



Illinois Pork Power Food Pantry Co-op Funding Program

The Food Pantry Co-op was created by the Illinois Pork Producers Association (IPPA) to provide pork to food pantries, shelters, churches or groups in Illinois who strive to fight food insecurity in their local communities. The goal for this funding is to get quality protein further into small communities in our state, through existing organizations.

OBJECTIVE

- The Illinois Pork Power Food Pantry Co-op Funding program will match up to \$250 for the purchase of pork products.

ENTITIES ELIGIBLE FOR MATCHING DOLLARS INCLUDE:

- Churches
- Non-Profit organizations
- For-Profit Organizations
- Shelters
- Soup Kitchens
- Food Pantry

GUIDELINES

- Pork purchases can be made from local grocery stores, butchers, or reimbursement for purchasing pork from a regional food bank.
- If cold storage is not available at your facility shelf stable pork products are still covered under this funding. *Shelf stable products can include but are not limited to bacon, pork snack sticks, pork jerky, etc.*
- Applications will only be accepted for pork purchases.
- Applications should come from the organization directly.
- IPPA has final decision in approving funds. Funding is available on a first come, first serve basis, while funds are available. Projects must be pre-approved.
- Applicants will be limited to one approved purchase per year.
- Organizations must be located in Illinois.

ELIGIBILITY

- Complete a co-op request form and submit it to IPPA prior to the purchase of pork.
- For questions or to submit your application, email Casey Thiems at casey@ilpork.com or call (217) 529-3100.



2021 Food Pantry Co-op Funding Application

Please submit form for pre-approval prior to your purchase.

IPPA will match up to \$250.00 for the purchase of pork

Submitted By _____

Association Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

Association Type _____

Pork Cost Overview (Please list items of expected)

Item: _____ Value: _____

Item: _____ Value: _____

Item: _____ Value: _____

Note: *IPPA must receive receipts before reimbursements can be made.*

Please send an invoice for payment: (Required for reimbursement)

Pay to _____

Address _____

Signature _____

Amount _____

*Please return to: casey@ilpork.com or mail to
Illinois Pork Producers Association, 6411 S. Sixth St. Road, Springfield, IL 62712*

(IPPA ONLY)

Pre-Approval Date: _____ IPPA Initials _____

Approval Signature & Date _____

Amount and Account _____