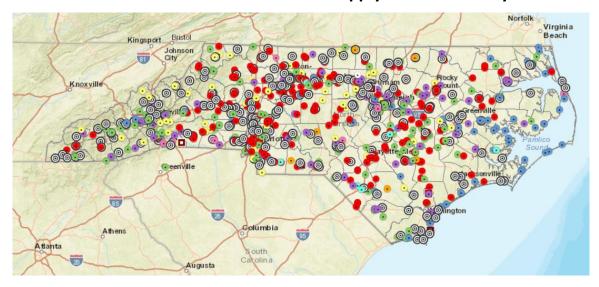


## The North Carolina Local Food Supply Chain Inventory



The <u>North Carolina Growing Together</u> project, in collaboration with <u>NC Cooperative Extension's Local Foods</u> <u>Flagship Program</u>, has created a mapped inventory of businesses that serve as intermediary steps in local food

supply chains. This includes value-added processors, fresh produce wholesaler/distributors, multi-farm CSA's, food hubs, community kitchens, incubator farms, and cold storage locations. The inventory does *not* include information on end retailers (e.g., restaurants, groceries, etc. selling local foods to consumers).

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- Farmers Market
- Cold Storage
- Food Hub (Aggregation)
- Commercial Kitchen/Co-packer
- Dairy Processing/Cheeses
- Fruit & Vegetable Processing
- Fruit & Vegetable Wholesale/Distribution
- Incubator Farm
- Meat Processing
- Multi-Farm CSA (Community Supported Agriculture)
- Seafood Processing or Wholesale/Distribution

end in 2018, and the project will be archived at <a href="www.cefs.ncsu.edu">www.cefs.ncsu.edu</a>. The <a href="Piedmont Triad Regional Council">Piedmont Triad Regional Council</a> will continue to host and update the local food map and can be contacted with questions and comments at <a href="mailto:mford@ptrc.org">mford@ptrc.org</a> or (336) 904-0300. For information on the initial creation of the infrastructure map and on the NC Growing Together Project, contact the Project Director, Rebecca Dunning, at <a href="mailto:rebecca\_dunning@ncsu.edu">rebecca\_dunning@ncsu.edu</a> or (919) 389-2220.

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