

United Way YLC collected nonperishable food items for the Food Bank

Efforts yield more than 400 items

Upon hearing of a shortage at the Rhode Island Community Food Bank, members of United Way of Rhode Island Young Leaders Circle initiated a food drive during December.

More than 400 items were dropped off at United Way of Rhode Island's headquarters in Olneyville and the American Cancer Society.

A food call to action: From left, Joseph Morra, RI Afterschool Plus Alliance (RIASPA) and United Way of Rhode Island staff members Jennifer Remmes, Laurie Backall, Amanda Heinsen and Melody Karp are among several members of United Way of Rhode Island Young Leaders Circle who took charge of collecting nonperishable food items for the R.I. Community Food Bank.