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EMILY BARBOUR JOINS FOOD BANK AS NEW VP OF DEVELOPMENT

RALEIGH –The Food Bank of Central & Eastern North Carolina has named Emily Barbour as the new Vice President of Development effective immediately.

"We are very fortunate to have someone of Emily's incredible skill and knowledge to join our team," said Peter Werbicki, President and CEO of the Food Bank. "She is already recognized in the Triangle as a leader in development and fund raising. We are pleased to have someone already active and immersed in our community."

Emily has over 25 years of in the nonprofit arena from her beginnings in an associate role to becoming a VP. She has worked for United Way, Meredith and NCSU in roles requiring increased responsibilities based on her ability to perform in fundraising and communications/PR. For six years, Barbour worked with a consulting firm focused on non profits assisting them with major strategies, planning capital, campaign management, and annual fundraising marketing communications. She has experience with endowments in the \$4M plus range with the Kitty Askins Hospital -3HC in Goldsboro, NC. In her role with Hartsooks Companies, Inc. (a national nonprofit consulting company) she was a senior level consultant working on 50 capital campaigns that included local organizations like NC Symphony. Rex Hospital decided to hire her from the consulting company as VP/Chief Development Officer.

"I am pleased to be a part of a team that is making a difference in combating hunger in North Carolina," said Barbour. "I look forward to making a positive contribution to the work of this organization."

As a key member of the Food Bank's executive team, Barbour will lead all aspects of fund development for the rapidly growing organization.

She lives in Raleigh with her husband and XXX children.????

For more information about the Food Bank of Central & Eastern North Carolina, go to www.foodbankcenc.org.

About the Food Bank of Central & Eastern North Carolina

The Food Bank of Central & Eastern North Carolina is a nonprofit organization that has provided food for people at risk of hunger in 34 counties in central and eastern North Carolina for 30 years. The Food Bank serves a network of more than 800 partner agencies such as soup kitchens, food pantries, shelters, and programs for children and adults through warehouses in Durham, Greenville, New Bern, Raleigh, the Sandhills (Southern Pines) and Wilmington. In fiscal year 2009-2010, the Food Bank distributed more than 41.5 million pounds of food and non-food essentials through these agencies. Sadly, hunger remains a serious problem in central and eastern North Carolina. In these counties, more than 500,000 struggle each day to provide enough food for their families. www.foodbankcenc.org.

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