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Texas By-the-Numbers

Jobs

1,726,000

Total

145,000

Direct

Labor Income

\$87.7 B

Total

\$7.9 billion

Direct

Contribution to GDP

\$159.7 B

Total

\$19.3 billion

Direct

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State Spotlight:

The PepsiCo Foundation's Food for Good program tackles child hunger by making nutritious food more accessible for low-income families. Its impact in Texas specifically has been monumental, bringing the program to seven communities across the state — Austin, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, the Rio Grande Valley, San Antonio and Waco.

Since 2009, Food for Good has served more than 25 million meals to families in need and created more than 160 jobs. Today, the program has expanded to 19 cities around the country and hopes to deliver 50 million nutritious meals by 2025.