



## **Second Harvest AmeriCorps Spokane Volunteer Center Coordinator - Recruiting Now**

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With one in eight people, including one in five children, facing hunger in Eastern Washington, you can help fill the gap by increasing access to healthy food. **Second Harvest needs two AmeriCorps members, age 18 and older, at its Spokane Hunger Solution Center. Term of service will be Oct. 16, 2021-Aug. 31, 2022.**

**These AmeriCorps positions will help facilitate volunteer activities at Second Harvest's Spokane Hunger Solution Center. The positions will recruit, train and lead volunteers at Second Harvest's two Volunteer Centers in Spokane to sort and pack fresh produce and other donated food for children, families and senior in need. This will include packing child-friendly food resources for the Bite2Go program for schoolchildren in need. The position is critical to building the capacity of Second Harvest's new Wolff Family Child Hunger Solution Center. The AmeriCorps member will bring creativity, innovation and efficiency to the Volunteer Centers, where community volunteers will donate their time to ensure that healthy food gets to people in need. Second Harvest will interview qualified candidates immediately.**

Right now, Second Harvest provides food for 114,000 meals a day throughout the Inland Northwest. Hunger is unacceptable and Second Harvest promotes good

nutrition as an essential part of the solution. **You will make a difference by joining Second Harvest's AmeriCorps team to build healthier communities through food.**

**AMERICORPS MEMBER BENEFITS:**

- Invaluable experience for school, a future job or new career
- Extensive training and professional development
- \$6,195 education award provided by National Service Trust (upon successful completion of 10.5-month term and 1,700 hours of service)
- \$2,583 per month living stipend provided by Washington Service Corps (before deductions and withholdings)
- Basic health insurance (not including vision coverage)
- Workers compensation coverage
- Assistance with childcare costs
- Student loan forbearance (on qualifying loans)
- Payment of interest on qualified student loans that accrued during the service term (paid after successful completion of service term)
- Serving in a full-time AmeriCorps position qualifies as "employment" toward the Public Service Loan Forgiveness program

**REQUIREMENTS/QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Commit to serve full time for a complete term (Oct. 16, 2021-Aug. 31, 2022)
- Serve 40 hours a week and meet the 1,700-hour minimum requirement for the 10.5-month term of service
- Be a U.S. citizen, national or lawful permanent resident
- Have a valid driver's license and clean driving record
- Pass required criminal background checks
- Occasional travel within Eastern Washington
- Must be comfortable working with a wide variety of people from all walks of life and backgrounds

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To learn more about Second Harvest, visit [www.2-harvest.org](http://www.2-harvest.org). Contact Conor

Ellert at [conor.ellert@2-harvest.org](mailto:conor.ellert@2-harvest.org) or (509) 252-6267 for more information about this AmeriCorps opportunity.

Second Harvest values diversity in its workforce and is committed to Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action.