

Starting a Neighborhood Donation Group

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INVITE NEIGHBORS TO DONATE REGULARLY TO ARLINGTON EATS

TELL THEM YOU WILL PICK UP ITEMS FROM THEIR DOORSTEP!

Get the word out! Post flyers, post on neighborhood social media, etc.

Set a date for your first collection and decide on frequency of collection (ex. monthly)

Make it easy for YOU. Collect only from neighbors on your street or immediate neighborhood (10-30 households is plenty)

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EMAIL OR TEXT REMINDERS TO YOUR GROUP

Remind your to members that 1-2 items make a difference

Remind members of the collection date and what's most needed

Optional: Give your group a name, hand out reusable bags with the name

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COLLECT!

Ask your neighborhood group to leave the donations on their porches
Collect donations from members' homes

Drop of donations at Arlington EATS during drop-off hours
Tuesdays 1-3pm
Wednesdays 8:00-8:30am and 4:30-5pm

Repeat steps 2 and 3!