

Food Forward

Shift your kitchen. Boost your profits.

Minneapolis Restaurants – Let's Prevent Wasted Food Together!

Join Food Forward, a free six-week coaching program designed to help restaurants reduce wasted food, save money, and make a lasting impact.

Launching November 2025

Food Forward participants will work with expert coaches and gain valuable benefits:



Boost profits by cutting down on wasted food



Improve kitchen efficiency and the customer experience



Business recognition and promotion for taking action



Connections to other local restaurants



Paid training hours for participation



Hands-on support from experts in kitchen management, wasted food reduction, food rescue and organics recycling



Receive a Food Forward Certificate of Completion

Together, we can move Minneapolis forward — one plate at a time.

Limited spots available. Open to restaurants in the City of Minneapolis.



Ready to join us?

Fill out your interest form at minneapolismn.gov/food-forward or email foodforward@minneapolismn.gov to learn more!

For reasonable accommodations or alternative formats please contact health@minneapolismn.gov or 612-673-2301. People who are deaf or hard of hearing can use a relay service to call 311 at 612-673-3000. TTY users call 612-263-6850. Para ayuda, llame al 311. Rau kev pab 311. Hadii aad Caawimaad u baahantahay wac 311.

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