



Community Food & Agriculture Coalition

2022 Annual Report

At the Community Food & Agriculture Coalition our mission is to grow a healthy local food community by conserving farmland, supporting farmers, and making food accessible for all.

Farmland + Farmers + Food for All

Montana's food system needs all three to survive. We're so grateful to our partners and supporters that ensure they thrive! Including...

1,400+ participants in CFAC programs & community events, such as...

BIKE TO BARNS:



12 farms toured by **275** participants

LOCAL FOOD & FARM PASSPORT



80 listings explored by **300** passport holders

EQUITY IN THE FOOD SYSTEM EVENT SERIES



3 events **200** attendees

2022 SPONSORS:



FOOD ACCESS



DOUBLE SNAP DOLLARS

Where customers' SNAP dollars are doubled to spend on fresh, local produce.

Since program inception in 2015:

9K Montanans served
\$1.5M re-circulated in local food economy
12 MT Network Partners

2022 #s: **31** sites **1,312** customers **\$190K** circulated

locations



Of DSD participants surveyed



reported eating more fruits & vegetables due to DSD

2022 SENIOR FARMERS MARKET NUTRITION PROGRAM (1ST YEAR LED BY CFAC)

Provides low-income seniors with coupons to local farms and farmers markets.

1663 seniors served **182** participating farms across **15** MT communities

BEGINNING FARMER & RANCHER



2022: LAUNCHED THE NEW CERTIFIED FARM STARTUP PROGRAM

67 Beginning Farmers & Ranchers (BFRs) participated from across MT in **6** virtual workshops and **3** Farmer Field Days

FROM 2019-2022:

Hosted **106** on-farm success workshops, trainings, and events serving **500+** BFRs

2021-2022:

FIELD TESTED MINI-GRANTS



\$100K awarded to 26 farmers for on-farm efficiencies & specialty crop production



PODCAST

Field Tested Podcast launched with 11 episodes of farmer stories, advice, new equipment trial and errors & more!

LISTEN NOW!

soundcloud.com/cfacmontana



FARMLAND CONSERVATION

CFAC works with planning departments on growth, subdivision and zoning regulations to ensure there is a voice for agricultural soils and farmland protection in Western MT.



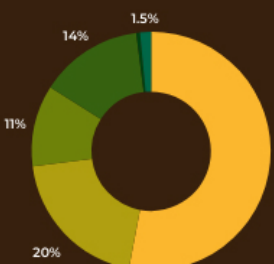
MISSOULA CITY/COUNTY FOOD POLICY ADVISORY BOARD

CFAC holds a permanent seat, increasing our ability to work proactively in agriculture and food policy areas including land use, food access and more!

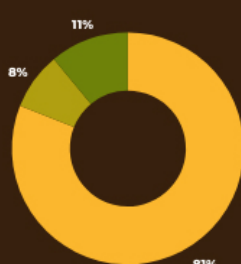
2022 FINANCIALS

REVENUES: \$1,018,886

EXPENSES: \$990,069



Federal Grants: 53%
Foundations: 20%
Earned Income: 14%
Donations/Memberships: 11%
Events: 1.5%
State/Local Gov't Grants: 0.5%



Programs: 81%
Admin: 11%
Fundraising: 8%



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Thank you!
You've made a huge impact this year!
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2022 PROGRAM SPOTLIGHT: Certified Farm Start-Up (CFS)

"I am well on my way to a viable small regenerative multi species grazing system with cattle, sheep and meat chickens. This course has been an excellent start for me."

"This style of workshops, more speaker experienced based, is great for an introduction to starting a farm business. Allows soft conversation and idea flows."

-Testimonials from CFS Participants

Photo: Participants attending a Farmer Field Day hosted by Rivulet Apiaries & Hindu Hillbilly Farms

LOOKING AHEAD TO 2023: Montana Produce Prescription Collaborative (MTPRx)



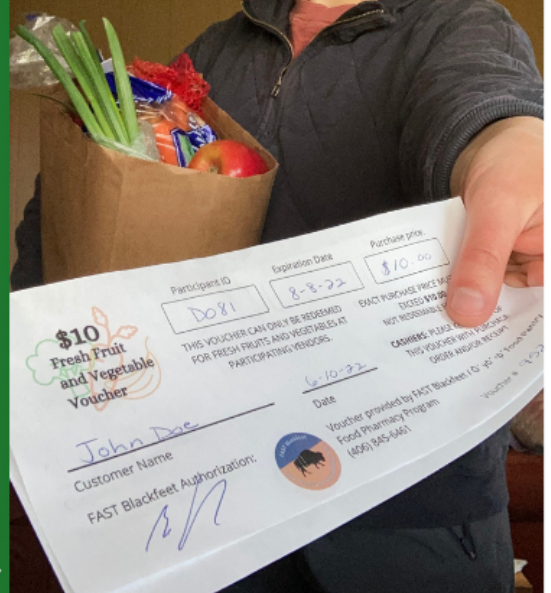
Addressing food insecurity and chronic health issues, while supporting local and sustainable agriculture.

7 Program Partners serving over **200** patients
\$552K secured funding, 2023-25

"Providence Montana's Prescription Produce Program is pleased to be part of a statewide effort to bring fresh fruits and vegetables to those we serve who have diet-related health risks or conditions or other challenges in accessing nutritious foods."

Merry Hutton, Senior Director Community Health Investment Providence Coordinator / Registered Dietitian

Photo: FAST Blackfeet Food Pharmacy Program Voucher



2023 Local Food & Farm Passport



\$150+
in Special
Offers!

LAKE, MISSOULA AND
RAVALLI COUNTIES



DO YOU HAVE YOUR 2023 LOCAL FOOD & FARM PASSPORT?

YOUR YEAR-LONG LOCAL FOOD & FARM ADVENTURE GUIDE!

- **80+ farms, farm stands, markets and local food restaurants in Lake, Missoula, & Ravalli counties!**
- **Collect stamps to win local food prizes!**
- **Over \$150+ in Special Offers included!**
- **Perfect for gift-giving!**
- **\$10 each or 5 for \$40**
- **Purchase at www.cfacmontana.org**

WE'D LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU

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