



Volunteer Opportunity: Repack To Give Back

The week before Thanksgiving, City Harvest will host hundreds of volunteers for a one-of-a-kind experience. At this year's *Repack To Give Back*, volunteers will have the opportunity to fight hunger in a hands-on way .

During this five day event, teams of volunteers will pack thousands of holiday boxes filled with healthy food – enough to feed more than 20,000 hungry New Yorkers. Join City Harvest in the fight against hunger and help feed thousands of families this holiday season!

About The Event

Description of Duties – Some lifting is required. Volunteers will be working on their feet in a warehouse environment handling food. Please prepare and dress accordingly.

Arrival – Please arrive 15 minutes early – orientation will begin promptly at the start of your shift.

Dress Code – Volunteers should dress in casual, comfortable clothing and **MUST** wear closed toed shoes (ex. ballet flats, and shoes with high heels are not permitted). The room may be cold so dressing in layers is recommended.

Supplies – All supplies will be provided by City Harvest. Light refreshments will be served!

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Learn more at cityharvest.org/repacktogiveback



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Getting to the Food Rescue Facility (FRF)

The FRF is located at 55-01, 2nd Street, Long Island City, Queens.

Via Subway:

Take the 7 train to Queens (Vernon Boulevard - Jackson Avenue stop). When you exit the train station walk west on 50th Street past police precinct toward Manhattan (Empire State building will be in your direct view). Turn left at 2nd Street, walk approximately 3 blocks past last building on the left all the way to the end and then turn left into parking lot, walk toward ramp and enter building.

Via Ferry:

Take the East River Ferry from the East 34th Street station. Exit at the Hunters Point South/Long Island City stop. Exit the ferry station and head east toward 2nd Street. Turn right onto 2nd Street and continue straight until you reach 50-01 2nd Street, located on the left. The main entrance is located at the last building closest to the water.

Via Car from Manhattan:

Long Island City is accessible from the 59th Street (Queensboro) bridge. Exit the bridge, making a left onto 21st Street. Take a right on 46th Avenue and then make the second left onto Vernon Boulevard. Make a right onto Borden Avenue and then lastly a left onto 2nd Street. The facility is located on the left. Please note that due to construction, street parking is not available on 2nd St. We have limited parking available in our lot and highly encourage carpooling or traveling by other methods.

