



LOCAL FOOD ACTION PLAN

CITY OF COLUMBUS & FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO



THE CITY OF
COLUMBUS
ANDREW J. GINTHER, MAYOR

COLUMBUS
PUBLIC HEALTH

Meeting Objectives

- Approve 01/12/18 Minutes*
- C-9 Board Sponsor*
- 2017 Annual Report
- Funding Update

* *Item requiring vote*



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Check-In Question

What is a recent success - *personal or professional* - that you have experienced?

Administrative Tasks

January 12, 2018 Meeting Minutes

- Additions
- Corrections
- Approval

Action C-9 Board Sponsor Replacement

- Chris Strayer - New position out of state
 - County will appoint new member
- Identify new C-9 Board Sponsor
- Approval





Board Member Presentations

Susan Beaudry

Osteopathic Heritage Foundation

Laquore Meadows, PhD

OSU Cooperative Extension, Franklin County





Presented to:

Columbus &
Franklin
County Local
Food Board

April 13, 2018

The Heritage: 1940 to 1998

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Mission

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*To improve the health and quality of life
in the community through education,
service and research consistent with our
osteopathic heritage.*

www.osteopathicheritage.org

Foundation Structure

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Common Mission, Vision and Staff

Separate Governing Boards and Funding Concentration

Osteopathic
Heritage
Foundation

Osteopathic
Heritage
Foundation of
Nelsonville

Funding Approach

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Strategic,
Proactive
Grantmaker



Focus on
Mission-Related
Targeted
Funding
Priorities



Request for
Proposals and
Invitations to
Submit



Multi-Year
Investments

Addressing Obesity and Healthy Food Access in Southeast Ohio

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Impacting Southeastern Ohio

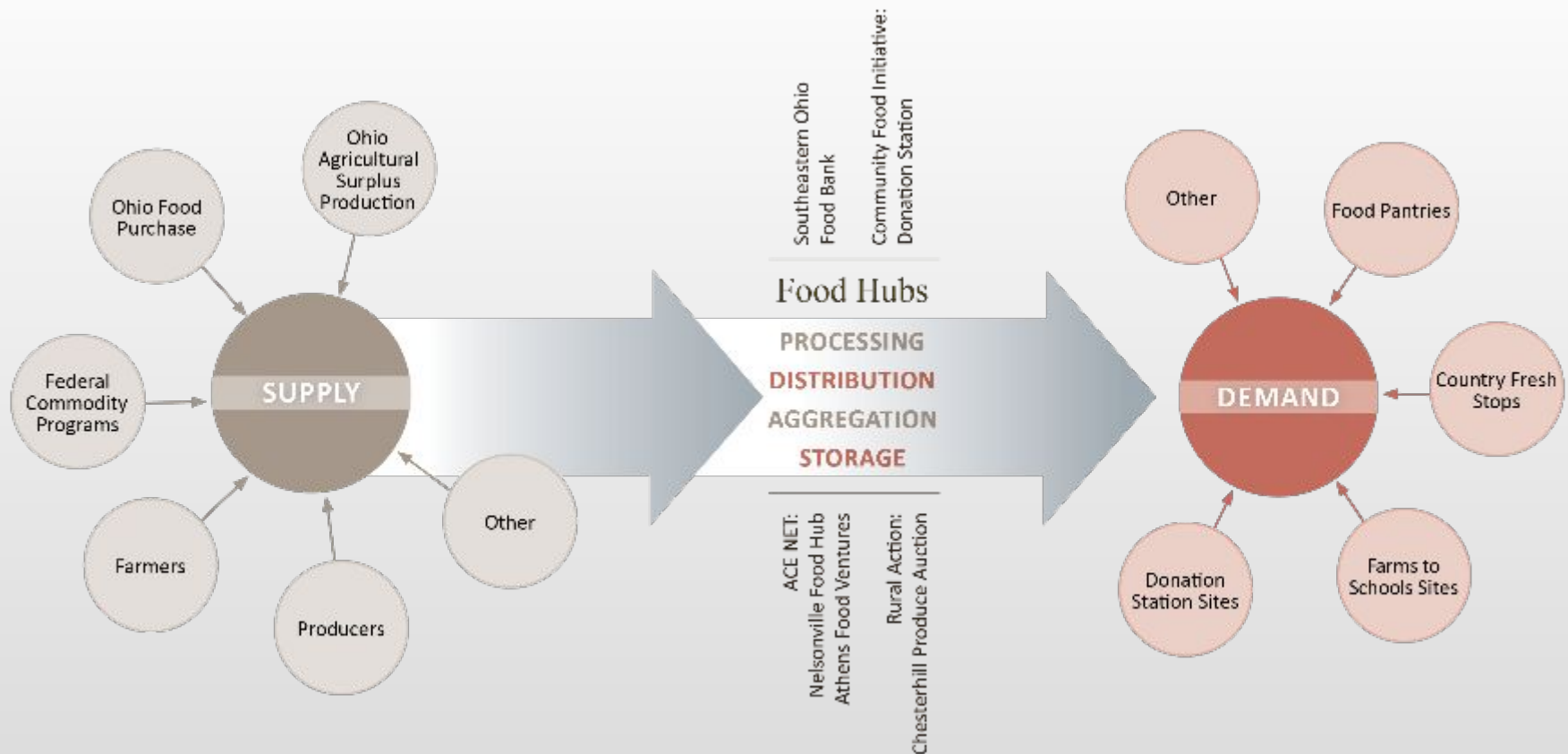


Healthy Food Access

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Increasing the accessibility, affordability & consumption of healthy foods for low-income, vulnerable populations



Results

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Sample Results to Date Through Athens County Food Access Partnership

- Pounds of free, fresh, healthy food distributed grew to 227 tons, serving over 29,000 people in a 5 county area
- Healthy foods for purchase at convenience stores and pop-up markets in underserved counties grew from 4 to 8, impacting over 15,000 residents
- Farm to School Network grew from 2 to 29 schools, impacting 7,000 students
- In 2016, every bowl of chili children ate in Alexander Schools was made with fresh peppers and onions, grown by area farmers
- Other growth experienced: increased sales of locally grown produce + 9,800 square feet of food sector space + \$323,000 in infrastructure for the Nelsonville Business Incubator and Food Hub



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Our History...

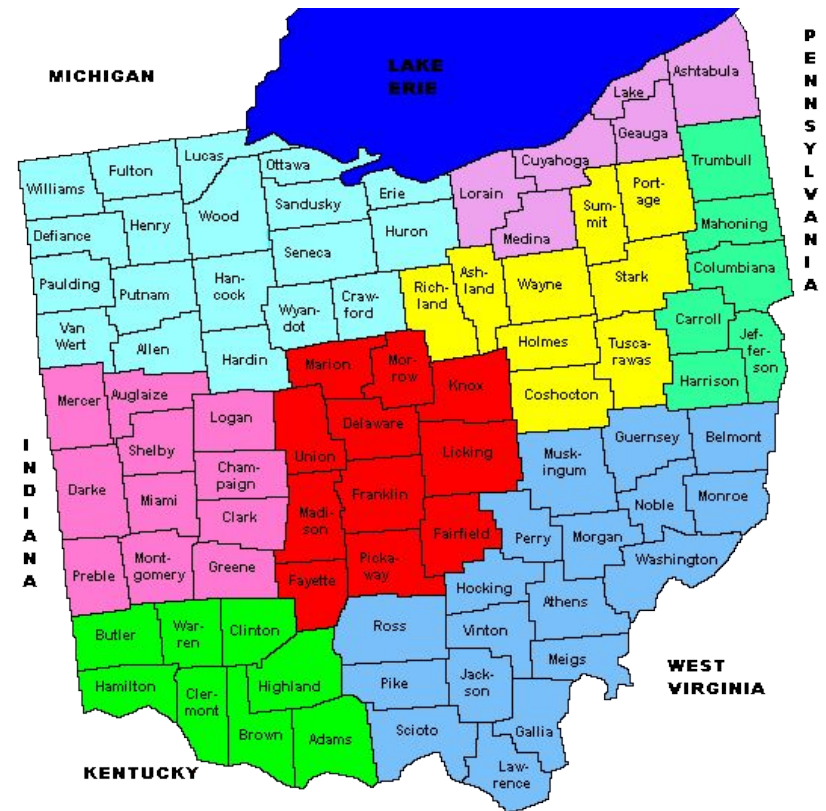
The Past 100 Years



- Smith-Lever Act of 1914
- OSU's Early Efforts
- Largest Informal Education System in the World

OSU Extension (OSUE)

- College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences
- Presence in Each of Ohio's 88 Counties
- 4 Program Areas
 - 4-H Youth Development
 - Agriculture and Natural Resources
 - Community Development
 - Family & Consumer Sciences



OSU Extension, Franklin County Multiple Locations... One Mission.



Weinland Park



Arena District



Reeb Avenue Center

Agriculture & Natural Resources

- Rooted in Weinland Park
- Master Urban Farmer Program
- Urban Local Food System Workshops
- Urban Farm Tour Series
- Columbus / Franklin County Local Food Guide
- Columbus Urban Ag Network
- Buckeye ISA



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UPWARD BOUND



Tennessee State University



**MIAMI
UNIVERSITY**
OXFORD OHIO

Miami University



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My Legacy...



Onward...



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2017 Annual Report

- Available Formats
 - online
 - print
- Letter to the Editor
- How can you help share the news?



Project Teams Update

- Implementation Plan Overview
 - B-3
 - C-9
- Next Steps





2018 Funding Priorities

Board Priorities for 2018

- Support for Project Teams & Implementation Plans
- Support for Produce Perks
- Leveraging funds for community-based solutions
 - Civic agriculture as a food source
- Local Food Team resources
 - Continuing education
 - printing, supplies, etc.

Developing a Strategic Plan for the Future





Local Food System Updates

Breaking news...

- USDA Local Food Promotion Program - Columbus City Schools
- Project Blueprint and Urban Growing
- SMART Cities Operating System - Technical Working Group
- Lutheran Social Services - New Model
- Jubilee Market Grand Opening - May 16, 2018

Local Food System Updates

Franklin County Local Food Council





Learning Opportunities

Learning Opportunities (see Local Food System Updates)

- Faith, Food and Flourishing - April 17, 2018
- Earth Day - April 20, 2018
- National Farm to Cafeteria Conference
 - Statewide Pre-Conference & Policy Forum - April, 24, 2018
 - Main Conference - April 25-27, 2018
 - LFT presentations
- Embracing Health Equity Training - *Cradle to Prison Pipeline: A Public Health Crisis* – April 27, 2018

Next Steps & Closing

- Next Meeting - July 13
- Follow up calls - Early May



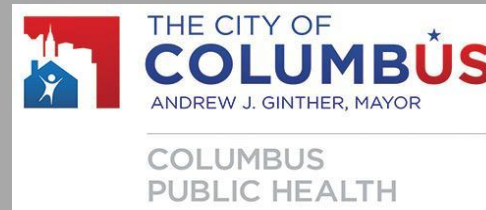
Thank you!

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