

**SAMPLE OF MICHIGAN
FOOD BANK TAX CREDIT**

Married Itemizer:

<i>Gift</i>	\$400.00
<i>Savings from Federal Income Tax Deduction at 27%</i>	-\$108.00
<i>Savings from Michigan Food Bank Tax Credit</i>	<u>-\$200.00</u>
<i>Donor's Actual Cost</i>	\$92.00

Single Itemizer:

<i>Gift</i>	\$200.00
<i>Savings from Federal Income Tax Deduction at 27%</i>	-\$54.00
<i>Savings from Michigan Food Bank Tax Credit</i>	<u>-\$100.00</u>
<i>Donor's Actual Cost</i>	\$46.00

Please check with your tax consultant for tax savings in your particular bracket.

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Feeding the hungry throughout the north.



DO YOU REALLY KNOW US?

The Manna Food Project and Manna Food Pantry are non-denominational and non-profit with a clear vision to help feed the hungry throughout northern Michigan. Our operation is two-fold.

First, as part of **America's Second Harvest - The Nation's Food Bank Network**, we acquire products from Second Harvest Gleaners Food Bank of West Michigan, Inc. Contributions to our distribution warehouse also come from generous local markets, grocery stores, bakeries, farmers, organizations, and individuals. Over 300 volunteers assist in the food distribution. Currently, The Manna Food Project distributes, for a nominal fee, to 38 pantries throughout Antrim, Charlevoix, and Emmet Counties. Secondly, The Manna Food Pantry, located within the same building, is one of the 38 pantries operated under The Manna Food Project. Pantries distribute food to families in need at no charge.

The Manna Food Project is managed by an executive director who oversees the procurement and monthly distribution of over 70,000 pounds of food. Equating one pound of food to one meal served points out the magnitude of the operation.

Since its inception in 1987, the organization has been a successful partner in distributing over 13 million pounds of food to those in need at no charge. Today, The Manna Food Project serves close to 2500 families each month.

A \$50 donation allows us to acquire 625 pounds of food. A \$2400 donation allow us to acquire a full truckload of food for distribution. It is through your donations that we are able to provide this support.

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