SERVING UP SOLUTIONS
A Hunger Relief Benefit Dinner

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Commissioner Quarles and the Kentucky Hunger Initiative
ABOUT SERVING UP SOLUTIONS

Studies show one in eight Kentuckians are food insecure. As Kentucky’s Commissioner of Agriculture, Ryan Quarles has made the need to fight hunger issues in the state a major part of his administration by starting the Kentucky Hunger Initiative. A first-of-its-kind effort in Kentucky, Quarles launched the initiative in the spring of 2016 to bring together farmers, charitable organizations, faith groups, community leaders, and government entities to look for ways to reduce hunger in Kentucky. The Serving Up Solutions Benefit Dinner is just one part of that campaign.

Since 2018, the annual Serving Up Solutions dinner features a bipartisan cross-section of Kentucky leaders coming together to serve as celebrity waiters for event guests. Raising tens of thousands each year, the money is divided among Feeding Kentucky, Kentucky Hunters for the Hungry, and Glean Kentucky to be able to support Kentuckians in need.

“Our fifth Serving Up Solutions benefit dinner will raise awareness about hunger and funds to combat food insecurity across our state. As we continue to recover from the pandemic, we have seen unprecedented demand on charitable feeding agencies, especially with historic inflation and unemployment rates. This event will help support the organizations that keep Kentuckians fed and recognize the hunger heroes in our midst.”

- Ryan Quarles, Commissioner of Agriculture

Since its inception, the Serving Up Solutions Benefit Dinner has raised more than $100,000
WHO: Members of the Kentucky General Assembly
Constitutional Officers
Feeding Kentucky
Kentucky Hunters for the Hungry
Glean Kentucky

WHAT: “Serving Up Solutions” Benefit Dinner

WHEN: February 8, 2023 at 6:00 PM
Dinner to be served at 7:00 PM

WHERE: The Foundry on Broadway
317 W Broadway
Frankfort, KY 40601

Katrina Thompson, Executive Director, Feeding Kentucky

Feeding Kentucky is dedicated to the goal of making sure no Kentuckian has to wonder where their next meal will come from or make the choice between utilities, medication or buying food. We are excited to once again partner with Commissioner Quarles on this fantastic event.

Roger LaPointe, Executive Director, Ky Hunters for the Hungry

Kentucky Hunters for the Hungry is honored to once again benefit from the ‘Serving Up Solutions’ Dinner. For more than 20 years, Kentucky Hunters for the Hungry has processed and distributed donated venison to Kentuckians. We thank Commissioner Quarles once again for his leadership in working to reduce hunger across our state.

Ben Southworth, Executive Director, Glean Kentucky

The support of Commissioner Quarles and the Kentucky Department of Agriculture through ‘Serving Up Solutions’ has gone far in improving Glean Kentucky’s ability to carry out our mission of reducing food waste and food insecurity as we’ve grown throughout the Commonwealth.
SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Thank you for considering sponsorship of the Serving Up Solutions Benefit Dinner. There are several benefits to sponsor this year’s event. Please take a few minutes and review material contained in this sponsorship package. Sponsors are reserved on a first come, first serve basis.

**GOLD**

- Premium seating for 8.
- Seats 7 and 8 reserved for Governor and First Lady (invited).
- Commissioner Quarles to be reserved should Governor and First Lady not be able to attend the event.
- Premium logo presentation.
- Premium recognition from the podium.
- Social media company recognition across Commissioner Quarles and Kentucky Dept. of Agriculture’s platforms.

$15,000

1 gold sponsorship available

**SILVER**

- Premium seating for 8.
- Logo display on table and program.
- Social media company recognition across Commissioner Quarles and Kentucky Dept. of Agriculture’s platforms.

$10,000

2 silver sponsorships available

**TABLE**

- Reserve seating for 8.
- Logo display on table and program.

$1,000

16 table sponsorships available

*If you prefer not to have seating at the event, but still wish to attend please contact Katrina Thompson (Katrina@FeedingKY.org / 502-699-2657) to discuss customized sponsor benefits.*
On behalf of all of our partners and the people they serve, we hope you pledge to join the fight against hunger. Should you wish to serve as a sponsor of the 2023 Serving Up Solutions Benefit Dinner please reach out to the contact below.

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