## Food Recovery Training & Education

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### Problem

- 40% of the food produced in the United States never gets eaten and goes to waste
- 1 in 6 children or 13.1 million children are without enough food for a healthy lifestyle
- Food (organics going to landfills) = methane gas =  $\uparrow$  global warming

## How will this project addresses food insecurity

- Tool kit for inspectors
- Training of inspectors
- Community partnership committee with county representatives and community volunteer organizations
- Promotional message borrowed from other agency



#### Food waste education for Inspectors



#### Food waste education for operators



#### Increase in food diversion



Better and cleaner world

# Thank you!



