#### Tennessee Secretary of State Tre Hargett



Division of Business and Charitable Organizations 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 6th Floor Nashville, Tennessee 37243-1102

September 27, 2023

JUSTIN MUNOZ 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209

#### **RE:** Registration to Solicit Funds for Charitable Purposes Organization Name: NASHVILLE FOOD PROJECT, INC. (THE) CO Number: CO17334 Renewal Date: 06/30/2024

Dear JUSTIN MUNOZ :

Pursuant to the Tennessee Charitable Solicitations Act, T.C.A. § 48-101-501,*et seq*. the Tennessee Secretary of State has reviewed your application and is pleased to announce your organization's registration to solicit contributions has been **approved**.

The organization must maintain statutory compliance by submitting a renewal application and required fees on an annual basis. At that time you may be required to submit tax filings, financial statements, proof of IRS status, and other documents related to your organization and its fundraising activities. You can find additional information and submit additional filings online at <u>https://sos.tn.gov/charities</u>. The "CO" Number listed above will serve as your organization number and should be used when submitting any charitable filings or correspondence.

Please also be advised that if the organization's application or other provided information includes false, misleading or deceptive statements, appropriate action will be taken. Pursuant to the Tennessee Charitable Solicitations Act, a civil penalty of up to five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) may be assessed for any violation.

Thank you for registering your organization and please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Sincerely,

Tre Hargett Secretary of State

# Tracking Number 2023123670



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# **Organization Information**

### Legal Name of the Charitable Organization: NASHVILLE FOOD PROJECT, INC. (THE) Legal entity type of the Organization: Corporation FEIN: 45-2905951 Initial Registration Date: 10/06/2011 Renewal Date: 09/28/2023 Has your fiscal year ending month changed since your last renewal? 🗆 Yes 🛛 No Fiscal Year Ending Month: December When and where was the organization legally established Date: 06/29/2011 Country: USA City/State: NASHVILLE, TN County: Davidson Has your Principal Office address changed since your last renewal? 🗆 Yes 🗹 No Principal Office Address 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE USA, NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Has your Mailing address changed since your last renewal? 🗆 Yes 🗹 No Mailing Office Address 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE USA, NASHVILLE, TN 37209 **Contact Information for the Charitable Organization** Contact Name: JUSTIN MUNOZ Telephone Number: (615) 460-0172 Fax Number: (615) 297-9319 Email: events@thenashvillefoodproject.org Website: www.thenashvillefoodproject.org Current names used by the charity organization Do you need to modify other names that the charity solicits under? 🗆 Yes 🛛 No Has the organization registered in any other state(s)? 🗆 Yes 🗹 No Does the charity have other offices, chapters, branches, affiliates or a parent?

□ Yes ☑ No

## Application to Renew Registration of a Charitable Organization

Division of Business and Charitable Organizations Department of State

State of Tennessee 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 6th Floor Nashville, Tennessee 37243 Phone: 615-741-2555 Fax: 615-253-5173 sos.tn.gov/charities

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#### The category that best describes your organization

K - Food, Nutrition, Agriculture

#### The charitable purpose of the organization

To bring people together to grow, cook, and share nourishing food, with the goals of cultivating community and alleviating hunger in our city.

Tax & Financial Information		
Has your tax exempt status changed since your last renewal?		
Last Fiscal Year Start: January 2022	Last Fiscal Year End: December 2022	
Type of 990 Tax Form Filed: 990 (Long Form)		
Gross Revenue		
Direct and Indirect Public Contributions	\$ 2,765,347.00	
Government Grants	\$ 0.00	
Program Service Revenue	\$ 561,454.00	
Special Events and Activities	\$ 0.00	
Gross Sales of Inventory	\$ 0.00	
Other Revenue	\$ 375,764.00	
Total Revenue	\$ 3,702,565.00	
Expenses		
Total Program Expenses	\$ 2,601,718.00	
Direct Expenses from Special Events	\$ 40,682.00	
Cost of Goods Sold	\$ 0.00	
Management and General Expenses	\$ 311,215.00	
Fundraising Expenses	\$ 328,532.00	
Other Expenses	\$ 0.00	
Total Expenses	\$ 3,282,147.00	
Excess/Deficit For the Year (Total Revenue - Total Expenses)	\$ 420,418.00	
Changes in Net Assets/Fund Balances		
Net Assets/Fund Balances at Beginning of Year	\$ 5,158,462.00	
Other Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances	\$ 0.00	
Net Assets/Fund Balances	\$ 5,578,880.00	
Total Liabilities at End of Year	\$ 59,655.00	
Net Assets/Fund Balances at End of Year	\$ 5,578,880.00	

# **Solicitation Information**

Have you been enjoined by any court from soliciting contributions? □ Yes ☑ No

Does your organization contract with or otherwise engage the services of any outside fundraising professional (such as a "professional fund-raiser," "paid solicitor," "fund raising counsel," or "commercial co-venturer")? □ Yes ☑ No

# **Officer Information**

Do you need to modify the current officers? ☑ Yes □ No

List each officer, director, and trustee (at least 2 officers are required, and you must list officers who have or share the following titles: "Chief Financial Officer", "Custodian of Contributions", "Custodian of Final Distributions")

SUNNY BRAY 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

ASHLEE BROOKS 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

MARYLEA BRYANT 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

ANTONIO CARROLL 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209, USA Title(s): Board Member, Officer, Chairman

KATHERINE HARTLE 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member, Officer

KATIE JOHNSON 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

KIM JOHNSON 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

VANESSA LAZON 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

CHRISTY MOBERLY 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

JOHN PEARCE

5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Treasurer, Board Member, Officer

JENNIFER RUSIE 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

JOSH WESTERHOLD 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member, Officer

TANDY WILSON 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

CHARLES J SENTELL 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Chief Executive Officer, Custodian of Contributions, Custodian of Final Distributions

JARRETT STRICKLAND 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member, Officer

RICK LEACH 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE USA, NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

ANGIE BERGMAN 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE USA, NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

ANN FUNDIS 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE USA, NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

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ANGIE SESSOMS 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE USA, NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member MARCIE SMECK 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE USA, NASHVILLE, TN 37209 Title(s): Board Member

Has any officer, director, manager, operator, or principal of the organization been the subject of an injunction, judgement, or administrative order or been convicted of a felony?

🗆 Yes 🛛 🗹 No

## Signature

I certify that the statements in this registration statement and all supplemental forms, documents, and continuation sheets are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I (Chief Fiscal Officer, Treasurer, or Officer) certify, under penalty of perjury, that the above information is true and correct.

Signed Electronically: Charles Julius Sentell Title: Chief Executive Officer

I certify that the statements in this registration statement and all supplemental forms, documents, and continuation sheets are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I (Chief Fiscal Officer, Treasurer, or Officer) certify, under penalty of perjury, that the above information is true and correct.

Signed Electronically: Brandi Bruns Title: Chief Fiscal Officer Date: 08/02/2023

Date: 08/02/2023



Tre Hargett Secretary of State

Date: 08/01/2023

#### **Customer Information**

JUSTIN MUNOZ NASHVILLE FOOD PROJECT, INC. (THE) 5904 CALIFORNIA AVENUE NASHVILLE, 37209

**Tracking Number Amount Paid** Description 2023123670 **CH Charitable Renewal** \$ 10.00 **Payment Details** Fee Total: \$10.00 Payment Total: \$10.00 Amount Due: \$ 0.00 Refunded Amount: \$ 0.00 **Payment Method** Payment Type: Credit Card Check/Confirmation Number: 3855660821

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