

## **FOOD ASSISTANCE**

## 2017 SKAGIT COUNTY FACTSHEET

## **WSDA Resources:**

**TEFAP:** The Emergency Food Assistance Program provides federal USDA food and limited operational funding

to emergency food providers.

**Community Action of Skagit County** Supporting 11 TEFAP food pantries and 4 TEFAP meal programs.

Allocated Operational Funding: \$36,345.94 Estimated Pounds of Food: 298,670.32 Estimated Value of Food: \$195,264.85 Average Monthly Clients: 14,109 Average Monthly Households: 4,602

**CSFP:** The federal Commodity Supplemental Food Program provides a prescribed quantity of USDA food to low income persons at least 60 years of age.

Community Action of Skagit County Supporting 2 CSFP sponsored sites.

Allocated Operational Funding: \$ 16,184.00 Estimated Pounds of Food: 63,456.86 Estimated Value of Food: \$ 45,463.36

Average Monthly Clients: 189

**EFAP:** The state Emergency Food Assistance Program provides state funding to help pay for administrative, operational and food costs of emergency food providers.

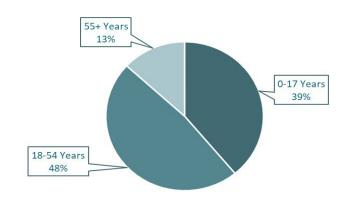
Community Action of Skagit County Supporting 13 EFAP food pantries.

Allocated Funding: \$88,539.06

**19.1 lbs.** of food per client visit compared to the state average of 17.5 lbs.

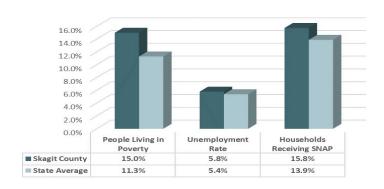
**18** emergency feeding organizations are directly supported with WSDA resources.

## 2017 EFAP Clients by Age Group



13,429 households served; 3.2 clients per household 7.7 visits per year, per client.

*6,350,746 lbs.* of food distributed in *333,275* total client visits.





For additional program information visit our website at <a href="mailto:agr.wa.gov/FoodProg/">agr.wa.gov/FoodProg/</a>
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1 in 3 Skagit County residents

received food from an EFAP food pantry compared to the state average of 1 in 6.