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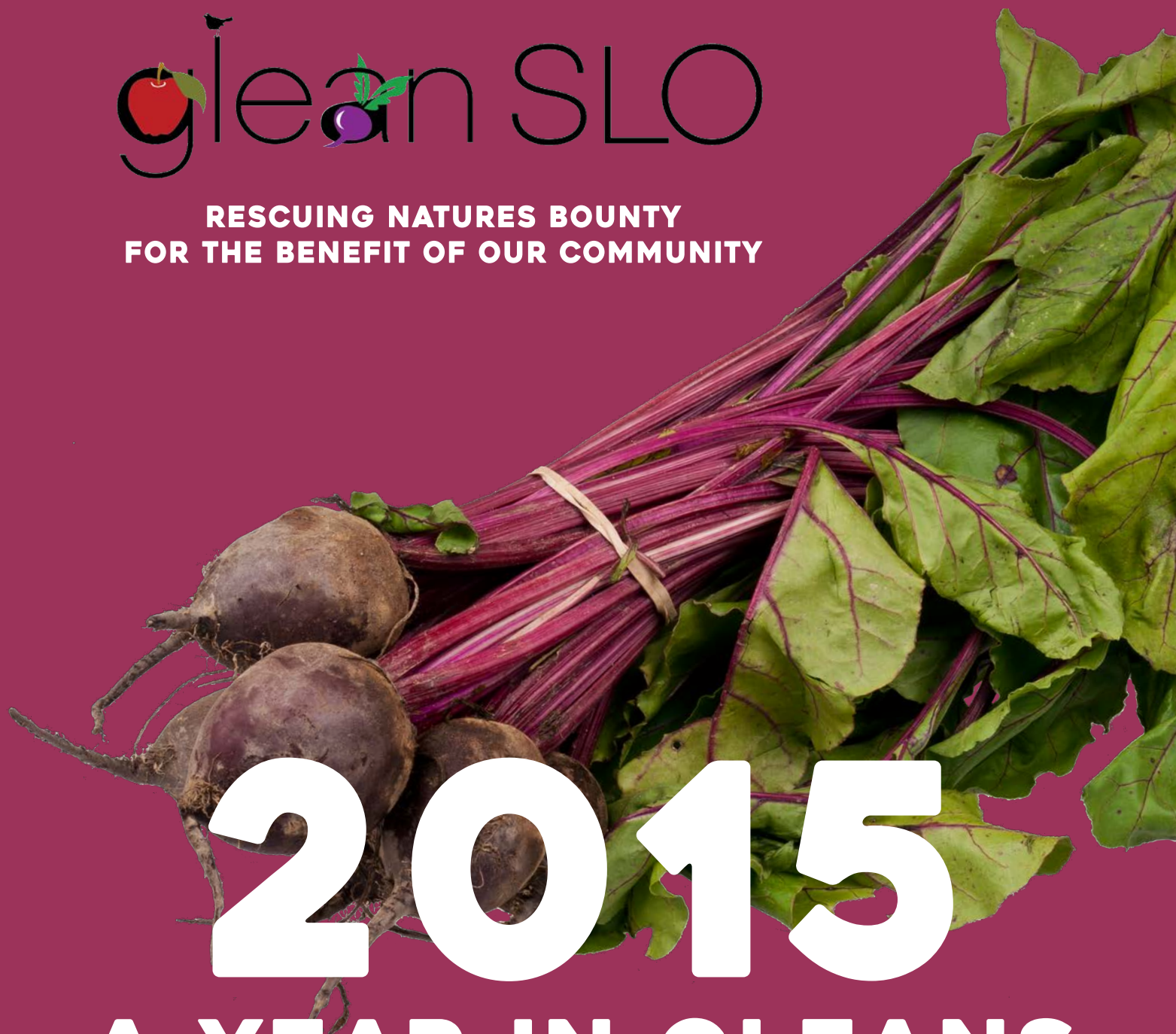
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**RESCUING NATURES BOUNTY
FOR THE BENEFIT OF OUR COMMUNITY**



2015

A YEAR IN GLEANS

THE BOUNTY

Apples: 6,314
Arugula: 1,495
Assorted Veggies: 29,866
Avocados: 695
Beets: 17,616
Blueberries: 1,128
Bok Choy: 3,476
Broccoli: 6,555
Brussel Sprouts: 3,630
Cabbage: 16,484
Carrots: 7,228
Chard: 8,739
Chiles: 5,524
Citrus: 6,089
Corn: 11,076
Figs: 353
Grapefruit: 8,838
Green Beans: 1,337
Green Onions: 1,471
Kale: 18,647
Leeks: 405
Lemons: 18,288
Lettuce: 16,512
Limes: 1,767
Loquats: 1,008
Nectarines: 124
Oranges: 19,260
Peaches: 929
Pears: 1,280
Peppers: 6,237
Persimmons: 2,206
Pineapple Guavas: 1,135
Plums: 1,831
Pomegranates: 724
Potatoes: 163
Radicchio: 1,116
Radishes: 1,622
Spinach: 1,692
Stone Fruit: 1,020
Strawberries: 120
Summer Squash: 7,102
Tangelos: 2,179
Tangerines: 4,208
Tat Soi: 756
Tomatillos: 626
Tomatoes: 8,186
Winter Squash: 5,122



**FUELED BY VOLUNTEERS
MADE POSSIBLE BY DONORS**

**209,013 LBS
OF PRODUCE RESCUED IN 2015**

**BACKYARD
HARVESTS**
39,338 LBS

**COMMERCIAL
FARMS**
129,061 LBS

**FARMERS
MARKETS**
19,859 LBS

**FRUIT
DRIVES**
2,172 LBS

PICK-UPS
18,432 LBS

**GLEANED BY 522 VOLUNTEERS AT A
TOTAL OF 685 HARVESTS THROUGH
2,577 HOURS OF VOLUNTEER SERVICE**

22,000 LBS

2010

37,988 LBS

2011

99,165 LBS

2012

212,109 LBS

2013

200,092 LBS

2014

209,013 LBS

2015

10 REASONS TO ♥ GLEANSLO

1. GleanSLO volunteers, homeowners, farmers, growers and consumers are working together to create a stronger social fabric to solve the deeper issues related to hunger.
2. GleanSLO rescued over 209,013 pounds of produce that would have otherwise gone to waste in 2015.
3. Gleaning addresses food insecurity in a sustainable way. As a program of the Food Bank, GleanSLO stands out as an innovative model, both statewide and nationally.
4. One third of low-income residents in SLO County eat produce less than once per day. GleanSLO improves the health of community members, such as children and seniors, who have difficulty accessing fresh fruits and vegetables.
5. Gleaning is good for farmers and homeowners, who are happy to see the fruits of their labors shared with those in need. They may also receive tax benefits because of their donation.
6. GleanSLO is helping to change our local food culture by inspiring all age groups to appreciate fresh, nutritious food and the journey from farm-to-fork.
7. Nearly half of the food distributed to the 44,000 hungry people in SLO County through the Food Bank is produce, a portion of that comes from GleanSLO's efforts.
8. GleanSLO provides an opportunity for the Food Bank, local farmers, distributors and consumers to work together in creative ways to improve our local food system.
9. GleanSLO is committed to reducing local food waste.
10. To date, GleanSLO has harvested over 790,000 pounds of fresh produce.

WHEN YOU'VE GOT TOO MUCH OF A GOOD THING



c/o The Food Bank Coalition
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**EXTRA CROPS?
TIME?
DOLLARS?**

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