



For the Mississauga Food Bank

Hunger in Mississauga

•15% of Mississauga residents and 20% of Mississauga children live in poverty.



Hunger in Ontario

The number of households accessing food banks for the very first time has increased by 20%, from 14,206 in 2013 to 17,182 households in March 2014.

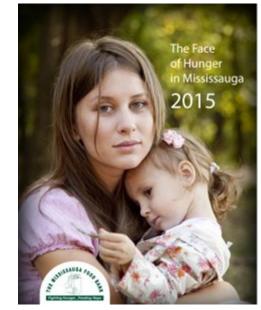
In June 2014, the price of food purchased in stores increased an overall 3.2% from the year before.

The primary reason given for coming to the food bank is employment-related. Even when they have a job, many people just don't earn enough to pay for basic living expense

The **Mississauga Food Bank** (MFB) is a distribution center which sources, manages and distributes food to its network of member agencies, including neighbourhood food banks, before-school breakfast clubs, shelters and hot meal programs. Only in Mississauga, people visited the neighbourhood food banks **80,151** times last year.

In addition, the MFB meal, snack and breakfast Programs were visited **87,779** times. The MFB provides food for **183,000** meals each month. The MFB's vision is to ensure that **no resident of Mississauga goes hungry**.

Data provided above has been provided by The Mississauga Food Bank http://www.themississaugafoodbank.org/learn/hunger-at-a-glance/



TICO STAFF AT THE MFB

Organized by the CSR Committee with the generous support of TICO staff, ten staff volunteered sorting food at the Mississauga Food Bank (MFB) warehouse.

Our volunteers did not waste a minute!





TICO Tape Gun Battle





We are very proud to report that we sorted food for **3349 MEALS** FOR OUR HUNGRY NEIGHBOURS in a **2 hour** shift.





TICO Volunteers

Sanja Annie Sylvia Soussanna Navpreet Richard Tracey Cora Jana Paula





A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL WHO DONATED TIME AND MONEY TO TICO'S FOOD DRIVE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE MFB. WE ARE PROUD TO REPORT THAT TOGETHER WE COLLECTED 225 LB OF FOOD

