FORM 990 SUMMARY · TAX YEAR 2024

Greater Boston Food Bank Inc

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$179,230,226	$169,439,269	$75,832,545	92%
Total revenue +3% vs prior year	Total expenses +2% vs prior year	Net assets, end of year +16% vs prior year	Spent on programs share of total expenses

Organization

Exempt status	501(c)(3)	Formed	1981
State of legal domicile	MA	Website	www.gbfb.org
Phone	(617) 427-5200	Principal officer	Catherine D'amato
Employees	157	Volunteers	18,175
Voting board members	24 (24 independent)	Return signed by	Pranita Amarasinghe, Cfo

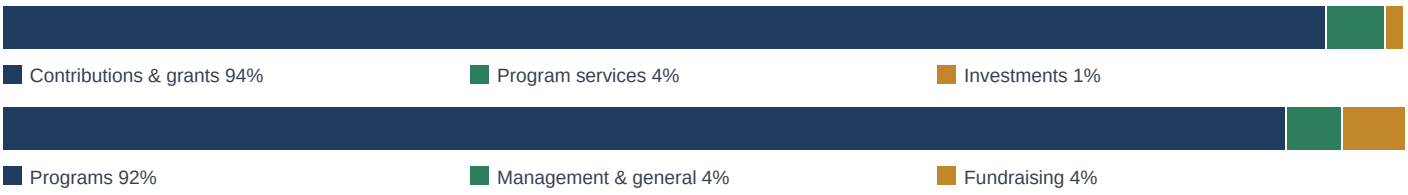
Mission: OUR COSTS CONSIST OF ACQUIRING, SORTING AND DISTRIBUTING FOOD TO 617 MEMBER AGENCIES, TRANSPORTATION AND LOGISTICS, AND COMMUNITY OUTREACH TO 69 DIRECT DISTRIBUTION SITES SUCH AS GBFB MOBILE MARKETS, AND FEDERAL DISTRIBUTIONS FOR LOW INCOME SENIORS. LAST YEAR, WE DISTRIBUTED OVER 109 MILLION POUNDS OF FOOD, THE EQUIVALENT OF OVER 90.9 MILLION MEALS. WE ARE COMMITTED TO INCREASING OUR FOOD DISTRIBUTION TO PROVIDE AT LEAST THREE MEALS A DAY TO EVERY PERSON IN NEED IN EASTERN MASSACHUSETTS.

Financial summary (Form 990, Part I)

	Prior year	Current year	Change
Contributions & grants	$162,501,011	$169,096,992	$6,595,981
Program service revenue	$6,448,850	$7,597,419	$1,148,569
Investment income	$4,385,960	$2,216,327	-$2,169,633
Other revenue	$113,344	$319,488	$206,144
Total revenue	**$173,449,165**	**$179,230,226**	**$5,781,061**
Grants & similar amounts paid	$137,404,263	$140,661,187	$3,256,924
Benefits paid to or for members	$0	$0	—
Salaries, compensation & benefits	$14,434,718	$15,605,484	$1,170,766
Professional fundraising fees	$1,471,503	$2,359,801	$888,298
Other expenses	$12,452,206	$10,812,797	-$1,639,409
Total expenses	**$165,762,690**	**$169,439,269**	**$3,676,579**
Revenue less expenses	**$7,686,475**	**$9,790,957**	**$2,104,482**

	Beginning of year	End of year	Change
Total assets	$75,467,951	$85,151,557	$9,683,606
Total liabilities	$9,819,662	$9,319,012	-$500,650
Net assets or fund balances	$65,648,289	$75,832,545	$10,184,256

Where the money comes from — and where it goes



Officers, directors, trustees & key employees (34)

Name	Title	Hrs/wk	Role	Pay from org	Related orgs	Other comp.
Catherine D'amato	President/Chief Executive Officer	40	Officer	$618,234	$0	$9,151
Cheryl Anne Oldfield Schondek	Chief Operating Officer	40	Officer	$428,841	$0	$5,293
O'neil Outar	Executive Vp of Advancement	40	Key employee	$383,169	$0	$38,693
Pranita Amarasinghe	Chief Financial Officer	40	Officer	$370,464	$0	$5,175
Julee Sanderson	Vp of Tech Operations (Until 1/2025)	40	Highest comp.	$212,630	$0	$12,704
Unmesh Gandhi	Sr. Vp of Enterprise Tech & Strategy	40	Highest comp.	$220,098	$0	$0
Jonathan Tetrault	Vp of Community Impact & Oper. (Until 3/2025)	40	Highest comp.	$178,778	$0	$36,780
Aprylle Wallace	Evp of Human Resources	40	Key employee	$206,477	$0	$1,523
Richard Ghiz	Senior Director of Information Systems	40	Highest comp.	$173,220	$0	$26,290
Lisa Davis	Senior Director of Development	40	Highest comp.	$165,412	$0	$7,729
Allen Hamdan	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Carl Paratore	Treasurer	2	Director/Trustee, Officer	$0	$0	$0
Debbie Amaral	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Edward Mackey	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Eileen Pyne	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Eric Schoen	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Harry Wilcox	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Heidy King Jones	Director	2	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Joanna Travis	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
John Core	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Ken Rinaldi	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Kim Goldinger	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Lauren Brouhard	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Lisa Kelly-Croswell	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Marci Sindell	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Mark Demichaelis	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Mark Friedman	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Mark Hintlian	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Melissa Lavinson	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Natacha Gassenbach	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Roger Wheeler	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Ted Truscott	Chair	2	Director/Trustee, Officer	$0	$0	$0
Tom Croswell	Director	1	Director/Trustee	$0	$0	$0
Tom Sieniewicz	Vice Chair	2	Director/Trustee, Officer	$0	$0	$0
Totals				**$2,957,323**	**$0**	**$143,338**

Individuals receiving more than $100,000 in reportable compensation: 38. Independent contractors paid more than $100,000: 18.

Highest-paid independent contractors	Services	Compensation
James R Moore DBA Altus Marketing LLC	Fundraising counsel	$2,516,626
Consigli Construction Co Inc	Construction contractor	$1,637,041
Done Right Building Services Inc	Construction contractor	$469,498
Gratta Refrigeration & Air Conditioning	Repair services	$401,616
Tech Networks of Boston Inc	It consultants	$379,241

Revenue detail (Part VIII)

Source	Amount
Fundraising events (contributions portion)	$1,943,922
Government grants	$66,259,551
All other contributions, gifts & grants	$100,893,519
(of which non-cash)	$70,913,232
Total contributions	**$169,096,992**
Program service: Coop income	$7,142,331
Program service: Warehouse member fees	$313,511
Program service: Hrsn	$141,577
Investment income (interest, dividends)	$1,941,152
Net rental income	$180,259
Net gain/loss on sales of assets	$275,175
Fundraising events, net (gross $228,190 less direct expenses $445,275)	-$217,085
Total revenue	**$179,230,226**

Functional expenses (Part IX)

Expense	Total	Program services	Mgmt & general	Fundraising
Grants to domestic organizations & governments	$140,661,187	$140,661,187		
Compensation of current officers, directors, key employees	$1,713,244	$738,159	$649,845	$325,240
Other salaries and wages	$11,234,922	$4,825,279	$4,278,189	$2,131,454
Pension plan contributions	$190,883	$92,333	$61,409	$37,141
Other employee benefits	$1,387,651	$671,232	$446,417	$270,002
Payroll taxes	$1,078,784	$521,827	$347,053	$209,904
Fees for services: legal	$11,460		$11,460	
Fees for services: accounting	$148,927		$148,927	
Fees for services: lobbying	$33,547		$33,547	
Fees for services: professional fundraising	$2,359,801			$2,359,801
Fees for services: other	$237,600	$38,210	$94,062	$105,328
Advertising and promotion	$1,293,938	$1,370	$693,997	$598,571
Office expenses	$2,332,372	$348,931	$470,189	$1,513,252
Information technology	$1,076,014	$7,561	$1,053,235	$15,218
Occupancy	$1,756,281	$1,644,546	$87,449	$24,286
Travel	$84,526	$26,109	$43,358	$15,059
Depreciation, depletion, amortization	$830,165	$830,165		
Insurance	$16,339		$16,339	
Other: Freight charges	$2,243,927	$2,243,927		
Other: Other personnel costs	$312,353	$11,576	$299,566	$1,211
Other: Fleet expenses	$263,090	$258,799	$4,291	

Expense	Total	Program services	Mgmt & general	Fundraising
Other: Allocated expenses	-$137,044	$1,959,586	-$2,096,630	
All other expenses	$309,302	$255,353	$52,462	$1,487
Total functional expenses	**$169,439,269**	**$155,136,150**	**$6,695,165**	**$7,607,954**

Balance sheet (Part X)

	Beginning of year	End of year
Cash (non-interest-bearing)	$5,209,625	$8,340,939
Savings & temporary cash investments	$3,426,979	$5,070,184
Pledges & grants receivable	$14,382,799	$17,792,718
Accounts receivable	$1,660,716	$218,732
Inventories	$4,618,740	$3,720,024
Prepaid expenses & deferred charges	$849,490	$917,219
Land, buildings & equipment (net)	$8,036,255	$9,469,050
Investments: publicly traded securities	$37,283,347	$39,622,691
Total assets	**$75,467,951**	**$85,151,557**
Accounts payable & accrued expenses	$6,551,685	$6,121,992
Deferred revenue	$2,715,687	$2,486,592
Other liabilities	$552,290	$710,428
Total liabilities	**$9,819,662**	**$9,319,012**
Net assets without donor restrictions	$61,672,740	$69,008,529
Net assets with donor restrictions	$3,975,549	$6,824,016
Total net assets / fund balances	**$65,648,289**	**$75,832,545**
Total liabilities & net assets	**$75,467,951**	**$85,151,557**

Program service accomplishments (Part III)

Program	Expenses	Grants	Revenue
GBFB ACQUIRES FOOD THROUGH FOOD INDUSTRY PRODUCT DONATIONS, FOOD DRIVES, AND FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS THAT ENABLE US TO PURCHASE ADDITIONAL HIGH-NUTRIENT QUALITY FOOD. WE ALSO BENEFIT FROM THE GENEROSITY OF OVER 18,000 VOLUNTEERS ANNUALLY WHO HELP SORT AND DISTRIBUTE DONATED FOOD PRODUCTS. GBFB WORKS TO ACQUIRE, STORE, ORGANIZE AND DISTRIBUTE FOOD THROUGH LOCAL FOOD PANTRIES, COMMUNITY MEAL PROGRAMS, SHELTERS, YOUTH PROGRAMS, SENIOR CENTERS AND OTHER COMMUNITY CENTERS IN THE 190 CITIES AND TOWNS OF EASTERN MASSACHUSETTS THAT GBFB SERVES. GBFB'S FOOD ASSISTANCE LOCATOR PROVIDES AN EASY WAY FOR PEOPLE IN NEED TO FIND HELP NEARBY. GBFB ALSO DISTRIBUTES FOOD DIRECTLY TO THOSE IN NEED THROUGH DEDICATED PROGRAMS THAT SERVE PARTICULARLY VULNERABLE GROUPS, SUCH AS SENIORS AND CHILDREN. SINCE 2009, GBFB HAS OPERATED OUT OF A STATE-OF-THE-ART 117,000 SQUARE-FOOT FOOD DISTRIBUTION FACILITY, THE YAWKEY DISTRIBUTION CENTER, LOCATED IN THE NEWMARKET SECTION OF BOSTON. THE GREATER BOSTON FOOD BANK IS A MEMBER OF FEEDING AMERICA, THE NATION'S LARGEST HUNGER-RELIEF ORGANIZATION.	$155,136,150	$140,661,187	$7,953,733

Governance & policies (Part VI)

Conflict of interest policy	**Yes**	Whistleblower policy	**Yes**
Document retention policy	**Yes**	Process for setting CEO pay	**Yes**
Form 990 provided to board before filing	**Yes**	Minutes kept for board meetings	**Yes**
Financial statements audited	**Yes**	Audit committee	**Yes**
Family/business relationships among officers	**No**	Lobbying activities	**Yes**
Political campaign activity	**No**	Material diversion of assets	**No**

Public charity status (Schedule A): gifts from the public / government (509(a)(1), 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)). Public support: 96.3% (current year test).