

FOOD FROM THE BAR – MAY 4 to MAY 15, 2009



Each year the bar is raised a little higher...and this year, the McNamara Law Firm is reaching higher in its fundraising goals for the Contra Costa & Solano County Food Bank in the 18th year of Food From The Bar (aka FFTB).

FFTB is a spirited competition among many law firms in CC & Solano Counties whose collective goal is to raise food & funds for the Food Bank. The competition is among similarly sized law firms. New & exciting additions to our fundraising events this year include an elegant wine tasting, Monday morning breakfasts, a Cinco de Mayo luncheon, and a hearty beer fest paired with barbeque delicacies prepared by our very own Grill Master and partner, Dewey Wheeler.



Delivery of ice cream treats boosts the staff over the mid-week hump. Donations for an extensive raffle & silent auction are a critical component to the monetary donations raised for the Food Bank. Our attorneys and staff are always extremely supportive of this fundraising event. The firm's goal this year is \$10,000. In addition, generous sponsors, below, help make this two week fundraiser the success it has enjoyed over the years. Our special thanks go to:

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The Firm would also like to acknowledge the special efforts of the Food From the Bar Committee members, in addition to all the McNamara employees who generously gave their time and talent, together with donations, to define the success of our 18th annual Food From The Bar. With their efforts, we have tipped the scales!



Did you know....One in eight Americans lack sufficient food; the need for Food Assistance Program has increased 38% from January 2008 to January 2009; the Food Bank provides food to 98,000 hungry people every month. With every \$20 donated, 32 nourishing meals are provided to the hungry in Contra Costa/Solano County. If you would like to learn more about the Food From the Bar, please contact Renee Baptiste @ rbaptiste@foodbankccs.org.