

PRODUCE PREFERENCES

Interested in donating fresh produce to the BMAC Food Bank? Below is a list of fresh food items always needed by our partners and clients. You can box or bag your donations (no sorting needed!) and bring them to the BMAC Food Bank, at 921 W. Cherry Street, Walla Walla, Wash., during drop-off hours (M-F, 8AM-2PM) or call the Food Bank at 509-529-3561 to arrange an appointment.

Popular Picks:



Carrots, beets, and other root veggies that are good for cooking.



All types of tomatoes! Donating cherry tomatoes? Leave them loose or on the vine. This will extend their shelf-life.



Berries. Make sure they are freshly picked and not about to spoil. No need to bag them up, an open box works great.



Tree fruits like apples, pears, plums, and cherries. These are very popular with parents and children.



Onions, garlic, and shallots that have been cured or dried properly.



Fresh green beans and snap peas. No need to bag or bundle them.



Kale, chard, or salad greens that are fresh and crisp. No washing needed.

Limit These Gifts:



Wine grapes or other fruit that is only suitable for cooking or processing.



Large winter squash or ornamental squash. If people don't recognize what it is, they will not eat it.



Fruit that spoils quickly or is starting to rot.



Excessively large zucchini or anything that is overgrown or overripe.

Good rule of thumb:

IF YOU WOULDN'T

BUY IT, PLEASE

DON'T DONATE IT.