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Using convenience networks to help end hunger

ampm and Thorntons team up with Feeding America® in a landmark commitment

[Louisville, KY – July 15, 2025] bp's US convenience retail brands, *ampm* and Thorntons, announced a relaunch and expanded collaboration with Feeding America, the largest domestic hunger-relief organization in the United States. The scaled effort builds upon the successful food donation program already established within the Thorntons store network, and marks a major step in bp's ongoing commitment to giving back to the communities it serves.

Inspired by Thorntons' long-standing dedication to hunger relief, this expanded initiative will leverage the combined reach of all *ampm* and Thorntons company-owned, company operated (COCO) stores to provide vital food donations to people facing hunger. Each participating store will extend its community support by channeling surplus food to local food banks and pantries within the Feeding America network.

"Working with Feeding America allows us to directly support the communities we serve, ensuring fewer families face hunger," said Lisa Blalock, VP of U.S. convenience and mobility at bp. "We are incredibly proud to stand with Feeding America and utilize our store networks of *ampm* and Thorntons to make a real difference." Between 2022 and 2023, Thorntons stores contributed over 500,000 lbs of food donations. Around 320 stores, including select *ampm* locations, are participating in this initiative, supported by 20 food bank community partners nationwide. This collaboration has the potential to expand bp's hunger-relief network and impact on the community.

"Food Lifeline is grateful for allies like *ampm* who recognize the growing need for food security for all and take action with food donations and support for local food banks. When we work together, we can care for our communities so everyone thrives," said Pascha Scott, Director of Marketing and Communication, Food Lifeline in Seattle, Washington.

In an effort to further amplify the impact, bp is also extending an invitation to its franchise store operators to participate in this initiative. Including the bp franchise stores will provide an even broader scope for food donation, moving toward a hunger-free community across the regions *ampm* and Thorntons serve.

About these organizations:

To learn more about these organizations, please visit the organizations websites at [U.S. Hunger Relief Organization](#) | [Feeding America](#) , [ampm.com](#) and [mythorntons.com](#) .