

# Letter carriers collect more than 38,000 pounds of food locally

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United States Postal Service workers across Bloomington, Ellettsville and Unionville collected a little more than 38,000 pounds of food Saturday as part of the 26th Annual Letter Carriers' Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive.

The National Association of Letter Carriers' Branch 828 conducts the annual food drive. The food will be delivered to the Hoosier Hills Food Bank to help stock the pantries of community members facing food insecurity.

All area post offices will accept additional donations through Friday. Letter carriers will also pick up donations at mailboxes until the middle of the week. Canned vegetables, canned fruit and canned meat, as well as other nonperishable food items, are welcomed.

Other drop-off locations for food donations are listed at [www.monroeunitedway.org](http://www.monroeunitedway.org).