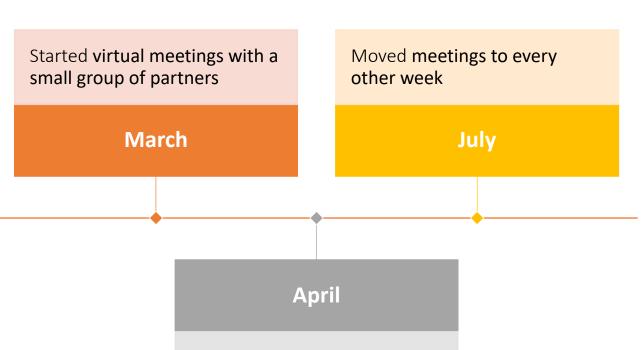
Durham County's response to COVID-19



Formalized the Durham
COVID-19 Food Security Task
Force out of our Emergency
Operation Center

- Weekly virtual meetings of 50+ community partners
- Resource and information sharing

Major Accomplishments

- Connected farmers and food sources with agencies that could store and disseminate the item
- Connected agencies with grant opportunities; assisted with grant writing
- Created volunteer portal to connect volunteers with agencies
- Assisted agencies with Food and COVID-19 safety protocols
- Created an online interactive map of food agencies

Major Accomplishments

- Assisted with plan to reopen farmers markets; created farmers market workgroup
- Created, funded and executing plan to provide food insecure households testing positive for COVID-19 with food and supplies
- Securing food to provide at testing sites
- Coordinated funding for meals for seniors and Latinx community with Board of Commissioners
- Secured funding for a new food security/policy position

Emanuel Iglesia Presbyteriana

On Roxboro Street, north of I-85, in Durham Operates Wednesday afternoon drivethrough food distribution

Need: By the Numbers

Mid-March 2020

Mid-June 2020

250

Families & Individuals served per week

1000

Meals served per week

350

Families & Individuals served per week

1400

Meals served per week

40% increase

Source: Food Security Task Force community partners survey, Summer 2020









