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New York State Food Recovery Campaign

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NYS Organics Summit
Troy, NY

NYSAR3-Sponsored Project

- Began after 2015 NYSAR3 Pre-conference workshop
- Base: NYSAR3 Organics Council members and growing

The Issue

40 percent of food in the United States is never eaten



1 out of 6 Americans lack stable access to fresh food



Goals and Measuring Success

Goal:

Reduce wasted food and redirect surplus to hungry people



Measuring Success:



- Increase in amount of prepared and perishable food donated
- Track the number of organizations participating

Active Working Groups

- Education
- Agriculture
- Distribution and Capacity
- K-12 Schools



Projects/Activities

- Reach out to stakeholders

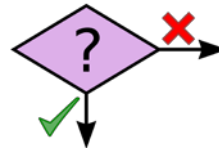
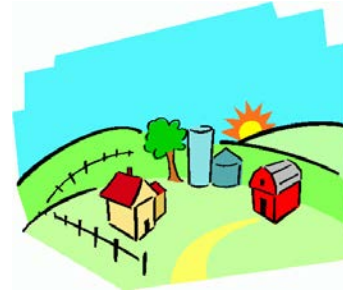


- Collect food recovery resources for website

<http://www.nysar3.org/page/nys-food-recovery-campaign-121.html>

Projects/Activities

- Farmer donation success stories
- Surveyed schools - sharing tables/food donation
- Food acceptance flow chart



A PACT with Food Bank of Central New York

Pantry Annex Cold Trailer

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A collaboration between Food Bank of Central New York, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, and the Central NY community.



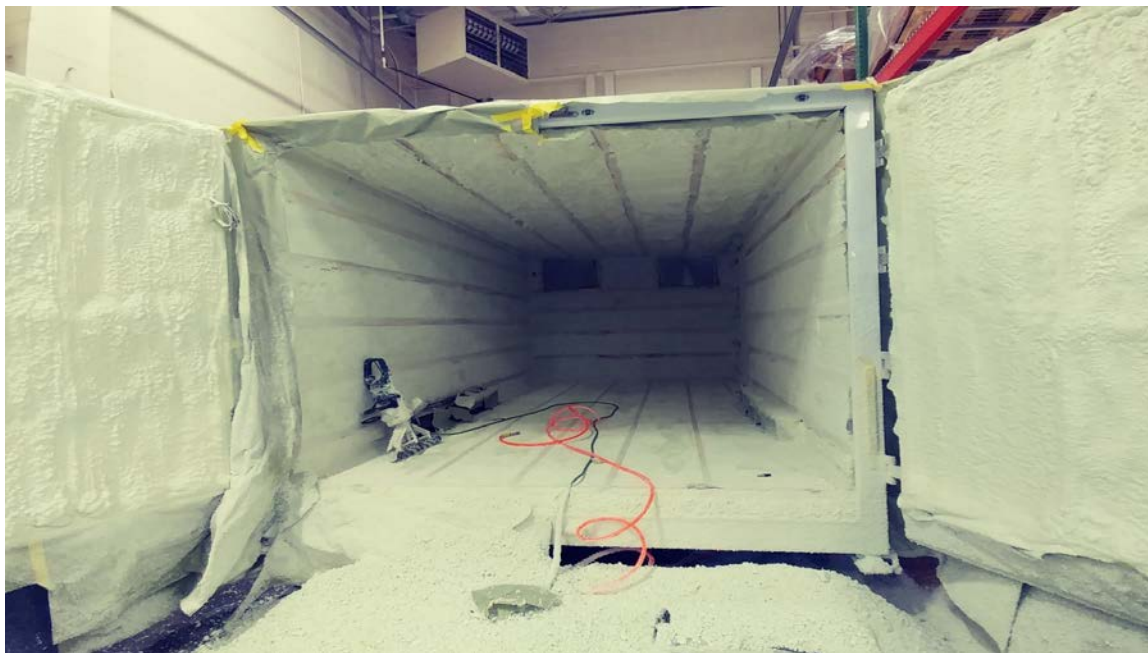


Not a lot of standing around for pictures

Peter (Food Bank) with Mike and Ken (Arctic Vans)



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Closed cell, soy based, spray foam insulation.

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CoolBot-a/c refrigeration installed.

Cooling test underway.

Final result; 67f down to 40f in 30 minutes.



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Ready to run!





Nose view, finished



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Right side (with man-door)



Come Join the Food Recovery Campaign!

Thank you!

Thank you to Peter Ricardo, Food Bank of Central NY, for the pictures of the Pantry Annex Cold Trailer.

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