Petersburg Announces

The 2020 Holiday Meals Initiative
The City of Petersburg Virginia desires to obtain proposals from qualified local restaurants and local caterers to assist the City with a COVID-19 Mass Feeding Initiative by performing professional services. The mission is to provide and deliver meals to “food insecure” residents of Petersburg affected by COVID 19 by utilizing funding from the CARES ACT.
Goal

The overreaching goal of this initiative is to provide food insecure individuals affected by COVID-19 with meals while also providing economic stimulus to local restaurants and their employees.
Implementation of Feed the Need with a taste of Petersburg Initiative

7,000 MEALS OVER 4 DAYS
November 24, 25, 27, 28, 2020

• Identified distribution sites that presently serve “food insecure” residents

• Partnered with Petersburg Healthy Options Partnerships-PHOP’s to identify additional sites & transportation resources

  • Confirmed Sites

• Developed a Site Distribution Plan
Contactless Distribution

**Drive thru Sites**
- Communities & Schools (Mount Olivet or St. Stephens)
- Petersburg Triad

**Hand-Off Sites**
- Best Inn Hotel
- Econolodge
- Harvest International
- Homeless Services
- Hope Center Pantry
- Metro-Gardens Group Home
- Metropolitan Baptist Church
- Pathways
- Petersburg Area Transit
- Petersburg East Apts.
- Petersburg Housing Authority - Gillhaven
- Petersburg Housing Authority - Pecan Acres
- Petersburg Housing Authority - Pin Oaks
- Petersburg Housing Authority - Sycamore Towers
- Petersburg Public Schools - (Students living in hotels)
- Petersburg Seventh Day Adventist
- Restoring Families Ministry
- Tabernacle Life Center
- Petersburg Housing Authority Washington Street Columns

**Door to Door Sites**
- Kingdom Covenant
- Petersburg City Council Referrals
- Petersburg Neighborhood Watch Referrals
- Petersburg Social Services
Timeline: Feed the Need with a Taste of Petersburg - Vendors

November 6, 2020  
Proposals go live

November 13, 2020  
Deadline by 12noon

November 13, 2020  
Team Meeting 2:30pm-5:00pm

November 16, 2020  
Announce Awardees

November 18, 2020  
Zoom Call @ 8:00AM (Information Session)

November 18, 2020  
Check Pick Up - Financial Center (1-4pm)

Timeline: Feed the Need with a Taste of Petersburg - Petersburg Residents Participation

November 11, 2020  
Registration Form for residents - go live on City Website

November 18, 2020  
Deadline for Completed Registration Forms