Good Food Fund: FAQs

What is the Good Food Fund? The Good Food Fund is an easy way to donate to Chefs Collaborative through your own customers. Your contributions help us support chefs and food professionals like you who care about how they source, cook and serve food.

How do I get involved? It’s up to you! Some participants choose to designate a particular day of the week as a donation day, others run donation campaigns during a particular season that’s most relevant to them. Some participants are able to commit to ongoing donation campaigns while others may prefer to do a one-time event/promotion.

- Example 1: chef Piper Davis of Grand Central Bakery promised a portion of proceeds from every tomato-based sandwich or tomato slice add-on through a specific date - they sold over 10,000 sandwiches!
- Example 2: chef Derek Wagner of Nick’s on Broadway added $0.50 to every first and main course ordered in a particular month and donated proceeds. In just 30 days, he raised over $3,000, at no extra cost to his business!
- Example 3: Host a Good Food Dinner to celebrate the Fall harvest and contribute your proceeds!

How do I send in my contribution? You can donate online or by mailing a check. Contributions to Chefs Collaborative are tax-deductible.

- Online: donate through our online form here; include “Good Food Fund” in the notes.
- Paper check: please make checks payable to Chefs Collaborative, and mail to:
  Chefs Collaborative
  PO Box 577002
  Chicago, IL 60657

Where will my money go? Funds raised go toward supporting Chefs Collaborative’s work to inspire, educate and celebrate chefs and food professionals who are building a better food system.

What support will I receive from Chefs Collaborative in order to implement this in my restaurant/business? A comprehensive list of how we will support your participation is available here.

Can I participate as an individual? We are so appreciative of the people who want to get involved with Chefs Collaborative! As this method of supporting Chefs Collaborative is best suited for businesses, we recommend that you take a look at the many other ways in which you can Get Involved on our website.

Questions?
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