



Glasgow Food Policy Partnership in Action

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Working together towards our goals:

- Everyone has access to fresh, fair, healthy, affordable food;
- Growing and cooking food brings communities together;
- The local food economy is thriving;
- We can all enjoy and celebrate diverse, tasty and healthy food; and
- Our food is produced and disposed of in a way that's good for the environment as well as us.



Our Partners

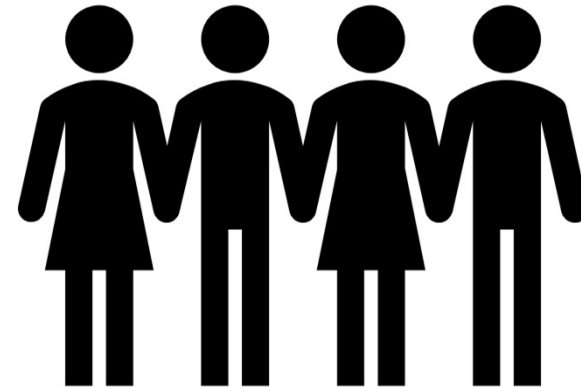


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GLASGOW FOOD POLICY PARTNERSHIP



- Chamber of Commerce
- Community Food & Health Scotland
- Fareshare
- Glasgow Centre for Population Health
- Glasgow City Council
- Glasgow Community Food Network
- Glasgow South West Foodbank
- NHS Health Scotland
- Nourish Scotland
- The University of Glasgow
- Zero Waste Scotland



Our Partners



Glasgow's Emergency Food Response



Slow Food Scotland



Food for Good Glasgow so far...

- Provides co-ordinated response to emergency food aid around the city
- Supports community organisations with food supplies and logistics
- Strategically links organisations around the city including the council and mutual aid groups
- In contact with circa 150 food banks/community food projects
- Free Food map of Glasgow
- Has secured complimentary storage/drivers/furloughed staff



FFG Challenges and Successes

Challenges

- Finding out who in the city offering which services
- Duplication of work

Successes

- Volunteer power/space and vehicles
- Initial funding from Crowdfunder
- Funding secured from Scottish Government to continue work for at least 6 months
- In process of recruiting staff for the project



Food for Good Coalition



Towards a City Food Plan



3 Overarching Aims

Equity, Sustainability, Health

70 multisector partners

And a core project coordinating team :

GFPP, GCPH, GCFN

Glasgow City Council, HSCP (NHSGGC)



6 Themed Working Groups



Food poverty -
fair food for all



Food
economy



Community
food



Environment
and food waste



Food procurement
and catering



Children and
young people



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GLASGOW
COMMUNITY
FOOD
NETWORK



Where are we now?

- GCC is committed to a city food plan: as a city (rather than City Council)
- We held a food summit in May 2019 at which a range of other stakeholders indicated their support for a city food plan.
- Planning Day in December 2019 with 70 participants in the 6 thematic working groups to start working on the City Food Plan.
- The plan will lay out how we will work towards a more sustainable food system. i.e. incorporating environmental, health, social and economic concerns. And will contribute to the City's recovery from the pandemic.
- Proposal is for a 5-10 year strategic plan with a 1 year implementation plan, and to be accountable through the Community Planning Partnership
- A core project team are coordinating the process and preparing the draft plan for a public consultation later this year.



Thank you

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