



Fighting hunger in Lee, Moore,
Richmond, and Scotland counties.

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at SANDHILLS

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THE NEED IN THE SANDHILLS BRANCH SERVICE AREA

- In the four counties served by the Food Bank of Central & Eastern North Carolina at Sandhills, **35,730** individuals live in food-insecure households.
- **12,450** are children.
- **14,053** seniors live at or below the poverty level.

PROGRAMS

- Children’s Programs
- Community Health & Engagement
- Federal Nutrition Programs
- Food Distribution

HOW YOU CAN HELP

- Donate money: For every \$1 donated, five meals is provided.
- Donate time: Volunteer as an individual or with a group.
- Donate food: Hold a food drive or host a virtual food drive.

SANDHILLS FAST FACTS

- In fiscal year 2021-2022, the Sandhills Branch distributed **8,663,324** pounds of food and partnered with a network of **59** agencies (including food pantries, shelters, soup kitchens, and group homes).
- This equates to **7,219,437** meals for those in need.
- Volunteers donated **7,893** hours.

EFFICIENCY

- **97%** of every dollar goes to food and food programs.

