

West Columbia/Cayce Food Policy Coalition Subnetwork Brief

South Carolina Partnership Survey



Background

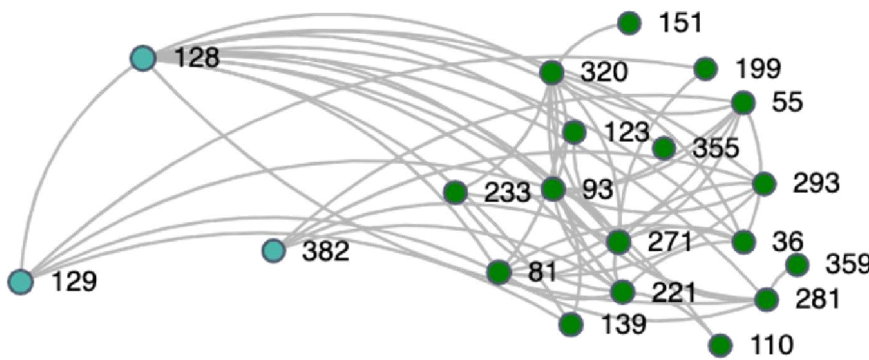
The South Carolina Partnership, which refers to Growing Local SC, Healthy Palmetto, the South Carolina Food Policy Council, and local food policy councils funded through SNAP-Ed, embarked on an analysis of the network of organizations and individuals dedicated to improving food insecurity in South Carolina. This analysis will help you visualize your local food policy council network relationships, provide insights about the ways we work together, and identify opportunities for continued network development.



Network Map

The West Columbia/Cayce Food Policy Coalition subnetwork is composed of 20 organizations/individuals, 15 of which responded to the survey with a 75% response rate. The subnetwork reported having 58 relationships.

- West Columbia/Cayce Food Policy Coalition
- Multiple Networks

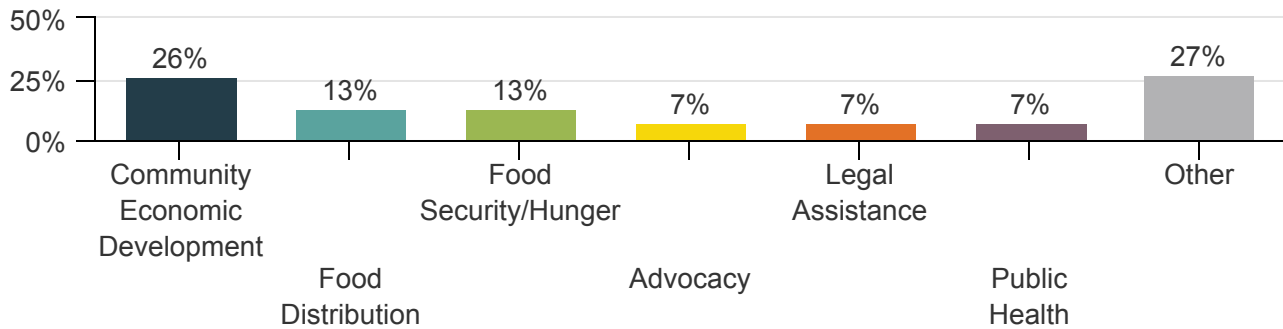


Map Label	Organization/Community Member Name
110	Capital Consultants, Donald Wood
123	Piggly Wiggly Franchise, Gary Jones
128	Central Midlands COG, Gregory Sproue
129	Alianza Latina of the Midlands, Guillermo E spinosa
139	FoodShare South Carolina, Iris Gadsden
151	City of West Columbia, Department of Public Works, Jamie Hook
199	Lexington County Library, Kate Barry
221	The Brookland Foundation, Kris Jones
233	Brookland Banquet and Conference Center, Lenwood Greene
271	Brookland Center for Community Economic Change, Farmers' Market and Food Promotion Program, Michael Brown
281	City of Cayce, Planning and Zoning Office, Monique Ocean
293	Julius Felder Coalition for Change, Pamela Sulton
320	Brookland Center for Community Economic Change, Board of Directors and Retired Oncologist Community Resident, Rudy Wise
355	City of West Columbia, Grants and Special Projects Department, Tara Greenwood
359	City of Cayce, Taylor Gray
36	Brookland Center for Community Economic Change, Board of Directors and Retired General Manager Community Resident, Bennie Sulton
382	Julius Felder Coalition for Change, Yvonne Smith
55	The Shiver Group, Candace Jackson Shiver
81	Brookland Center for Community Economic Change, Cindy Richburg-Cotton
93	Brookland Center for Community Economic Change, Diabetes Intervention Program, Dara Brown

Network Composition

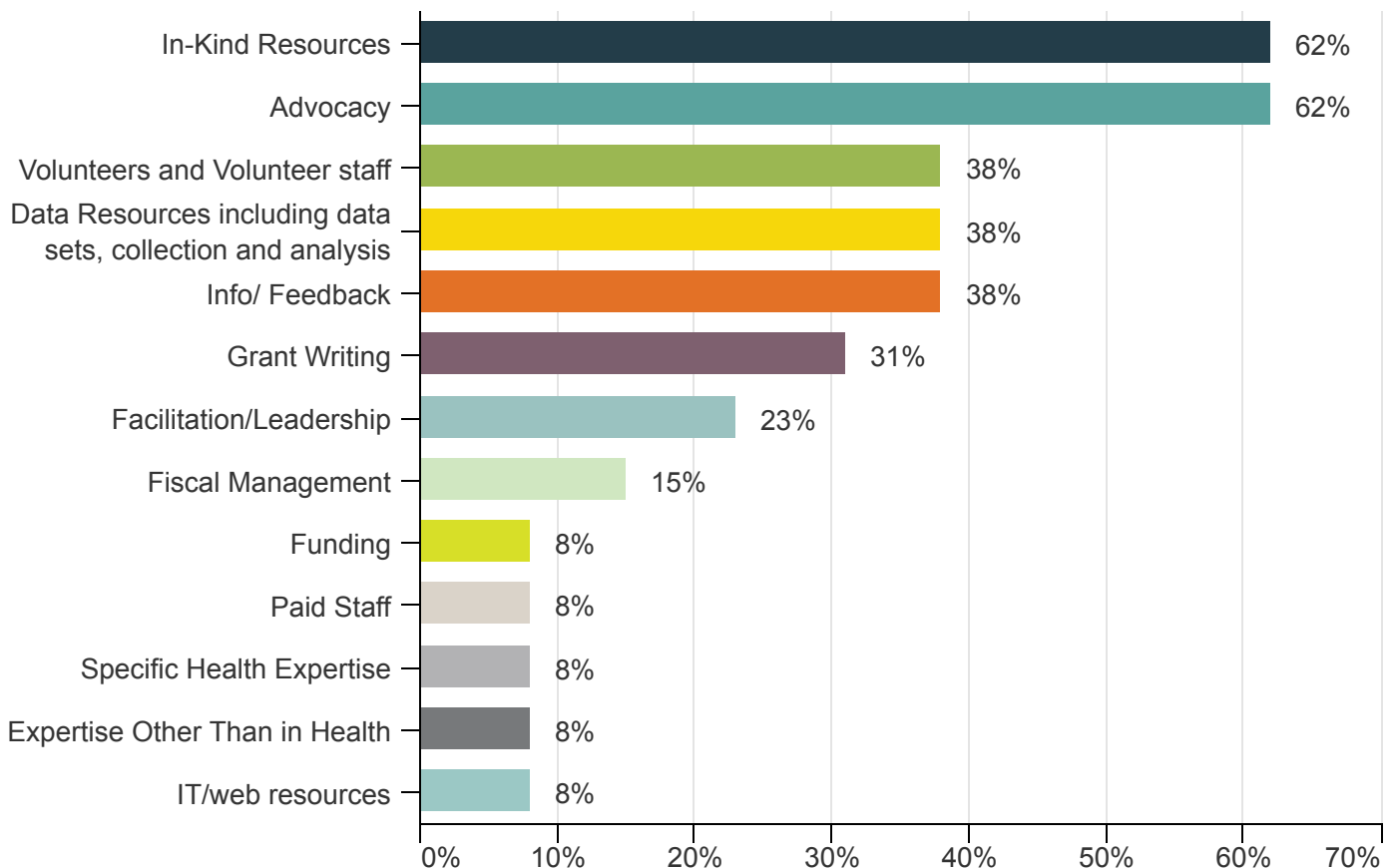
Most organizations/individuals in West Columbia/Cayce Food Policy Coalition are primarily in the **Community Economic Development** (26%), **Food Distribution** (13%), and **Food Security/Hunger** (14%). A handful (N=4) respondents also worked in **Other** fields, such as local government, professional development, or neighborhoods.

Q1: What is the primary field that your organization works directly in?
n = 15 respondents reported for this question



Q6: Leveraging resources is a key function of a network. Please indicate what your organization contributes, or can potentially contribute, to the South Carolina Partnership*. (Select all that apply)

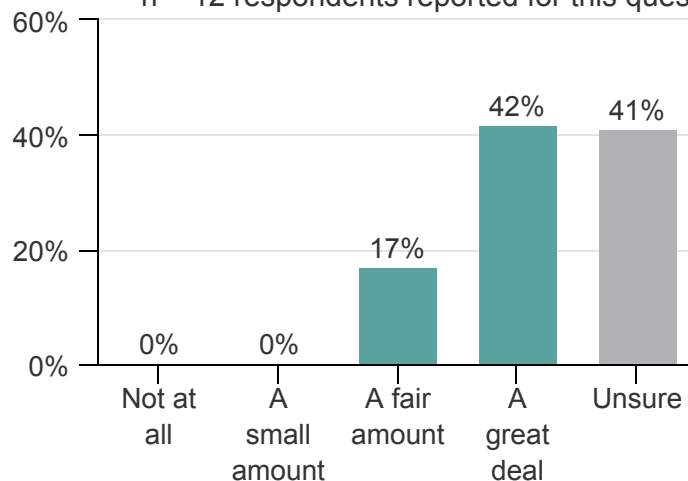
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n = 13 respondents reported for this question



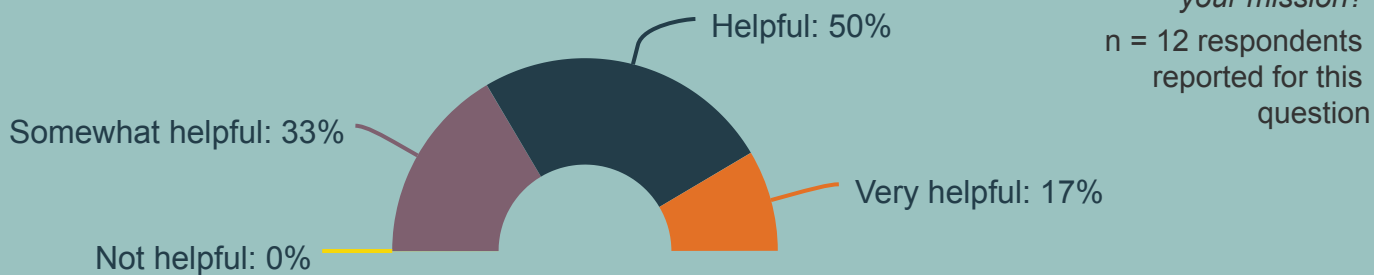
SNAP-Ed Perceptions

- Nearly half of respondents reported that SNAP-Ed has had **A Great Deal** of influence in the South Carolina Partnership (42%).
- Majority of respondents find the South Carolina Food Policy Council **Helpful** (50%) or **Very Helpful** (17%) in helping their organization achieve its mission.
- A little over half of respondents find the South Carolina Food Policy Council **Helpful** in addressing food insecurity (58%).
- About half of respondents reported that in the formation and maintenance of relationships SNAP-Ed has been important **A great deal** (49%).

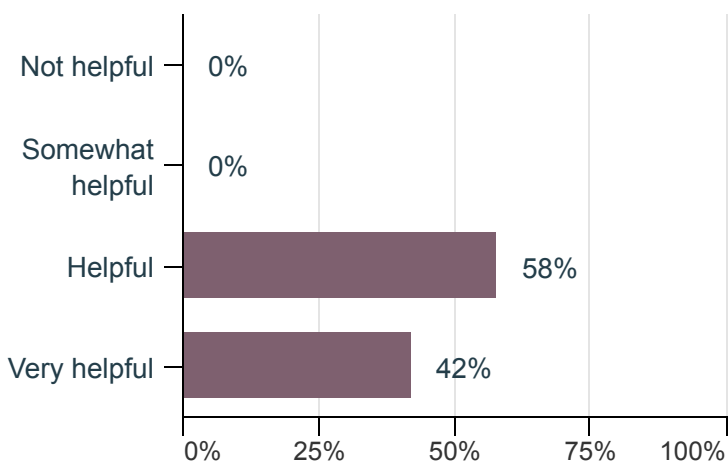
Q12: What is SNAP-Ed's level of influence in the South Carolina Partnership?
n = 12 respondents reported for this question



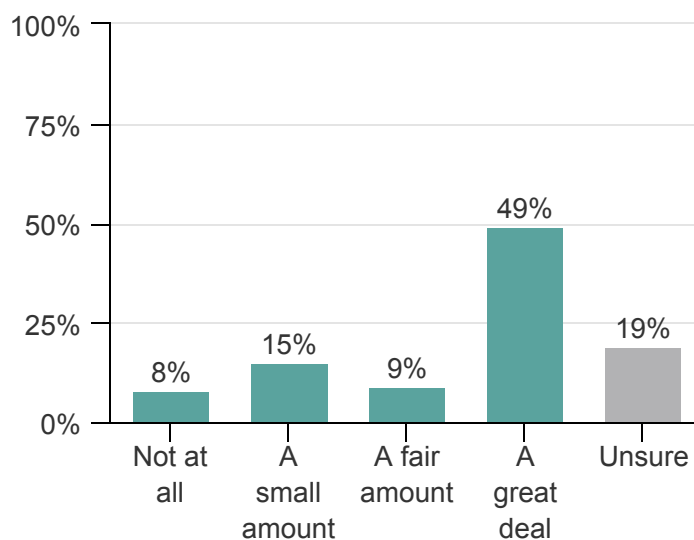
Q13: How helpful has the South Carolina Food Policy council been in helping your organization achieve your mission?
n = 12 respondents reported for this question



Q14: How helpful has the South Carolina Food Policy council been in addressing food insecurity?
n = 12 respondents reported for this question



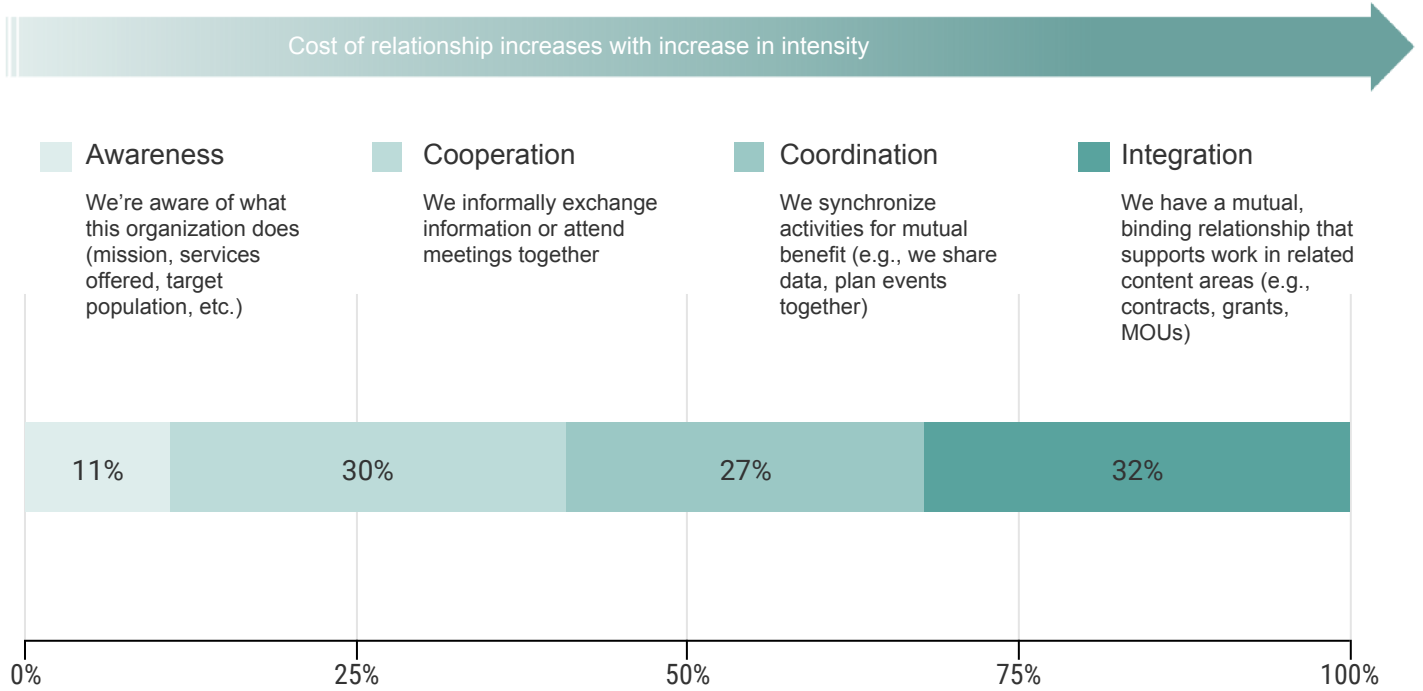
Q21: How important has SNAP-Ed been in the formation and maintenance of this relationship?
n = 74 relationships reported for this question



Intensity of Relationships

Q18: Using the below definitions, identify your organization's method of interacting with this organization. (Select only one per organization)

n = 73 relationships reported for this question



Q19: What is the nature of your relationship with each organization listed? (Select all that apply)
n = 72 relationships reported for this question

58%

Work on advocacy or policy efforts together

65%

Exchange general information/resources

32%

Receive data from them

28%

Provide data to them



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