



BUTTE COUNTY FOOD RESOURCES

If you have been affected by the government shutdown and need food assistance, please see the Food Banks & Pantries listings below.

CALFRESH PROGRAMS

Federal Shutdown’s Impact of CalFresh: Frequently Asked Questions

Website: <https://www.cdss.ca.gov/benefits-services/food-nutrition-services/calfresh/calfresh-frequently-asked-questions>

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H.R. 1 (One Big Beautiful Bill Act) & CalFresh: Frequently Asked Questions CalFresh Program

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California CalFresh Program

“CalFresh is for people with low-income who meet federal income eligibility rules and want to add to their budget to put healthy and nutritious food on the table.

Application & Chat:

<https://www.getcalfresh.org/?source=cdss>

Application: <https://benefitscal.com/>

Website: <https://www.cdss.ca.gov/calfresh>

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Butte County Department of Employment and Social Services – Cal Fresh

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Location: 765 East Avenue

Chico, CA 95926

Contact: (530) 879-3483

Website:

<https://www.buttecounty.net/396/CalFresh-Food-Stamps>

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COUNTY FOOD RESOURCES

211

“Simply call 211 to speak to someone now, or search by location for online resources and more contact information.”

Contact: 211

Website: <https://www.211.org/about-us/your-local-211>

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FOOD BANKS & PANTRIES

Find Food Banks in California

“Food Banks throughout California provide United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) commodities for distribution to eligible individuals and households within their respective service areas. In order to be eligible for USDA commodities, an individual or household must reside in the geographical area being served and meet established income guidelines.”

Website: <https://www.cdss.ca.gov/food-banks>

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North State Food Bank

“To improve the economic security and well-being of low-income residents of Butte County and our surrounding service area through diverse housing, human service programs and community collaborations.”

Location: 181 E. Shasta Avenue

Chico, CA 95973

Contact: (530) 712-2600

Website <https://www.buttecaa.com/north-state-food-bank/distribution-calendar/>

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Catholic Ladies Relief Society

Location: 1386 Longfellow Ave,
Chico, CA 95926

Contact: (530) 895-8331

Hours: Every other Month

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FOOD BANKS & PANTRIES, continued

Cohasset Community Association

Location: 11 Maple Creek Ranch Rd
Chico, CA 95973

Contact: (530) 332-9550

Hours: Every 2nd Wednesday of the month

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Christian Life Center

Location: 1492 East Avenue
Chico, CA 95927

Contact: (530) 712-2600

Hours: Monthly

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Chico Gleaners Inc.

“Cal ahead for details.”

Location: 1436 Nord Ave. Unit D
Chico, CA 95926

Contact: (530) 895-3006

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Chico Rescue Mission

Location: 2613 Espanade
Chico, CA 95973

Contact: (530) 343-1935

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Hungry Wildcat Food Pantry – CSU, Chico

Location: 400 W 1st St.
Chico, CA 95929

Contact: (530) 898-4098

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Chico Seventh-day Adventist Church

Location: 1119 Espalanade
Chico, CA 95926

Contact: (530) 342-7777

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SENIOR FOOD PROGRAMS

California Department of Aging: Find Services in My County

“The California Department of Aging contracts with and provides leadership and direction to 33 Area Agencies on Aging (AAA) that coordinate a wide array of services to seniors and adults with disabilities at the community level and serve as the focal point for local aging concerns.”

Contact: (800) 510-2020

Website:

https://aging.ca.gov/Find_Services_in_My_County/

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Meals on Wheel America

Meals on Wheels providers deliver nutritionally balanced, age-appropriate meals designed to meet seniors’ needs. The meals are often the primary source of nutrition a Meals on Wheels client will receive.”

Contact: (888) 998-6325

Website:

<https://www.mealsonwheelsamerica.org/find-meals-and-services/>

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Feather River Senior Citizens Association Center

Location: 1335 Myers Street
Oroville, CA 95965

Contact: (530) 533-8370

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WOMEN, INFANTS & CHILDREN (WIC)

“WIC services include: Practical nutrition information and everyday healthy living tips for you and your family. Nutrition experts who specialize in nutrition for mothers and their children. Support and information about breastfeeding your baby, including access to breastfeeding experts. Help in finding health care and other valuable community services. Benefits to buy healthy foods, such as fruits and vegetables, whole grains, milk, eggs, bread, cereal, juice, peanut butter, soy milk, tofu and more!

Contact: (800) 852-5770

Website: <https://myfamily.wic.ca.gov/>

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Women, Infants & Children (WIC)

“WIC is a special supplemental nutrition program that provides no-cost services to women, infants, and children.”

Location: 2080 E. 20th Street
Chico, CA 95928

Contact: (530) 552-4025

Website:

<https://www.buttecounty.net/1272/Women-Infants-Children-WIC>

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