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Santa Barbara Leaders Flex Their Muscles in the Fight Against Hunger Foodbank of Santa Barbara County

- WHO:** Foodbank of Santa Barbara County
- WHAT:** Annual Leadership Day
- WHERE:** Santa Barbara Warehouse: 4554 Hollister Ave., Santa Barbara, 93110
Santa Maria Warehouse: 490 W. Foster Rd., Santa Maria, 93455
- WHEN:** Wednesday, September 9, 2009
8am-2pm
- WHY:** The goal is get community leaders involved with a range of work projects encompassing our activities, while also learning about hunger and nutrition challenges facing Santa Barbara County—be a part of our healthier future!

The mission of the Foodbank of Santa Barbara County is to provide nourishment to those in need by acquiring and distributing safe nutritious foods via local agencies and providing education to solve hunger & nutritional problems in Santa Barbara County.

Our Foodbank is a member of Feeding America—the nationwide network of 205 Foodbanks. We keep our autonomy, but the national organization sets standards for operations, health and safety. In 2008, 2 million of the 8 million pounds of food we distributed last year was fresh produce.

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