



Greater Washington County
FOOD BANK

August 9, 2016

*Leadership Washington
Attn: Katie Unger-Chipps*

Re: 2015/2016 Class

Dear Katie,

There are times when a letter just doesn't seem to be enough thanks to an organization or an individual - especially when their efforts far exceed one's expectation. Such is the case with Leadership Washington and their class of 2015/16 choosing Greater Washington County Food Bank to be their charity of choice. Personally I feel so blessed to have been part of this amazing experience.

Your donation of \$25,000 has been used toward our operating expenses. Part of these expenses include assistance with our utility costs which are close to three times the amount of our former space. Additionally, these funds were used towards our "Replete the Fleet" program which allows us to replace our older vehicles. We recently purchased a newer vehicle to assist with deliveries - a 2015 GMC 6 pallet box truck which is far more efficient than its 1999 predecessor. Also your food donations and the donations towards our Country Thrift Market will continue to bless the lives of countless individuals throughout Washington County. We are continuing to prepare this store for opening as well as begin classes at the Healthy Habits Training Center.

Greater Washington County Food Bank delivered 2,000,000 pounds of food in 2015 to more than 63,000 food insecure individuals throughout Washington County. The generosity and help from individuals at Leadership Washington continue to help us in our cause for the future.


*Heidi Hoffman
Donor Relations Coordinator*