



Growing kids need protein. Wyoming has high-quality, local solutions.

Beef for Backpacks

OUR PARTNERS



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Scan to learn more about Beef for Backpacks.

- **Beef for Backpacks** was launched under the *Food from the Farm + Ranch* banner to utilize Wyoming resources to support the work of weekend food bag programs that make a real impact for children statewide.
- Every cell in the body is made of protein, which makes this major nutrient essential for healthy growth and development.
- Weekend food bag programs provide meals for students on the weekend who may not otherwise have access to food. Protein is notoriously expensive and often difficult for these anti-hunger organizations to procure.
- **Beef for Backpacks** provides locally raised protein in a portable form for each participating child every weekend for the entire school year.

About the Partners

- 307 Meat Company in Laramie has and continues to do all of the processing of the beef donated to this program.
- Wyoming Stock Growers Association seeks out beef donations to the program through their network.
- Wyoming Beef Council and Multivac provide all of the labeling for these snack sticks.

How can you help? Donate a beef. Or make a contribution to help with the processing costs of the beef sticks.

Visit nohungerwyo.org/backpacks

In addition to **Beef for Backpacks** and the other core programs, there are more Wyoming Hunger Initiative **programs**, **campaigns**, and **events** that benefit those in need in Wyoming. None of this could be accomplished without the efforts of statewide **anti-hunger organizations** and the generosity of our **sponsors**, **volunteers**, and **donors**.

Together, we can end hunger in Wyoming. nohungerwyo.org



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YIELDS

2,880

beef snack stick
packages

SERVING

80 kids
for **36** weeks

Wyoming's BEEF Needs

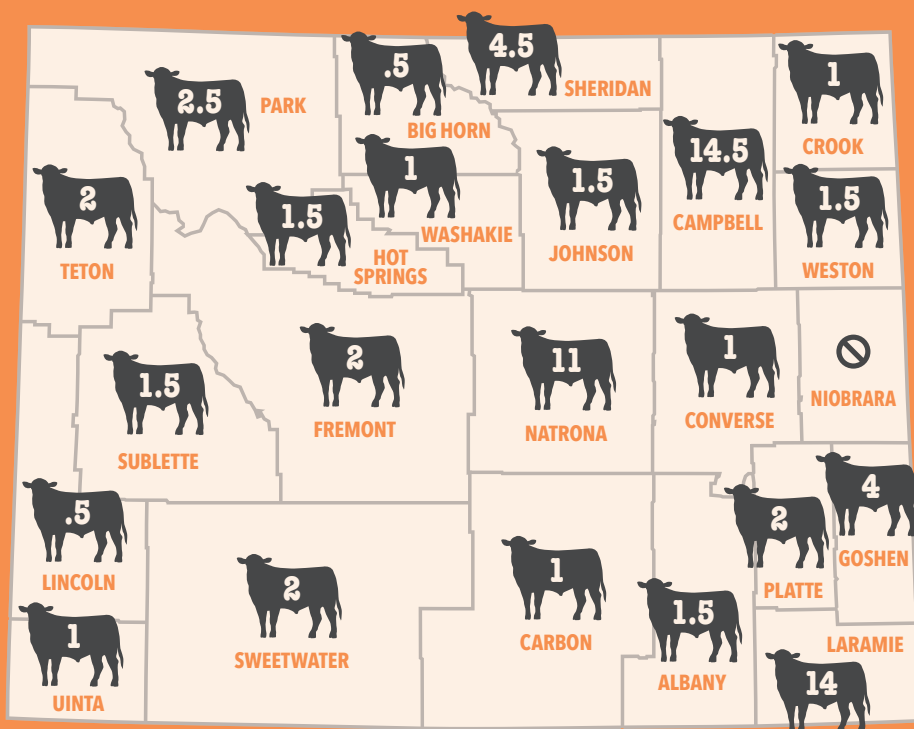


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*Number of kids per week for 2024-25 school year

**One package contains one beef snack stick, total weight 1 oz.

BEEF Breakdown by County



⊘ = Doesn't have a weekend food bag program

10/29/24 UPDATE

BEEF Participating Weekend Food Programs

Albany	1.5	ACSD #1 Backpack Program
Big Horn	.5	Totes of Hope - Basin
Campbell	14.5	Blessings in a Backpack
Carbon	1	Boys & Girls Club of Carbon County Totes of Hope
Converse	2.5	Boys & Girls Club of Douglas TOH
Crook	1	Sundance BIB, Hulett BIB, Moorcroft BIB
Fremont	2.5	Friday BP, Shoshoni BP, Wyoming Indian Elementary School
Goshen	4	Torrington Middle School Totes of Hope
Hot Springs	1.5	People for People Backpack Program
Johnson	1.5	Johnson County Friends Feeding Friends
Laramie	14	Friday Food Bag Foundation
Lincoln	.5	Lincoln County School District #2 Education Foundation
Natrona	11	Wyoming Food for Thought Project
Park	2.5	Food 4 Kids, Backpack Blessings of Powell
Platte	2	Food 4 Weekends, Guernsey Totes of Hope
Sheridan	4.5	The Food Group, Inc.
Sublette	1.5	Community Bak-Pak Program
Sweetwater	1.5	Weekend Backpack Meal Program, Food Bank of Sweetwater Cnty TOH
Teton	2	Hole Food Rescue
Uinta	1	Mountain View and Lyman Backpack Program
Washakie	1	Washakie County School District #1, Blessings in a Backpack
Weston	1.5	Newcastle Totes of Hope

TOH = Totes of Hope | BIB = Blessings in a Backpack | BP = Backpack Program

Don't see your county listed? Contact your local weekend food bag program to get started.