



## Job Posting **Chief Development Officer**

### THE ROLE

This is an extraordinary time to take the helm of the department of development at Island Harvest Food Bank. The new chief development officer will have the responsibility of building a partnership with President and CEO, fostering a sustainable philanthropic-culture to seamlessly support and integrate myriad innovative initiatives that align with the organizations' mission of "ending hunger and reducing food waste on Long Island".

S/He will be a member of the executive leadership team aiding in the creation, articulation, and implementation of departmental and organizational goals and objectives. As a senior level professional, the chief development officer will actively participate in managing and carrying out the objectives of the organizations' strategic plan and work closely with the President and the Board of Directors.

### ARE YOU THE IDEAL CANDIDATE?

The ideal candidate for this important position is an energetic, innovative, visionary professional who also leads by example and is self-motivated. This candidate works well independently but also excels when working with a team who shares the same passion for success and innovation. This candidate will have a proven progressive and successful record of accomplishment in stewarding and soliciting individual/corporate and foundation contributors and advancing their support to align with the needs and objectives of an expanding organization. Demonstrated success in managing a team of professionals is important. Knowledge of Donor Perfect and/or other fundraising software is important.

### ABOUT OUR ORGANIZATION

Island Harvest Food Bank, a leading Long Island-based hunger-relief organization, is changing the paradigm for ending hunger on Long Island.

Our innovative cross-sector programs target the root causes of food insecurity among working families, senior citizens, veterans, and children.—Strategic partnerships in communities and with hospitals and related organizations collaboratively address chronic food insecurity, physical/mental health conditions, and substance abuse disorders. Island Harvest Food Bank pairs specially designed initiatives with nutrition education, outreach, mobile food distributions, and resource referral services, designed to create pathways that address specific social determinants of health. Providing uniquely designed holistic services and vital resources help transition Long Islanders who are food-insecure *from uncertainty to stability*. Island Harvest Food Bank is a member of Feeding America®, the nation's leading domestic hunger-relief organization. More information is at [www.islandharvest.org](http://www.islandharvest.org).