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BUILDING A STRONGER COMMUNITY TOGETHER





A large industrial building is shown in the process of expansion. The existing structure has green corrugated metal siding on the left and a dark roof. A new section is being added, featuring a dark metal frame and a corrugated metal roof. A yellow JLG boom lift is positioned on the right, with its arm extended to work on the new roof section. The ground is dirt and gravel, with some construction materials and a portable toilet visible. The sky is blue with scattered clouds. The text "GROUNDBREAKING EXPANSION" is overlaid in large, white, bold, sans-serif capital letters on the left side of the image.

GROUNDBREAKING EXPANSION



Groundbreaking for Expansion
August 2025 marked a Groundbreaking event for a building expansion, years in the making. This project was made possible thanks to the support of Westmoreland County American Recovery Plan Act funds and Congressionally Directed Community Project funds, the Westmoreland Food Bank is expanding its facility to include an onsite food pantry, a volunteer center, and expanded cooler capacities to ensure that we can continue to serve our community to the best of our ability into the future. Construction will be completed in 2026.



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Governor Shapiro joined us in service

We were honored to host Governor Shapiro for a tour of our facility and a volunteer shift prior to the Thanksgiving Holiday. Food Bank staff and Board members took the opportunity to discuss with him the needs of our neighbors facing food insecurity.

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SNAP Gap Crisis Response

For every meal a food bank provides, SNAP provides nine. The federal SNAP (food stamp) program is the country's first line of defense against food insecurity. The federal government shutdown in October 2025 resulted in a lapse in SNAP benefits and during that two-week timeframe, the Westmoreland Food Bank experienced a 300% increase in demand for referrals for services. Our staff and volunteers worked around the clock to ensure that each referral was received. Community response was tremendous and supporters gathered thousands of pounds of items for distribution and donated funds to support this gap in essential programming. We are immensely grateful for those that stepped forward to ensure that we could serve our neighbors to the best of our ability during this challenging time. Special thanks to those who provided specific emergency response funds and other support during this time:

- Charley Family Shop n Save
- Commonwealth of Pennsylvania-Pennsylvania Agricultural Surplus System
- Community Foundation of Westmoreland County
- Eden Hall Foundation
- EQT
- Feeding America
- Giant Eagle
- Governor Shapiro's Private Donor Funds
- Henry L. Hillman Foundation
- Latrobe Area Hospital Charitable Foundation
- NRG
- Pittsburgh Foundation
- Smithfield Foods
- United Way of Southwestern Pennsylvania
- Westmoreland/Frick Hospital Foundation



CEO MESSAGE

As I reflect on 2025, I am filled with immense pride and deep gratitude for everything this organization — and this community — has accomplished together. This was a year defined by bold action, unwavering compassion, and a shared commitment to ensuring that no neighbor goes hungry. From the groundbreaking of our facility expansion to the remarkable outpouring of community support during one of the most challenging policy moments our neighbors have ever faced, 2025 demonstrated just how powerful we are when we stand together.

The expansion of our cooler and the construction of our new food pantry and volunteer center mark a transformational moment in the history of the Westmoreland Food Bank. These facilities will allow us to store more fresh and nutritious food, serve more families with dignity, and provide our incredible volunteers with the space they deserve to do their life-changing work. Breaking ground on these projects is not just an investment in infrastructure — it is a profound statement of our belief that every person in Westmoreland County deserves access to nutritious food.

When the SNAP Benefit crisis unfolded, our team and our community rose to the occasion in a way that moved me deeply. Our staff worked tirelessly — going above and beyond in every sense —

while donors, volunteers, and partner organizations rallied around us with urgency and generosity. Together, we bridged the gap for thousands of vulnerable families who faced uncertainty about where their next meal would come from. I could not be more proud of how this community showed up, and I am grateful beyond words to every person who answered the call.

And then there was a moment that none of us will soon forget. In 2025, Governor Josh Shapiro paid a visit to the Westmoreland Food Bank — making history as the first sitting Governor ever to walk through our doors. His visit was a powerful acknowledgment of the vital work being done here every single day, and it sent a clear message: what happens at this food bank matters to the entire Commonwealth. As we look ahead, we carry that momentum forward with renewed energy and a deeper sense of purpose.

Thank you for being part of this mission.

Jennifer Miller

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Chief Executive Officer



FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

Financial Breakdown for 2025

Grants & Contracts:	\$4,561,509
Donated Food:	\$7,967,372
Contributions, Other:	\$13,300
Corporate & Individual Donations:	\$3,982,937
Donations, Other:	\$ 95.00
Total Public Support.....	\$16,525,213

Revenue

Investment Income:	\$ 1,184,513
Other Income:	\$41,740
Salvage Income:	\$5,404
Trucking Income:	\$39,680
Membership Fees:	\$ 5,517
Total Revenue	\$1,276,854
Total Support & Revenue	\$17,802,067

Expenses

Program Services:	\$13,177,444
Management & General:	\$295,401
Fundraising:	\$710,504
Total Expenses	\$14,183,349

Budget Breakdown

Management & Fundraising:	7%
Programs:	93%

Change in Net Assets.....	\$3,618,718
Net Assets, beginning of year	\$ 13,309,354
Net Assets, end of year	\$ 16,928,072



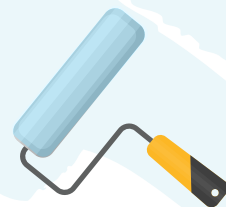
2025 Impact on our Communities

- 30,000 individuals assisted
- 6,071,099 pounds of food distributed overall
- 40 Food Pantry sites
- 21 Onsite meal programs
- 55 Senior Food Box sites
- 17 Backpack program sites
- 7 Military Share sites
- 21 Summer Meal sites
- 17 Fresh Express sites
- 25 Mobile Market sites
- 12 Healthy Community Program sites
- 4,928 volunteers gave 73,813 hours of time toward the mission

MISSION & VISION

Mission: Our mission is to enable our neighbors in Westmoreland County to have ready access to food.

Vision: To end hunger in Westmoreland County.



The Westmoreland Food Bank is an exempt organization as described in Section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code. Tax EIN 25-1422682

ADMINISTRATION

Leadership Team

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