



Grow Dat Shared Harvest Partnership Criteria

Shared Harvest Program Goals:

- Share 30% of our produce with other local organizations whose mission and values align with ours
- Create meaningful opportunities for youth employees to lead educational activities for organizational members.
- Create meaningful opportunities for youth employees to better understand how struggles for justice in the food system intersect with other struggles for justice
- Deepen our connections with other local groups committed to building collective power
- Enhance our capacity to work towards a more just and equitable food system for New Orleans

Criteria for Selecting Shared Harvest partner organizations:

- Partner's mission and goals overlap with Grow Dat's mission and goals in the areas of youth leadership development and building collective power to bring about a more just and equitable food system
- Partner demonstrates capacity to efficiently receive and distribute donated produce in a way that increases food availability to low and moderate income New Orleanians with zero to minimal food waste.
- Logistics of produce delivery or pick-up are compatible with the schedule and capacity of Grow Dat staff.
- Partnership offers opportunities for youth employees to lead educational experiences that increase leadership skills of youth and lead
- Partnership helps Grow Dat to garner resources (financial, volunteers, relationships).
- Partnership contributes to Grow Dat building a diverse network of partner organizations.
- Partner help Grow Dat to connect with groups/populations organizing around issues of relevance to young people in New Orleans.
- Partner follows through on agreements as outlined in annual MOU.



Selection Process – Please give a score of 1 (low) to 5 (high).

Partner’s mission and goals overlap with Grow Dat’s mission and goals in the areas of youth leadership development and building collective power

Partner demonstrates capacity to efficiently receive and distribute donated produce in a way that increases food availability to low and moderate income New Orleanians with zero to minimal food waste.

Logistics of produce delivery or pick-up are compatible with the schedule and capacity of Grow Dat staff.

Partnership offers opportunities for youth employees to lead educational experiences that increase leadership skills of youth and lead to greater understanding of the intersection of food justice issues with other social justice struggles.

Partnership helps Grow Dat to garner resources (financial, volunteers, relationships).

Partnership contributes to Grow Dat building a diverse network of partner organizations.

Partner help Grow Dat to connect with groups/populations organizing around issues of relevance to young people in New Orleans.

Total Score:

Notes: