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Partners invited to a meeting of the Panhandle Food Access Coalition about small town grocery stores!

Panhandle Public Health District launched the Panhandle Food Access Coalition last fall to strengthen and expand access to healthy, affordable food across the region.

The coalition's meeting will be held via Zoom on Wednesday, January 14 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. The meeting will include a question and answer session with local grocery store operators and time for collaborative connection. This coalition meets monthly and is working to build stronger relationships between food providers across the region.

“We know that food access looks different in every community, but we also know that when we come together, we can find strategies that work for the Panhandle,” said Megan Barhafer, Community Health Planner Supervisor, Panhandle Public Health District. “We are excited to focus on our local grocery stores during our upcoming meeting.”

If you would like to attend or have any questions about the Panhandle Food Access Coalition, contact Megan at 308-633-2866 or email mbarhfer@pphd.ne.gov.

Panhandle Public Health District is working together to improve the health, safety, and quality of life for all who live, learn, work, and play in the Panhandle. Our vision is that we are a healthier and safer Panhandle Community.

