## bortland food project

## Video "Neighborhood Food Project - How To Table!"

VIEW THIS SHORT VIDEO CLIP.

https://youtu.be/mjzdsY06oWE?si=iyNrhy4nUfcAwQqj

## PLEASE READ THESE NOTES.

While overall, our Green Bag tabling is the same as the video, we are different:

- We do NOT give out green bags at events.
- We give out a "Join the Green Bag Team" flyer, but never brochures and refrigerator magnets. Encourage people to explore our website, which has tons of information.
- Use the QR code for signing up donors. Make sure that street numbers and names are entered completely in different boxes and that donors scroll to the bottom of the page and "Submit" their sign up. Try it to familiarize yourself with the process. HINT: Turn your phone sideways to view the whole box.
- It is vital to check for legibility and confirm that people know they are signing up to be matched with a Neighborhood Coordinator, who welcomes them and provides bags and information. Sometimes, by mistake, folk sign up to get information or need to receive food. PFP is an all-volunteer, community-based, supplemental food collection project with almost 1600 donors across Portland and close-in suburbs.
- When we use the term *food bank* locally, people think of the Oregon Food Bank. Our partners are different local *food pantries* and that distinction needs to be made. The OFB distributes across the state. We contribute supplemental non-perishable food in our own community. Pantries receive mostly fresh food from their sources and unexpired, non-perishable food is harder to come by and often runs low at pantries.