

Foodshare Appoints New VP of Development *Experienced Leader Seeking Great Innovation and Execution*



Foodshare recently welcomed Diana Goode as Vice President of Development. In her new role Diana will be responsible for the creation and implementation of strategies to meet budgetary demands, while seeking new streams of revenue to advance the food bank's long-term work. Through solicitation and stewardship of contributions from both individual and institutional donors, Diana plans to build on Foodshare's solid base of support, strengthening donor and volunteer relations, while forging new relationships in the Greater Hartford community.

"I am really looking forward to bringing the agency perspective to Foodshare. Most agencies can't do what they do without Foodshare's support and I am really looking forward to strengthening those relationships and connecting with Foodshare's donors and volunteers."

Before joining Foodshare's Development Team, Diana served as Executive Director for Farm to Family, in Avon—formerly two separate organizations (Gifts of Love and Community Farm of Simsbury) that merged in 2013. During her time as Executive Director, Diana was successful in assessing and developing quality programs, maintaining relationships with social service agencies within the Greater Hartford area, and overseeing budget preparation and fundraising projects.

Diana has also previously served as a member of Foodshare's Strategic Implementation Committee, the Connecticut Farm Risk Management Advisory Group, and the Connecticut Food Systems Alliance, Hunger Sub-group. She holds a master's degree in Business Administration with a concentration in Marketing and Finance from the University of Connecticut, and currently resides in the Farmington Valley.

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About Foodshare

Foodshare is Greater Hartford's regional food bank, working to nourish our neighbors every, single day by increasing access to healthy food. In addition to providing 11.5 million meals worth of food through 300 local programs each year, Foodshare is building collaborative partnerships across the region and advocating on behalf of those we serve, to help stabilize lives with one goal in mind—building a stronger and healthier Greater Hartford for us all. Join the movement today by visiting www.foodshare.org.