



# Food Shelf

## Description

CAP Agency Food Shelf, located in Shakopee, provides a nutritionally balanced, five-day supply of food to individuals or families in need. The amount of food distributed per request is based on the number of members in the household.

## Participation

Services are available by appointment to individuals and families of all ages living in Scott County, who are not able to provide for the nutritional needs of their household. On an average, the CAP Agency Food Shelf serves over 1,200 families each month.

## Item Donations

Donations of food items are accepted Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. All food and household item donations to the CAP Agency Food Shelf are appreciated. The following items do, however, best help meet the needs of the food shelf:

### Food items

Canned fruit  
Peanut butter  
Baked beans  
Black beans  
Cereal  
Canned tuna  
Macaroni and cheese  
Rice

### Household items

Bar soap  
Diapers  
Laundry detergent  
Shampoo  
Toilet paper  
Toothpaste

## Monetary Donations

Food Shelf donations of money are welcome. In fact, monetary donations go farther than food donations, as the CAP Agency is often able to purchase many food shelf items in bulk quantities. Monetary food shelf donations can be made online at [www.capagency.org](http://www.capagency.org) or mailed to the CAP Agency Shakopee Office address listed below.

## Volunteers

Food Shelf volunteers help clients with food selections, weigh and sort food donations, help stock shelves and pick up bread and pastry items from local grocery stores.

## Contact Information

Please direct calls regarding the CAP Agency Food Shelf and/or Food Shelf volunteer opportunities to Linda Shelton, Community Service Director at 952-496-2125.

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