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**Largest Inland Empire Hunger Relief Organization Seeks to Expand Board Roster**  
*Feeding America Riverside | San Bernardino Is Now Accepting “Expressions of Interest”*

**(Riverside, CA – December 18, 2020)** – Feeding America Riverside | San Bernardino (FARSB), the regional food bank of the Inland Empire, is now accepting “Expressions of Interest” from executive thought leaders interested in joining the Board of Directors.

FARSB is looking for board members with experience in: Human Resources, Marketing, Public Relations, Grocery/Consumer Goods, Advocacy & Public Policy, Law, Media/ Entertainment, and/or Supply Chain Management.

“FARSB serves two of the biggest counties in the country, Riverside and San Bernardino, and with a great service area comes great challenges,” said Stephanie Otero, Chief Executive Officer at FARSB. “We are excited to expand our board roster to include executives within industries that could broaden our reach and support initiatives to grow regional economic opportunities for vulnerable community members.”

The Board of Directors at Feeding America Riverside | San Bernardino are responsible for the oversight of finances, management, and performance of FARSB. They commit to serving in a voluntary, non-executive capacity while helping to carry forward FARSB’s mission to alleviate hunger in the Inland Empire.

Since the pandemic began to directly impact the Inland Empire region in March 2020, FARSB has distributed over 20 million meals to families and children facing food-insecurity in the Inland Empire region.

Feeding America Riverside | San Bernardino is a private, nonprofit, donor-funded organization dedicated to making a hunger-free Inland Empire a reality. Through strategic partnerships with corporations, Feeding America, the U.S Department of Agriculture, and community donors, Feeding America Riverside | San Bernardino remains the largest, most-efficient hunger-relief organization in the Inland Empire.

Individuals interested in joining the FARSB Board of Directors should send a resume and a short cover letter outlining their interest to Joanna Solorio, Human Resources Director, at [jsolorio@feedingamericaie.org](mailto:jsolorio@feedingamericaie.org).

For more information on FARSB, visit [www.FeedingIE.org](http://www.FeedingIE.org).

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**About Feeding America Riverside | San Bernardino**

Feeding America Riverside | San Bernardino (FARSB) is leading the fight against hunger in the Inland Empire by providing food access, emergency relief, education, and advocacy to families in

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Riverside and San Bernardino Counties. FARSB opened in 1980 as Survive Food Bank in response to the increasing concern about the dual problems of hunger and food waste in the Inland Empire. Today, FARSB is the primary source of food to over 200 local nonprofit organizations, distributing over two million pounds of food monthly to emergency food pantries, homeless shelters, soup kitchens, high-need elementary schools, halfway houses, senior centers, residential treatment centers, shelters for the abused, after school programs and group homes. With the help of these charity partners, they make up the largest hunger relief organization in the Inland Empire, making food security a reality for over 1.2 million people every year. Feeding America Riverside | San Bernardino proudly holds the 2019 Guide Star Seal of Transparency, the highest level of transparency achievable through Guide Star. For more information, visit [www.FeedingIE.org](http://www.FeedingIE.org).