chapel

VOLUNTEERING SPIRIT

Our community's devotion to those in need was demonstrated in inspiring ways. Nothing inspires the spirit more than neighbors helping neighbors and nowhere was that spirit exhibited more than through the tireless efforts of volunteers who served at Care and Share during the summer months. Care and Share welcomed students, military service members from every branch, youth groups, retirees, service organization members, and even evacuees. More than **2,054 VOLUNTEERS** gave more than **5,591 HOURS** of their time. Their service was essential in our ability to receive and distribute food throughout our community.

To view or download this report, including full list of donors, please visit www.careandshare.org click on News & Events, Disaster Report or call 719-528-1247

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