

Child Nutrition

Public Education Appropriations Subcommittee



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Child Nutrition – line item

- The programs offer low cost or free meals to children in public and non-profit private schools, residential child care institutions, child care centers, and family day care homes.
- Two main sources of funding: Federal Funds and Liquor Tax.



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Line Item - Base Budget

- FY 2018 Base – \$198,704,200
 - Education Fund – \$143,800
 - Federal Funds – \$159,619,700
 - Liquor Tax – \$39,262,300
 - Transfers – (\$321,600)



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Federal Commodities – line item

- In the Child Nutrition Federal Commodities program, the USDA provides commodities for use in preparing school lunches.
- FY 2018 Base Budget = \$19,159,300
 - Federal Funds – \$19,159,300



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*Program
Commodities Fund
line item*

- Created prior to FY 2003.
- Was used to recover costs and pay carriers for damaged commodity deliveries.
 - This function is now handled within the Child Nutrition line item
- At the end of FY 2014, the balance was \$145.73 which currently remains.

