

## Press Release; September 9, 2022

THE SHROPSHIRE GOOD FOOD PARTNERSHIP: HAS BEEN AWARDED ONE OF THREE £10,000 'REDI FOR CHANGE' GRANTS FROM THE SUSTAINABLE FOOD PLACES NETWORK

The Shropshire Good Food Partnership brings together councils, community groups, food producers, food businesses, individuals, and others who have an interest in transitioning to a more sustainable, equitable and resilient food system for Shropshire and beyond.

The Sustainable Food Places network recognises work that supports partnership in Food Governance and Strategy, building a 'Good Food' Movement, Healthy Food For All, a Sustainable Food Economy, localised Catering and Procurement and an approach to food and farming that supports the Health of our Planet.

REDI for Change is the SFP response to the need for Race, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion to be fully recognised and actively addressed in the structure and operation of SFP food partnerships.

The SGFP is very grateful to SFP for this grant, as it will allow the SGFP to hire a Diversity & Inclusion Champion to work with selected SGFP members and other regional food partnerships. They will take the lead on the REDI for Change Pilot Project, developed by the Sustainable Food Places Network. The aim is to promote a cultural shift within the regional food system toward greater equity, diversity and inclusion of disenfranchised and minority groups.

Details on the role and how to apply can be found on our website. Join Shropshire's Good Food Movement: Visit shropshiregoodfood.org to sign up to the Good Food Charter and join our mailing list to keep up to date on the projects and change-makers in our area!

"Creating a local food system which is good for people, place and planet."