

## UTAH STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

**Subject:**

ACTION: FY2026 Patrick Leahy Farm to School Grant

**Agenda item type:**

Action Item

**Recommended Action:**

The Board approve Child Nutrition Program staff to partner with the Utah Department of Agriculture and Food by committing \$125,000 in-kind match for the FY2026 Patrick Leahy Farm to School Grant.

**Purpose of Memo:**

Other

**Background:**

The Utah Department of Agriculture and Food is applying for the FY2026 Patrick Leahy Farm to School Grant (USDA Food and Nutrition Service). USBE Child Nutrition Program staff are requesting approval from the Board to provide the required 25% in kind match (\$125,000) through staff activities and allowable expenses. The Board approved Child Nutrition Program staff to participate in the FY2025 Farm to School grant, however this grant was rescinded at the Federal level.

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**Attachments:**

1. 20251028\_Board Backup Document\_FY2026 Farm to School Grant\_CNP
2. 20251016\_DRAFT - Quick Profile of FY26 Farm to School Grant
3. 20251016\_DRAFT - USBE Board Letter of Support\_FY26\_Farm to School Grant
4. 20251016\_DRAFT - USBE CNP Match Letter\_FY26\_Farm to School Grant
5. 20251016\_DRAFT - USBE CNP Operator Commitment Letter\_FY26\_Farm to School Grant