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## **Pike County Food Banks Receive \$10,000 from the Human Resources Center Foundation**

**PIKE COUNTY, PA** – The Pike County Office of Human Services received \$10,000 from the Human Resources Foundation in Honesdale, PA to support Pike’s five local food banks, which are serving significantly more residents during the coronavirus (COVID-19) crisis.

“We are extremely appreciative of this much needed assistance,” says Robert Ruiz, Director of Pike County Human Services. “It will go a long way to help local residents who depend on these food banks.”

Each food bank typically receives an allocation of about \$2,000 per month from the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, which can only be used to purchase food.

The additional funding provided by the Human Resources Foundation can be used to cover non-food items such as utensils and cleaning supplies, which are currently in accelerated use for proper safety and disinfecting.

“We are so please to assist Pike County in its time of need, especially during an unprecedented crisis such as the one presented by COVID-19,” says Stephanie Uhranowsky, Human Resources Foundation Director. “We hope these funds provide the intermittent relief that the food banks so desperately need.”

Friends of Mike Peifer also provided \$1,000 to support Pike County’s food banks.

Food bank locations include:

### **Bushkill Outreach**

Community Road  
PO Box 103  
Bushkill, PA 18324  
(570) 588-0660  
bushkilloutreach@yahoo.com

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Tues-Thurs, 8:00 AM – 11:30 AM  
Serves Residents of Lehman Township  
**Holy Trinity Lutheran Church**  
Silver Lake Road  
16 Delaware Crest Pres.  
Dingmans Ferry, PA 18328  
(570) 828-7411  
htlcfoodpantry@gmail.com  
Daily 9AM – 12 PM  
Serves All Pike County Residents

**Blooming Grove Food Pantry**  
St. John Neuman Good Shepherd  
4087 Conashaugh Lakes  
Milford, PA 18337  
(570) 686-4182  
jade010910@aol.com  
Third Thursday-Monthly 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM  
Serves Residents of Blooming Grove Township

**Pike County Food Pantry**  
Moravian Church  
100 Alfred Drive  
Greentown, PA 18426  
(570) 676-4066  
thhaser@msn.com  
Third Thursday-Monthly 12 PM – 2PM  
Serves Residents of Greene Twp.

**Ecumenical Food Pantry**  
Good Shepherd Church  
321 5th Street  
Milford, PA 18337  
(570) 296-8123  
pikefoodpantry@gmail.com  
Serves Pike County Residents Fridays 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM  
ID Required

For more information, call the Office of Human Services 570-296-3434.

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