In FY2019, Beverly Bootstraps...

**EMBRACE**
- **Served**
  - 2,572 households
  - 4,654 clients
- **Welcomed**
  - 225 volunteers
  - 17,601 hours of their time

**EDUCATE**
- **Helped**
  - 299 people become better educated to lead to greater self-sufficiency
- **That’s**
  - 12,850 learning hours in our HiSET and ESOL classrooms

**EMPOWER**
- **Distributed**
  - $98,788 funds thru Case Management
  - $471,901 in tax refunds for EITC clients
  - 422,780 pounds of food
- **Provided**
  - Fuel Assistance, WIC and SNAP application assistance
  - Thanksgiving meals, holiday gifts, and backpacks for families

**In 2019, we ...**
- have seen a **30% increase** in the number of visits for Food Assistance programs.
- distributed **422,780 pounds** of food - that’s over **211 tons**!
- started the **Grab ‘n Go program** offering daily bags of healthy snacks to our homeless and transient population to tide them over until community dinners are available each night.
- started a **College Pantry distribution** time specifically for students from Montserrat College of Art and Endicott colleges so students don’t have to chose between paying tuition and eating.
- added an additional **Wednesday Evening Food Pantry distribution** to meet the high demand.
- added the **Middle School** to our **Weekend Food Bag program**.
- have had a **waiting list for ESOL** (English for Speakers of Other Languages) classes.
- now have **seniors comprising 1/4 of our clients**.