



Mandatory Requirements:

- Applicant works with a community-based organization or business that is situated in a community that experiences food insecurity.
- Are able to take time during their work week to attend training sessions
- Are able to allocate time to focus on their own organizational food project in between trainings
- Applicants work in a neighborhood/region that is considered at-risk of experiencing food insecurity
- Their work supports travel to and from trainings

Other (ranked based on 1- 5; 1 = not at all, 5 = yes 100%):

1. The organization represents our primary audience for the CFL program (community-based orgs or business who directly impact the lives of individuals facing food insecurity).
2. They have a clear tangible goal that we can support through coaching and trainings (our capacity matches their intended goal).
3. Their food project is ripe for action. Given their role and organizational capacity, they can realistically focus on and (begin to) implement their identified goals.
4. Their project is likely to influence increased access to food for their neighborhood or regions in the short and long term.
5. If their food goal is related to expanding or improving an existing project (rather than starting something new), it is clear how expanding or improving this project will have greater reach in their communities (The CFL program is intended to help communities support more people access the food they need)?
6. Application indicates a strong organizational thirst for supporting community-food initiatives directly through their organization.
7. The organization is not already well connected to the Our Food Project, and participating in this program would greatly support their goals that might not otherwise be possible.