## FRESH FRUIT & VEGETABLE STATE PROFILE

## **New Mexico**



## Fresh Produce Economic Impact

58.7K

**Total Acres of** Fresh Produce



706M

Sales



3,160

Farms



7.735

**Employees** 



**\$268M** Total Wages

**\$25.8M** Fresh Produce and Tree Nuts Exports

**\$0** Support for State Governments to Enhance Produce Safety

**\$15.62** State Adverse Effect Wage Rate (AEWR)

**\$11.50** State Minimum Wage Per Hour

## Opportunities to Increase Fruit & Vegetable Consumption

93% of Schools Needing Updated Kitchen Equipment



**89.65%** of adults across New Mexico are **not** meeting the Dietary Guidelines for Americans recommendations for fruit and vegetable consumption



in fruit and vegetable vouchers for participants in the Women, Infants and Children program (WIC)





\$3.3M in Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) to 152 schools annually

\$565.7K Specialty Crop Block Grants

**\$4M** Specialty Crop Research Initiative (SCRI)

\$35K Pest and Disease Grants

8.58% Organic Share of Produce Dollars





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