Here Matters

Our community outreach program, Here Matters, builds on a century-plus legacy of service to local communities, as well as national organizations. Synovus focuses volunteer and financial contributions in three areas — education, needs-based opportunities, and health and wellness. As we face the challenges of the COVID-19 crisis, Synovus is here to provide the timely assistance our communities need. Here are some of the ways we’ve helped respond to the outbreak.

- **Feeding America**
  - 20,000 meals

- **Meals on Wheels**
  - 270 meals

- **American Red Cross**
  - $5k donation match

- **Truth Spring Academy**
  - Meals for underserved in North Highland community

- **United Way of Greater Atlanta**
  - COVID-19 Response and Recovery Fund

- **Phoebe Putney Hospital**
  - Donations for equipment, medical supplies, and meals for COVID-19 front-line staff

- **Dougherty County EMS**
  - One month of meals

- **Latin American Association**
  - Donations to assist with rent, free wi-fi, and medical care

- **America’s Second Harvest of Coastal Georgia**
  - Donation to provide meals

- **Local Restaurants**
  - Donated 4,400+ meals to frontline, essential workers
  - (Columbus, GA; Albany, GA; Thomasville, GA; LaGrange, GA; Canton, GA; Woodstock, GA; Macon, GA; Athens, GA; Atlanta, GA; Savannah, GA; Birmingham, AL; Mobile, AL; Huntsville, AL; Mobile, AL; Greenville, SC; Camden, SC; Nashville, TN; Ft. Lauderdale, FL; Miami, FL; Tampa, FL)

- **Colleges & Universities**
  - Provided virtual financial literacy classes to students and young professionals dealing with hardships
  - (University of Georgia, Columbus State University, Urban League of Columbia, SC)

- **National Boys and Girls Clubs**
  - Provided downloadable financial education booklet

**Want to apply for a corporate donation?**

Our online donation application process will be available from August 1 – September 30, 2020 for 2021 funding requests. Requests for funding to provide outreach in any of our three main areas of focus will be considered. Please apply at: synovus.com/about-us/donations.