

## Our Mission

*Our mission is to provide food and referral services at no cost in a caring and respectful manner to those in need within our community. We strive to end hunger and restore the quality of life for our clients.*

## Our Commitment to You

Our goal is to treat you with dignity and respect. If you ever feel that we fail to live up to this standard, please ask to speak confidentially with the Executive Director, Monica Bernhard. 479-6188



## Bremerton Foodline Staff

### Executive Director

Monica Bernhard

### Supervisor of Operations

Rachel McLeod

### Office & Outreach Coordinator

Susan Robinson

### Driver

Tim Streutker

### Board of Directors—President

Stan Williams

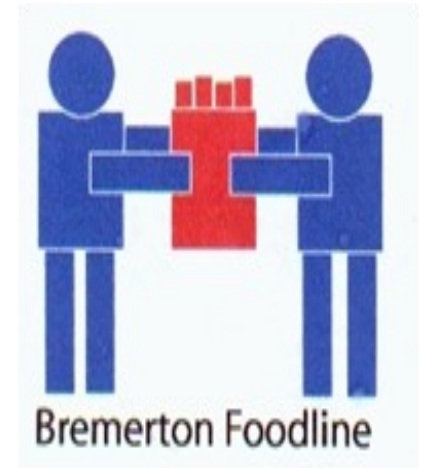
### Equal Opportunity Statement

We provide our service equally to all persons without regard to gender, race, ethnicity, religion or sexual orientation.

*TTY 1-800-833-6358, ADA Accessible*

We are a registered 501(c)(3). For tax ID information, please see the Director.

*Placing nutritious food on the table for those in need in our community.*



## New Client Information

**Hours of Service:**  
**Monday—Friday**  
**10:00—1:45 pm**  
**(except Federal Holidays)**

**1600 12th St.**  
**Bremerton, WA**  
**98337**  
**(360)479-6188**

## FOOD & OTHER SERVICES

**Food Boxes**—Nutritionally balanced 3-day supply of food containing at least four of the five major food groups. In general, families can receive this food box once per month. If you have special dietary requirements, please advise your server and we will do our best to accommodate your needs.

**Fresh Break and Produce**—Fresh bread and produce is available in the lobby on a daily basis.

**Commodities** The State of Washington makes available commodity products such as pasta, canned vegetables, and cereal. The specific items will vary from month to month. Clients must register to receive commodities on a weekly basis at one designated food bank.

**Commodity Supplemental Food Program**—Seniors over the age of 60, children under 5 that are not on WIC, and pregnant or nursing mothers may be eligible to receive additional food products each month. Please see flyer for more information.

**Holiday Baskets**—We offer our clients specially prepared food boxes for both Thanksgiving and Christmas dinner. Registration for these boxes will begin in late October.

**Food Stamps Enrollment**—We can register you for Food Stamps onsite and advocate on your behalf with DSHS.

### Who Qualifies?

The Bremerton Foodline is pleased to offer food assistance to those living or working within the Bremerton School District area. If you live outside this area, we will direct you to a foodbank that will be more convenient for you.

### What do I bring?

Please remember to bring the following documents each time you visit our agency:

- Photo Identification (driver's license or other government issued identification card)
- Proof of Address (a bill mailed to your current residence within the past 30 days, or DSHS medical coupon, or rental agreement)

### How Often Can I receive Service?

In order to ensure we have enough food for everyone that needs, clients are eligible to receive a full food box, including products from each of the major food groups, one time per month. If there are special circumstances that you need more frequent baskets, please discuss these with your Front Desk representative.

### Are there other places in Bremerton where I can receive food? Yes.

#### St Vincent de Paul—

1137 Callow Ave. 479-7017

#### Salvation Army

832 6th Street, 479-2695

### Who do I contact if I have a suggestion regarding the services we offer?

Please feel free to speak with the Executive Director or any staff member regarding your thoughts on how we can improve our service.

**Can I Drop off Donations?** Yes. We accept donations of gently used clothing, small toys, coats, and books which can be dropped off M-F 10:00—1:45pm. We do not accept furniture, mattresses or large appliances.

**Can I Volunteer?** Yes. Please ask the front desk volunteer for more information.

**Can I Perform Court Assigned Community Service?** Yes. You must first meet with a staff member to review your requirements and our needs. If there is a match, you will be invited to complete an application.

