



SALINE COUNTY

FOOD ACTION COMMUNITY TEAM

ABOUT US

Our mission is to build a strong, culturally appropriate local food system and improve access to healthy food for all in Saline County.

We envision a thriving community with open pathways leading to healthy living fueled by local food resources.

Current FACT members are from Salina Church of the Cross, Prairieland Market, Salina Emergency Aid Food Bank, Kansas Wesleyan University, K-State Research & Extension, Saline County Health Department and Kansas Mobility Management

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COORDINATED APPROACH

Building a strong local food system with access for all requires many partners coming to the table for discussions and problem solving.

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INFORMATION GATHERING

The first steps of FACT have been to review information in the community around strategic planning, food data, and community needs.

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GOAL DEVELOPMENT

Moving forward, the current primary goals of FACT are advocacy and community education and awareness.



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FOOD IS OUR COMMON GROUND

Did you know?



Salina has a food insecurity problem. The Food Bank has seen a 67% increase in the number served.



Over 90% of our food comes from other states.



Food has traditionally not been a part of Salina or Saline County's Comprehensive Plans.



We have a strong network of agencies and leaders committed to promoting a high quality of life in our community to live, work, learn and play.



What is a Local Food System?

Our local food system includes how we produce, buy, eat, and dispose of food. Food system development includes working together to strengthen connections between area producers and consumers to keep food dollars local and collaborating to promote health, local foods access.