

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EAST BAY FOOD PANTRY

January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015

"To engage, educate and empower the East Bay in creating a hunger-free community."

Respectfully submitted by Anita K. Randall 5/23/16

Dear Friends,

2015 marked our 6th year of service to families and individuals in need of food assistance in the East Bay. We celebrate our supporters, volunteers, and community – everyone who champions our mission "to engage, educate and empower the East Bay in creating a hunger-free community." We have accomplished so much together! In the last six years we have:

- Served over 7,500 unique individuals, during nearly 83,000 visits to EBFP!
- Distributed well over 1.25 million pounds of food!

While we are proud of our service numbers, we are even more excited about **how** we are serving our clients. Our Access Nutrition Initiative encompasses an innovative and award-winning array of programs offering high quality, healthy foods and nutrition education. Our newest Access Nutrition program, called Food4Seniors, will launch in March of 2016. Seniors can receive a supplemental box of food once each month which will include foods such as: Cereal, Fruit Juice, Tuna, Shelf Stable Milk, Peanut Butter, Pasta, Processed Cheese, Soups, Canned Fruits and Vegetables. Foods will be low sodium, low sugar and low fat. This is a federal program also known as the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) and advanced registration and proof of income are required.

EBFP serves approximately 1,000 people each month through one or more of our comprehensive *Access Nutrition* programs. Fortunately, we have a broad base of community support making it possible for us to serve such a large number of people. 2015 support successes:

- revenue increase of 10%
- pounds of donated food increased by 41%
- number of volunteers increased by 23%

We are fortunate to have a gifted and dedicated team comprised of our staff, board members and volunteers whose hard work and dedication are truly outstanding. We are most grateful for our fabulous and dedicated volunteers - *with nearly* **10,000** *hours of service to EBFP in 2015* - and without whom it would be impossible to provide the depth and quality of services to our clients. We appreciate the many ways everyone involved with EBFP helps bring our mission to life. Together, we have provided over 1.25 million meals since we opened our doors in August 2009!

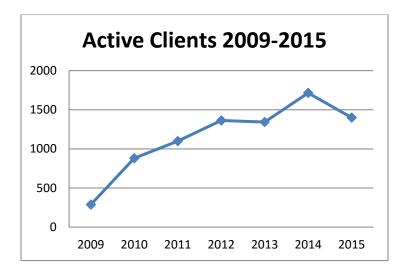
We are also grateful for the support we receive from the individuals, businesses and organizations in our community who understand that partnership is fundamental when providing assistance for over 5,000 East Bay neighbors struggling with food insecurity. We recognize that there are countless appeals for donations from numerous agencies and EBFP is committed to the philosophy of not inundating our supporters with requests. We host a single major fundraising event each year -Uncorked!- that we hope our supporters will attend, sponsor and help us promote. And we make only one annual appeal for contributions that we ask you to generously consider. This important work cannot be accomplished without YOUR help.

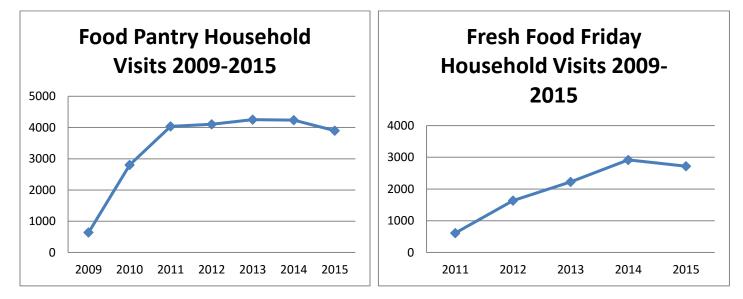
We continue to be inspired by our clients, volunteers, supporters and community. Together we can do it!

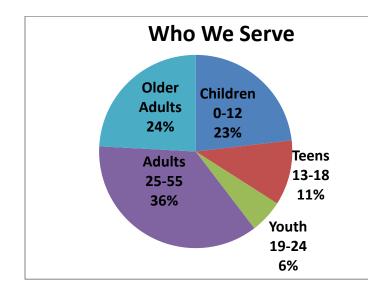
With hope,

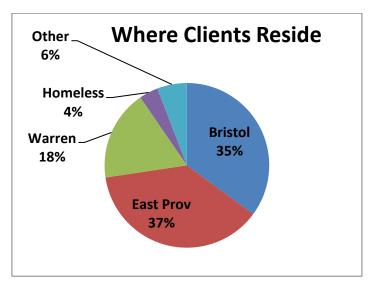
Anita Randall, Founder and Executive Director

Statistics Summary for 2009-2015









Statistics

Monthly Report 2015						015				
Month	Total House- hold Visits	Total Indi- vidual Visits	Total Equiv- alent Meals	Total Lbs. Food Distrib.	Active House- holds	New House- holds	Pantry Visits	FFF Visits	F4K Visits	Cooking Class Att.
January	446	1056	12106	17,946	1,731	13	271	150	25	5
February	438	1048	11821	20,191	1,116	14	268	145	25	9
March	494	1125	12708	18,615	1,141	21	296	169	29	5
April	539	1298	14826	23,128	1,164	19	332	184	23	4
May	604	1359	14363	25,282	1,194	30	330	259	15	6
June	561	1321	14880	15,299	1,224	21	312	218	31	0
July	703	1669	16955	20,543	1,247	20	339	289	75	0
August	669	1540	15800	18,316	1,278	29	314	293	62	0
September	738	1669	17291	26,572	1,314	29	373	329	36	0
October	745	1613	16676	30,852	1,346	24	367	342	36	10
November	577	1344	19235	35,543	1,375	26	377	187	13	8
December	491	1109	16243	18,225	1,400	16	321	156	14	5
Total	7005	16151	182904	270512	1,400	262	3,900	2,721	384	52

Category totals:

- Total Household Visits 7,005
- Total Individual Visits 16,151
- Total Equiv. Meals 182,904
- Total Lbs. Food Rcvd. 270,512
- Active Households 1,400
- New Households 262
- Inactive Households 1,396
- Pantry Household Visits 3,900
- Pantry Individual Visits 9,103

FFF Household Visits – 2,721 FFF Indiv. Visits – 6,175 F4K Household Visits – 384 F4K Kid Visits - 873 Cooking Class Attendees - 52 Thanksgiving Baskets- 377 Christmas Baskets – 321 Christmas for Kids - 323

Board of Directors

Board of Directors 2015

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Staff



Karen Griffith, Programs and Operations Manager



Louise Dion, Customer Service Cashier



Jodi Miller, Thrift Shop Coordinator



Laura Temple (with daughter, Marina) Programs Assistant



Anita Randall (with husband, Dan) Executive Director



All members of our staff began with EBFP as volunteers and are deeply committed to the mission of our agency. Our top priorities are to offer the best pantry programming possible for our clients and to make volunteering with EBFP a terrific experience for those who give us their time. We are always open to your comments and suggestions and look forward to working together to make 2016 our most productive year yet!

MacLeod, EBFP Mascot/Therapy dog History and Mission

East Bay Food Pantry (EBFP) and its companion Thrift Shop were established in response to a growing need for assistance in the East Bay community that was identified by Pastor Daniel Barron Randall and the leadership of Bristol's First Congregational Church. With support from the East Bay Community Development Corporation, state legislators, HUD, and the Town of Bristol, space was secured on the ground level of the Franklin Court Assisted Living building on Wood Street in Bristol (rent and utility free). Over 200 volunteers, including professionals in the construction trades, spent over 3,000 hours cleaning, painting and preparing the space for the August 2009 opening. The East Bay Food Pantry began serving the community in August 2009, and received 501c3 status in December 2009. The EBFP is a RI Community Food Bank Member Agency, having met stringent training and compliance requirements. Clients from the East Bay area are served free of charge at the Food Pantry. The Thrift Shop is open to the public from Wednesday to Saturday, with thrift shop proceeds used to support our food programs.

The EBFP currently serves approximately 1,400 households with food distribution and meaningful communitybased programs utilizing best practices for effective service delivery and evaluation.

EBFP operates with an all part-time staff including our Executive Director, Programs and Operations Manager, Thrift Shop Coordinator, Programs Assistant, and Customer Service Cashier. There are currently over 40 active volunteers serving in both the Pantry and Thrift Shop, who bring varied professional and personal skills to the agency; including a nutritionist, nurses, educators, physicians, IT professionals, engineers and business leaders. Our valuable community partnerships assist us in meeting our mission of "*engaging, educating and empowering the East Bay in creating a hunger-free community*".

<u>Partnerships</u>

The Aide Foundation – food and clothing support The Beehive Pantry – regular bread donations Blithewold – produce donations Bristol County Elks - East Bay Cares - regular food donations, holiday baskets, cooking class supplies Bristol Bagel Works – regular bagel donations Bristol Warren School District – food and clothing support **Coggeshall Farm** – produce donations Division of Youth, Children, & Families - food and clothing support First Congregational Church in Bristol – holiday programs, food donations, volunteers Jamestown Community Farm – produce donations Roger Williams University – volunteers, interns, and food donations Magaziner Farm – produce donations McCoy Community Farm – produce donations Methodist Community Garden - produce donations Mount Hope Farm – produce donations Sacred Heart School – food donations St. John's – produce donations URI SNAP Education Department – SNAP registration, healthy food tastings, cooking classes Warren Community Garden – produce donations We Share Hope – weekly bread delivery, produce donations Women's Resource Center – food and clothing support

Memberships

Rhode Island Community Food Bank Bristol County Basic Needs Network Bristol Health Equity Zone Bristol Merchants Association Thrive by Five and Beyond



RWU Partners KC Ferrara and friends delivering Thanksgiving Baskets

Programs

Food Pantry

Food insecurity among Rhode Island families is a real and urgent social issue; one that the East Bay Food Pantry (EBFP) is addressing with compassion, expertise and innovation. Clients from the East Bay area are served free of charge once a month at the Food Pantry. EBFP is located one block from the bus line, and EBFP clients reside in the towns of East Providence, Barrington, Warren, Bristol, Portsmouth, Middletown, Newport, Tiverton, and Little Compton. Our "Client Choice" food pantry offers each client household selections based upon household



size and key nutritional guidelines. This practice reflects EBFP's belief in the dignity of each individual by providing a "shopping experience" for our clients. Clients choose all their items rather than receiving a bag of food selected for them that they may or may not want or need.

Holiday Baskets and Gifts

The Bristol County Elks, St. Mary's Church parishoners, St. Michael's Church, Roger Williams University students and staff, America's Best Defense, and many caring individuals assisted in fulfilling Thanksgiving basket requests for 377 client families (representing 918 individuals) and provided extra Christmas food for 321 client families (representing 747 individuals). The sixth year of our Christmas-4-Kids program provided multiple gifts of toys and clothing for 323 children in December 2015. Many businesses, churches, and individuals donated presents to East Bay children who would otherwise have received little or nothing for Christmas.

Thrift Shop Vouchers

This program enables area social service agencies and local schools to refer families and individuals experiencing hardship to shop in the Thrift Shop at no cost. We give out an average of \$300 worth of clothing, house-wares, and/or furniture to folks in need every month.

Access Nutrition Initiative

Our Access Nutrition Initiative is central to our philosophy and has a tremendous influence on all our other programs. Our goal is to *consistently* offer whole grains, low-fat dairy products, high quality protein, olive oil, and a wide variety of fruits and vegetables in all forms to our clients who rely on the EBFP to supplement their food needs. We are working to build nutrition consciousness into the culture of the EBFP, involving clients, staff and volunteers.

Access Nutrition combines the resources available from the RI Community Food Bank (targeted program foods, when available, and written materials) with the hands-on community services provided by SNAP-Ed and our own in-house, professional resources to offer more than just food to our at-risk clients. EBFP has a professional nutritionist who serves on the Board, provides nutrition education for clients and volunteers, and serves as program consultant for Access Nutrition. In addition, a SNAP-Education dietician offers occasional healthy food tastings, sharing recipes and collecting data on client responses.

EBFP is committed to building a nutrition-conscious culture that is evidenced year-round, not just during the growing season. This holistic approach includes educating staff and volunteers and offering activities for children focused on healthy eating. We are energized by the real potential for positive impact this initiative can have in the lives of some of the most vulnerable RI children and their families.



Fresh Food Fridays

In 2011, we began offering fresh food (produce, bread, etc.) to our clients every Friday. In addition to their regular, once a month pantry "shop", clients may come in any Friday to pick up any produce, bread, or other perishable food that is available. Our goal is to have clients incorporate fresh food into their diet every week. In addition, we are committed to getting produce and bread to our clients in its freshest and most nutritious state. The program was developed to support the goals of our Access Nutrition Initiative. The program has grown rapidly since its inception. We had 2,721 household visits in 2015, representing 6,175 individual visits.

Cooking Classes

Every month, the East Bay Food Pantry offers a healthy cooking class free of charge to interested clients. Led by a SNAP-Education dietician, each healthy cooking class offers pantry clients a chance to learn a new recipe and

covers a different health or nutrition topic. Clients have the opportunity to taste foods they might not otherwise have tried in a supportive environment designed to increase their knowledge of healthy ways to cook with common food pantry products. Clients also learn about a variety of health and nutrition topics, including food groups, portion sizes, and cooking within a budget, and they have the opportunity to ask questions and discuss health topics of interest. In addition to tasting the recipe during the class itself, all clients participating in the cooking class receive a grocery bag filled with the ingredients required to make the recipe demonstrated in class. This allows clients to practice the recipe they have just learned and share it with their families at home. (Grocery bags of recipe ingredients are donated by the Bristol County Elks – East Bay Cares.)

Food4Kids

East Bay Food Pantry's Access Nutrition Initiative program, Food4Kids, began in 2012 to address the critical gap in available food assistance to low-income



children when they are not in school. During the school year, many children receive free or reduced-price breakfast and lunch through the National School Lunch Program. During weekends, summer, and other vacations, many low-income children lose their access to daily school lunch and breakfast; these meals typically provide a major portion of the nutrients that a child needs during the school year. Lack of nutrition when out of school may set up a cycle of poor performance once school begins again, and may make children more prone to illness and other health issues. The Food4Kids Program is designed to fill that nutrition gap and make sure children can get the nutritious meals they need year round. Starting in 2014, the summer and weekend Food4Kids programs were joined to provide supplementary food for school-aged children in need throughout the year. At the beginning of the school year parents or guardians register their children for the program by becoming East Bay Food Pantry clients and providing documentation indicating participation in the National School Lunch Program. Parents or guardians (or other designated shoppers) are then able to "shop" for the supplemental food for their child(ren) the 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month during the school year and every Friday during the summer at the East Bay Food Pantry. Each visit during the summer provides enough food to make 5 nutritious breakfasts, lunches and snacks for each child. Each visit during the school year provides enough food to make healthy breakfasts, lunches, and snacks for each child for 2-3 weekends plus enough extra food to cover school vacations. During 2015, the Food4Kids program provided needy children with enough food for 9,900 meals.

Grow-A-Row and Share a Seed

The EBFP invites local gardeners and farms to grow produce for us and donate it to our food pantry every Wednesday or Friday as crops are ready to harvest. Fresh produce is an essential component of a healthy diet, but it is not donated frequently enough to supply demand at the East Bay Food Pantry. Grow-A-Row is an ideal vehicle to engage community, build relationships, and provide our clients with access to fresh, local produce. We have formed partnerships with Blithewold Gardens, Coggeshall Farm, Jamestown Community Farm, Magaziner Farm, and McCoy Community Farm, the Methodist Community Garden, and Mount Hope Farm, among others, to bring additional fresh, locally grown produce to our clients every week. Grow-A-Row is a component of our Access Nutrition Initiative and helps supply our pantry on Wednesdays and Fridays during the growing and harvesting seasons. Share-a-Seed allows gardeners and farms to donate seeds and seedlings that would otherwise get thrown away so that clients can grow their own fresh produce.



2015 Grants

<u> \$1 - \$1,000</u>

The Robert J Avila Foundation The Bristol Children's Home Fund O'Hanian-Szostak Family Foundation RI Community Food Bank The State of Rhode Island

<u> \$1,001 - \$5,000</u>

BJ's Charitable Foundation Billy Andrade-Brad Faxon Charities for Children Bristol Female Charitable Society Mary Dexter Chafee Fund DeWolf Family Charitable Trust First Congregational Church of Bristol, RI Hasbro Children's Fund The Hassenfeld Foundation Douglas & Julie LaRoche Family Charitable Fund Ocean State Charities Trust Bristol RWU Fund for Civic Activities

Over \$5,000

BankNewport

Bristol Home for Aged Women Trust

The Carter Family Charitable Trust

The Rhode Island Foundation

RI Emergency Food and Shelter Program

The Walmart Foundation



2015 Individual Donors

<u> \$1 - \$250</u>

Mary Abes Robin Aguiar William & Patricia Albu Jane Alegria Zane & Carole Anderson Jack Andrade Steven Andrade Domenic Antinucci Anne Archibald Nancy Areson Robert Arruda Robert & Denise Arsenault Elise Arsenault Daniel & Patricia Avery Bankard & Rayne Baer Arthur & Roslyn Bakst Alexis Barbour-Webb Louis Barboza Dave Barros Patrick Barry Elizabeth Battey Joseph & Susan Benevides Melinda & Jonathan Birs Paul & Pamela Bishop Elizabeth Blair Carol Bockstael Janet Boyes James & Kathleen Boylan Kenneth & Vicki Boyle Sarah Braden Stephan Brigidi Joe & Betty Brito Steve & Susan Brosnihan Sheila Buckley Robert & Kathleen Busch Michael & Laura Butler Matthew & Janet Calderiso Nathan & Jaimie Calouro Elizabeth Camara **Tanis** Camara Thomas & Joanne Camara James & Kristine Campagna Frank & Mary Castelnovo Elisio & Arminda Castro Jane Castro Skip & Lori Castro George & Iris Cavallo **Richard & Monica Chartier** Dan Chekan Valerie Clarkson Michael & Peg Cleary Harris & Elinor Coles Laura Collins Henry Collins, Jr Kathleen Copeland Lester & Patricia Cory Denise Cotta-Fontana David & Marie Cottrell Mark Courtney Cromwell, Nicholas & Cara John & Karen Cryan John & Isabel Daniels Seraphin & Celeste DaPonte Jerry & Janie Dauterive John Day Nicholas & Gail DeSisto Gerard & Elizabeth Desrosiers **Richard & Lydia Devault** Danielle DeWolf Carole DiFabio Louise Dion Mary Ellen Dion Steve & Mary Dondero Melanie Doyle Dennis & Jill Doyon Priscilla Drummond Elizabeth DuPont Alan & Arline Dyer Pamela Edmunds **Robert & Cindy Elder** Fatima Estrela Jacqueline Farah Joseph & Carol Faulkner Gabriel & Kathy Ferriera PJ Ferreira Gary & Karen Field Hugh & Anne Fiore Craig & Kathryn Fisher Mark & Ruth Fisher Philip & Martha Fitting **Kyle Fontaine**

Greg & Ali Fox Ralph & Marie Fox **Timothy & Elizabeth French Raymond Gallison** Henry & Sheila Gediman Sean & Jennifer Giles Michael & Carol Gormley **Richard & Janice Gosselin** Ronald & Mildred Grant Walter & Joan Greene Robert & Anne Greer **Charlotte Griffith** Jessica Griffith Pat Grimo Janet Gruenwald Patricia Guida-Salisbury Edmund & Mary Hackman **Robert & Camille Hamel Beth Haves** Ellen Hendrix **Roberta Hopkins** Patricia Hunter Meredith Huse Alma Ivor-Campbell Joseph & Pamela Jannitto Anthony Januario Richard & Leslie Jarbeau Christopher & Jennifer Johnson Mark Johnson & Grace Steere James & Cynthia Killavey Mark & Patricia Krzywicki Christopher-John Lamora John & Jane Lavender Donald & Amy Lebreux Eric & Jodi Leffingwell Pamela Lenehan & Larry Geuss Diane Lennon George Lima Jay Lively John & Jesse Lynch Charles & Wendy MacDonough Andrew MacKeith & S Williams Paul & Eileen Malloy Robert & Mary Martin **Richard & Anne Masse** Mark & Jane Matrone Santa & Jeanette Matrone Denis & Sharon McCann Kathleen McCarthy Robert & Sharlene McGovern Patricia McLaughlin Dominee Mello **Richard Mello** Paul & Mary Catharine Miller

Charles & Maria Milot Allen & Linda Molvar Edward & Jean Moniz Vincent & Estelle Moniz Howard & Anne Morse Ronald Murdock John Murphy Donna Myers Louise Neiterman Michael & Denise O'Brien Ellen O'Connell Edgardo & Rosemary Oliveira Stanton & Betsy Ose John & Ruth Ovalles Antoinette Petersen Victor & Helga Piccoli Andrew Pink Lee & Judith Piper Robert & Angela Pirri Jeffrey & Mary Popham **Catherine Pratte** Tom & Maria Prezioso **Beverly Pyne** Christopher & Diane Quesnelle Jeanne Raimondi **Charles & Lynne Ramos** Ron & Dawn Rathburn Kari Reardon Keith & Sandra Reynolds **Derwent Riding Hector Rios** James Robinson Mike & Danielle Rogers Joan Roth Martin & Ann Roussel Charles & Shannon Rozea Herbert Sackett Barbara Salstead Erica Schattle Josephine Sempere **Elizabeth Shaw** Nancy Shockley David Silvia Louis & Cathy Sousa Thomas & Helen Sousa Thorne & Lane Sparkman Suzanne Spear Donna St Angelo Edward & Sandra Stuart David & Kathryn Swanson Timothy Sweeney & Erich Hazlehurst Trish Sylvester Liz Tanner Antonio Teixeira

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<u> \$251 - \$500</u>

Ron & Karen Augustus John & Kimberly Ciociola Daniel & Lyn Conway Paul & Kristin Fletcher Karen Griffith-Dieterich & Mark Dieterich Catherine Hess

<u> \$501 - \$1,000</u>

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Joan Prescott Gary Watros & Beverly Larson

2015 Business and Organization Donors

<u>\$1 - \$250</u>	Clement's Marketplace
Bank of America	Coggeshall Farm
Body Restoration Massage Therapy	SS Dion Restaurant
Bristol County Lions	East Bay Dental Associates
Bristol Yoga Studio	EXIT Harborside Realty

Fitness Fusion	Warren Dental Associates
Gilbert's Auto Service, Inc	<u> \$251 - \$500</u>
Goodshop	Ladies Auxiliary/Bristol Volunteer Fire Department
Jamestown Distributors	St John's Episcopal Church Women
John Andrade Insurance Agency	TPI Composites, Inc
JustGive	<u> \$501 - \$1,000</u>
Oliver Insurance Agency	Bristol County Elks/East Bay Cares
Quito's Shellfish & Restaurant	Bristol Marine
Riverside Middle School	Decof, Decof & Barry
Salesforce.com	First Baptist Church of Bristol
New Leaf Hair Salon	Lawrence Air Systems
Societa' la Bella Sicilia	Others, Inc
Sunshine Fuels Energy Services, Inc	OLMC St Vincent Aid Group
Arbella Insurance Group	Strategic Point Investment Advisors
Union Church of Prudence Island Ladies' Club	Tri-Mack Plastics Corporation
Voya	Twin River

2015 In-Kind Donors

12 Meter Charters	Ananda Hair Lounge	Blithewold
195 Franklin	Aqua Boutique	Bristol Harbor Inn
Abbigale's Salon	Ava Anderson Non-Toxic	Bristol House B & B
Alayne White Spa	Beehive Cafe	Bristol Total Fitness
Amazing Grace Harbor Tours	Billy's Restaurant	Sheila & Jay Buckley

Cabi Clothing	Grapes & Grains	Newport Vineyards & Winery
Sandie Campbell	Green River Silver	Ocean State Smoked Fish
Iris Cavallo	Harbor Bath & Body	Pate' a Go Go
Christian's Restaurant	Herreshoff Marine Museum	Pomodoro Pizzeria
Compton Clambakes	Jackie's Loft	Jeffrey & Mary Popham
Crepelicious	Jo's American Bistro	Quito's Shellfish & Restaurant
Crossroad Pub	Kate & Company	Renewing Touch Massage
Jerry & Janie Dauterive	Carolyn P Killian	Rick's Roadhouse
Disney World	KJF Design	Roberto's Restaurant
Bruce & Elizabeth Dyer	La Bella Boutique	RWU Bon Appetit
East Bay Newspapers	Laughing Gull Chocolate	Sand Dollar
Edible Arrangements	Jane Lavender	Sea Rose Cottage
Elizabeth Collins Decoupage	Liberty Looks	Spa Yadira
Federal Hill Pizza	Linden Place Museum	SS Dion Restaurant
Fitness Fusion	Lobster Pot Restaurant	Top This
Floral Symphony	Luna Sea	Trinity Repertory Company
Foolish Fox	Luxottica Retail	Andy & Nicki Tyska
Forever Young Fitness	Narragansett Creamery	Vienna Bakery
Frerichs Farm	New Leaf Hair Salon	Wood Street Pizza

Volunteers

We could not accomplish the breadth and depth of the work we do in the pantry and thrift shop without the dedication and commitment of our volunteers. In 2015, 171 individuals donated 8,661 hours of volunteer labor to our agency! Many thanks to each and every one of you!

Mark Agugliaro	Denise Arsenault	Kathleen Boylan	Xante Chalwell
Samantha Aiello	Kyle Atkinson	Ryland Brickner-	Benjamin Champigny
Matthew Alexander	Ruth Balzano	McDonald	Kyle Coggeshall
Theresa Almeida	Jovani Banegas	Marla Brill	Danielle Colburn

Mohammed Alsaab Ziyad Alsharari Nawal Alsharari Jack Andrade Brian Andrukoms Cagnie Antczak Anne Archibald Nancy Areson Brittany Armillotto Stewart Armstrong Madelyn Arsenault Tyler Banks Alexis Barbour-Webb Brenden Barboza Madison Barlow Beth Battey Max Bean Nishad Belbase Katie Blair Betty Blair Dawn Bolla Ryan Bonacum

Darnell Britto Antoinette Brown Maria Brown Chris Burke Daniel Cabral Claire Cabral Clayton Caggiano Lisa Carissimi Brendan Carlin Trish Carney Arminda Castro John Colegga Madison Collins Jewel Costa Ashley Crane LadyLee Crespo Gina Damiano Teagan deGroen Mike Denault Makayla Desmarais Carol Diaz Leah Dieterich Mark Dieterich Nathan Dieterich Peggy DiLuglio Priscilla Drummond Beth Dyer Anthony Erricola Kendra Evans Jonathan Ferguson **Christopher Ferreira** Matthew Ferreira Karen Field **Brian Fitzsimons** Michael Ford **Robert Francis** Aaron French Alison Gamon **Betsy Gamwell** Elizabeth Garcia Joseph Gobble Greg Gosselin Zach Hartman Abduliahim Hasan Helen Hawkins Ethan Hickey Andy Huling **Brian Hunter Michael Jannitto Ben Jarvis**

Ryan Jay Matthew Jefferis **Christian Joubert Brandon Kiss** Rob Kolaski James Kottage Ethan Lescault Ulysses Lashley Stephen Leahy **Eugene Lopes** William Lytle Arthur MacKeith Antonella Maffettone Jane Maguire Joseph Maisonet Valerie Marrin Nicholas Masse Jane Matrone **Bret Mattel** Barbara McAloon Maggie McCormick Zach McGaw Geri McIntosh Jayne McQuaid Jacklyn Mello Sunny Melonio Clare Miller Liz Molloy

Robert Molloy Jenna O'Brien Eric Oldfield David Olivier Danielle Parente Andrew Paul Cole Pavao Ali Peckham Kun Peng **Daniel Pittore** Kayla Placido Mary Popham Sarah Popham Michael Popham OJ Powell Cathy Pratte **Kasey Provost** Tilli Quinn Carly Quinn Mariah Ramos Austin Ramos Gabe Randall Claire Randall **Rachel Rasnick** Dawn Rathburn Allie Reavis William Reid **Corey Resendes**

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We would especially like to thank those volunteers who donated enough hours of their time to qualify for the <u>President's Volunteer Service Award</u>!





Bronze – Volunteered 100-249 hours during 2015

Jack Andrade

Anne Archibald

Denise Arsenault

Alexis Barbour-Webb

Beth Battey

Dawn Bolla

Priscilla Drummond

Alison Gamon

Betsy Gamwell Valerie Marrin Cathy Pratte Dawn Rathburn



Silver – Volunteered 250-499 hours during 2015

Nancy Areson

Michael Jannitto



Gold – Volunteered 500 hours or more during 2015

Ruth Balzano – 518 hours

Theresa Almeida – 684 hours

Andrew Paul – 890 hours

Barbara Salstead – 1,148 hours

Financial Statement — to be updated when Accountant's Review is completed

Income		Expenses	
Grant Income	\$105,891	Program Services	\$409,925
Contributions	\$ 66,222	Supporting services:	
Event Income	\$ 33,359	Management/general	\$ 37,315
Thrift Shop sales	\$ 65,300	Fundraising	\$ 8,805
Interest income	\$ 366		
Other income	\$ 1,239		
In-kind contributions	\$222,112		
TOTAL SUPPORT	\$494,489	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$456,045
Change in net assets	\$ 38,444		
Net assets, beginning of year	\$269,71 <u>9</u>		
Net assets, end of year	\$308,163		

The financial position of the East Bay Food Pantry at the close of 2014 was strong with a 237% increase in donor support and a 58% increase grants received over prior year. The cost of supporting services remained low at only 10% of total expenses.

Submitted by Jodi Leffingwell, EBFP Treasurer