### Dur Mission

Community Cooperative works to effectively eliminate hunger and homelessness in Lee County while simultaneously inspiring and supporting sustained positive change in its clients by delivering innovative food, education and social service programs.



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# FIGHTING TO END Hunger \* O AND HOMELESSNESS IN OUR COMMUNITY

















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## Volunteer?

There are numerous volunteer opportunities year round. Learn about how you can help by emailing Volunteer@CommunityCooperative.com.



Community Cooperative serves Fort Myers and the greater Lee County area, including Bonita Springs, Cape Coral, Pine Island, Lehigh Acres and Fort Myers Beach.

We are a partner with United Way of Lee, Hendry, Glades and Okeechobee Counties and the regional food banks. We also collaborate with fellow community and service groups including The School District of Lee County and numerous churches, businesses and community support organizations.

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### Dur Programs



**COMMUNITY COOPERATIVE** has been a driving force in the Southwest Florida community since its inception in 1984. What began as the Fort Myers Soup Kitchen has evolved into a comprehensive and multi-faceted 501(c)(3) outreach organization serving the most vulnerable in our community through our many programs.

Through collaboration and ongoing education, Community Cooperative supports and strengthens those whose lives have been affected by hunger and homelessness, ensuring that they have access to the resources necessary to transform their lives with dignity.

### GetInvolved

#### **VOLUNTEER**

Your helping hands can make a huge difference. Numerous opportunities are available.

#### **HOST A FOOD DRIVE**

Gather non-perishable donations to help stock our shelves with food to distribute to families in need.

#### **DONATE**

Just \$20 provides a week's worth of groceries to a family of four. Financial gifts ensure we can continue to meet the need in our community.

#### **COMMUNITY CAFÉS**

The downtown Fort Myers café location is open to serve freshly prepared lunch to anyone in the community. The Fort Myers Beach café location is open for breakfast.

#### **COMMUNITY MARKET**

With a choice-centered model, clients can shop in our food pantry just like they would in a grocery store. Fresh produce and healthy food items are staples available in the market.

#### **MOBILE FOOD PANTRIES**

An extension of the Community Market, the Mobile Pantry Program brings groceries to all corners of Lee County to provide easier food access for neighbors in need.

#### **MEALS ON WHEELS**

Hot, fresh meals are prepared daily and delivered to the homebound elderly, ill, or disabled who are unable to shop or prepare their own food.

#### **GROWING HEALTHY KIDS PROGRAMS**

The Food Literacy in Preschool (FLIP) program partners with low-income schools to provide a curriculum built around the introduction of fresh produce in a fun and engaging way, encouraging the next generation to form healthy food habits.

#### **SOCIAL SERVICES**

Social Workers provide homeless services, access to resources, and education opportunities as well as a family stability program focused on homeless prevention to clients in need to help them become self-sufficient and rebuild their lives with dignity.



#### **DONATE TODAY**

## \*BY THE NUMBERS







