COVID-19 Emergency Food Strategy

Our goal:
Minimize hunger in Baltimore during the pandemic

Core components:

- **MEAL DISTRIBUTION**
  - Meals for youth and older adults

- **FOOD DISTRIBUTION**
  - Grocery box assembly/distribution hub
  - Community food distribution grants

- **FOOD RETAIL**
  - SNAP expansion
  - Grocery supplements

- **URBAN AGRICULTURE**
  - Urban farm/garden grants

What it will take:
- A community-driven approach
- Collective impact: 100s of partners
- Maximizing city infrastructure
- An initial $16 million investment: city, state, federal, private

It’s estimated that up to 1 in every 3 Baltimore City residents will need food supplements by June.

A two-month view:
Late April - Late June