

Minnesota FoodShare

Were you aware that March is Minnesota FoodShare month? Crystal residents are served by two organizations: NEAR serves those who live north of 42nd Avenue (www.nearfoodshelf.org) and PRISM serves those who live south of 42nd Avenue (<http://prismmpls.org>).

Minnesota FoodShare is the largest food drive in the state, working to restock close to 300 food shelves across the state. If you are interested in volunteering your time, making a donation, or receiving assistance, visit the websites above.

You could also plan on attending the 3rd Annual **Empty Bowls** event at Sandburg Learning Center in Golden Valley on March 21 from 4:00-7:00 p.m. Proceeds benefit both local food shelves. Visit www.emptybowlsrobbinsdale.org for more information about this community event.

For more information on Minnesota FoodShare, visit <http://mnfoodshare.gmcc.org>.