

## **2020 Strike Out Hunger Week Proposed Meeting Dates, Timelines and Critical Dates**

Tuesday, February 25, 11:30 a.m. Strike Out Hunger Week Outcomes Presentation, Alachua County Commission.

Thursday, March 5th, 1:00 p.m. Strike Out Hunger Week Outcomes Presentation, Gainesville City Commission Meeting

Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup> – Email notification and agenda for the March 18<sup>th</sup> Community Planning Meeting goes out to the Strike out Hunger Participants.

**Wednesday, March 18<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am – 12:00 noon Community-Wide Planning Meeting. Location: Thomas Center.**

Wednesday, April 1<sup>st</sup> – Email notification and agenda for the April 15th Community Planning Meeting goes out to the Strike out Hunger Participants.

**Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am – 12:00 noon Community-Wide Planning Meeting. Location: Thomas Center.**

Friday May 1st – Email notification and agenda for the May 13th Community Planning Meeting goes out to the Strike out Hunger Participants.

**Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup> 10 am – 12:00 noon Community-Wide Planning Meeting. Location: Thomas Center.**

Monday, June 1st – Email notification and agenda for the June 17<sup>th</sup> Community Planning Meeting goes out to the Strike out Hunger Participants.

**Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am – 12:00 noon Community-Wide Planning Meeting. Location: Thomas Center.**

Wednesday, July 1<sup>st</sup> - Email notification and agenda for the July 15<sup>th</sup> Community Planning Meeting goes out to the Strike out Hunger Participants.

**Wednesday, July 15<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am – 12:00 noon Community-Wide Planning Meeting. Location: Thomas Center.**

**Friday, July 17<sup>th</sup> Fundraising Deadline for all Funds for Strike Out Hunger Week**

Monday, August 3rd – Email notification and agenda for the August 12th Community Planning Meeting goes out to the Strike out Hunger Participants.

**Friday, August 7th, Production of Television and Radio Public Service Announcements for Strike Out Hunger Week.**

**Wednesday, August 12<sup>th</sup>, Strike Out Hunger Week Media Releases and Publicity begins for collection of food (MY GTN TV, TV 20, 98.9 JAMZ, Praize 107. 5 FM, WBMT 90.1 FM, Gainesville Sun, Alligator, Cox Communications and City and County Public Access Channel 12).**

**Wednesday, August 12<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am – 12:00 noon Community-Wide Planning Meeting  
Location: Thomas Center.**

**Wednesday, August 12<sup>th</sup> Distribution of Collection Boxes begins for community organizations.**

**Wednesday, August 12<sup>th</sup> Tentative Date for ordering Turkey and Food Items for Baskets.**

**Friday, August 28<sup>th</sup> – Email notification and agenda for the September 16<sup>th</sup> Community Planning Meeting goes out to the Strike out Hunger Participants**

**Wednesday, September 16<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am – 12:00 noon Community-Wide Planning Meeting.  
Location: Thomas Center.**

**Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup> – Email notification and agenda for the October 14<sup>th</sup> Community Planning Meeting goes out to the Strike out Hunger Participants.**

**Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> – 11:30 am, Board of County Commission to issue a proclamation in recognition of National Hunger Month.**

**Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> – 12:00 am -6:00 p.m. – Long Foundation, Inc. Registration for Vouchers for Thanksgiving Baskets at MLK Center.**

**Wednesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> – 12:00 am -6:00 p.m. – Long Foundation, Inc. Registration for Vouchers for Thanksgiving Baskets at MLK Center.**

**Wednesday, October 14<sup>th</sup> -10:00 am – 12:00 noon Community-Wide Planning Meeting.  
Location: Thomas Center.**

**Thursday, October 15<sup>th</sup> 5:30 pm, City Commission to issue a proclamation in recognition of National Hunger Month.**

**Alachua Greater Alachua County Fair at the Fairgrounds. Dates TBD**

**Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> – Change Fairgrounds Sign for 2020 Strike Out Hunger Week Events**

Friday, November 6<sup>th</sup> - 9:00 a.m. Alachua County Facilities Management and County Public Works to Drop off chairs and tables at the Fairgrounds Exhibition Building. The City of Gainesville Public Works to DROP Off orange directional cones.

**Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, 1: 00 pm - Fairgrounds Setup by the Long Foundation, Inc. and volunteers.**

**Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup> thru Thursday, November 12<sup>th</sup> – 2020 Strike Out Hunger Week. Drop off Food Items at the Fairgrounds from organizations and individuals. Sorting of donated items for pantries, food banks by volunteers.**

**Tuesday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 a.m. - Drop off Food Items at the Fairgrounds from organizations and individuals. Sorting of donated items for pantries, food banks by volunteers.**

**Tuesday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 am – Pick-up purchased non-perishable food items from Hitchcock’s (Archer).**

**Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup> – 9:00 am Food Preparation for FarmShare Distribution**

Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm. Pick up of donated food items by Food Banks and Pantries at the Fairgrounds.

**Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup> – 12:00 noon – 3:00 p.m. FarmShare Distribution with the Long Foundation, Inc.**

**Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup> – 3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Baskets preparation.**

**Thursday, November 12<sup>th</sup>, Pick-up turkeys from Hitchcock’s (Archer). North Florida Regional Medical Center drop off turkeys.**

**Thursday, November 12<sup>th</sup> – 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm - Pick up of Thanksgiving Baskets by eligible families with vouchers i.e. senior citizens, disabled citizens at the Fairgrounds.**

**Thursday, November 12<sup>th</sup> – 3:00 pm – 6:00 pm - Pick up of Thanksgiving Baskets by eligible families with vouchers from the Long Foundation, Inc., including seniors and disabled citizens at the Fairgrounds.**

Thursday, November 12<sup>th</sup> – Clean-up and removal of tables, chairs, scales, directional signs and cones at the Fairgrounds by volunteers.

**Tuesday, February 23, 2021 – 11:30 am 2020 Strike Out Hunger Week Outcomes Presentations at the County Commission Board Meeting.**

**Thursday, March 4, 2021 – 1 pm 2020 Strike Out Hunger Week Outcomes Presentation at the City Commission Meeting.**