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Request ID	Received Date	Requester Name	Request Description
2021-FNS-03107-F	4/1/2021	Voorhees, N.	We request the following information for seven fiscal years, 2015-2016, 2011-2012, 2007-2008, 2003-2004, 1999-2000, and 1995-1996. 1. State and local waivers of time limits for ABAWDs for the seven fiscal years, including beginning and ending dates of waivers, conditions of the waiver, and local areas affected by the waiver. 2. States' number of used discretionary or percentage-based waivers for ABAWDs, and counts of allowed discretionary waivers and carryovers for the seven fiscal years
2021-FNS-03123-F	4/2/2021	Brown, A.	Hello, I'm a researcher in the UC San Diego Economics Department, and I'm looking for information on the Summer Food Service Program's sites in 2019. These data used to be publicly available, as I downloaded .csv files for the 2013-2018 sites about a year ago, but I can't find those or the files for 2019 on the website anymore. I'm requesting information on: 1. the location of sites (x/y coordinates as well as address) 2. dates that sites were open 3. days of the week that sites were open 4. hours of the day that sites were open 5. meals served Ideally, you could just send me a .csv file identical to that currently publicly available for 2020-2021. Please let me know if you need any other information. Thank you! (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2019 To 01/01/2020)
2021-FNS-03143-F	4/2/2021	Smith, G.	I seek certain information concerning the WIC Online Ordering Grant solicitation (Funding Opportunity #: USDA-FNS-WIC-ONLINE-20). The solicitation was due August 19, 2020. The contact person for the solicitation Carla Garcia, Grants Officer. Specifically, I seek copies of the following information: • The winning proposal (cost and technical) • All competitor proposals (cost and technical) • Award evaluations, score sheets, and evaluator notes
2021-FNS-03154-F	4/5/2021	Park, M.	Super Bargain #8
2021-FNS-03202-F	4/7/2021	Silverman, N.	Copies of the following contracts between USDA and McKinsey & Company (from USASpending.gov): AG02NVP120142 AG02NVP120144
2021-FNS-03228-F	4/8/2021	Aslanian, K.	This is a request under the freedom of information act for the following information for the period of 4. Copy of any writings as defined by Gov. Code § 6253(g), reports, analysis, meeting notes, meeting agendas relative to the “consolidated SAWS portal” for the period of January 1 through March 31, 2021. 1. Copies of all current California waivers granted by FNS and any communications received by USDA, FNS regional and/or national office from the State of California and mailed to the State of California from the Regional or National office; 2. Copies of "Regional Administrators Notices" relative to the SNAP program; 3. A copy of any amendments to the California SNAP State Plan. 4. Copies of most current any and all WRO telephone rosters/directories that are being used at the WRO relative to SNAP or other USDA, FNS programs, including alphabetical and other rosters. 5. Copies of any and all rosters for the national FNS office, office of policy support, office of the SNAP program office and office of the regional operations and support. 6. Copies of any and all reports, including SNAP statistical and financial reports, received from CDSS. 7. Copies of all Management Evaluations issued by the FNS WRO for all
2021-FNS-03230-F	4/8/2021	Keller, M.	I'm looking for a list of SNAP retailers in Hampden County in Massachusetts as well was what type of retailer each one is (i.e. corner store, grocery store, farmer's market, etc.), their location, and, if possible, the amount of SNAP redeemed at each location during fiscal year 2019 and fiscal year 2020. (Date Range for Record Search: From 10/01/2018 To 11/30/2020)

2021-FNS-03286-F	4/12/2021	Tapp, A.	Investigative Report number ME38347, dated March 13, 2015 for Primo Meat Market.
2021-FNS-03311-F	4/13/2021	Abraham, R.	Citizen Market
2021-FNS-03312-F	4/13/2021	Sharav, B.	MY NEIGHBORS GROCERY STORE
2021-FNS-03349-F	4/15/2021	Hanson, K.	A copy of the full dataset associated with the 2015 survey of Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) sponsors and sites. The survey data was used to create an infographic report (FNS 824 March 2019) which can be found at the following URL: https://www.fns.usda.gov/sfsp/summer-food-service-program-characteristics-study
2021-FNS-03351-F	4/15/2021	Feinman, M.	I am requesting SNAP retailer redemption data for all authorized SNAP retailers located in zip code 93305 from April 16, 2008 thru April 15, 2021. Specifically, the redemption data I am seeking to obtain shall include retailer transactions for purchases made from individual benefit accounts during the time period stated above. In addition, I am also requesting any and all investigative case file records for Fiesta Liquor and Gas, 2023 Baker Street, Bakersfield, California, from 2008 to present.
2021-FNS-03418-F	4/20/2021	Tillberg, S.	Azi LLC
2021-FNS-03428-F	4/21/2021	Rosen, D.	Foil request area eligibility waiver for. day camps. closed enrolled sites. school serving 3 meals a day. non profit camps serving poor and needy children
2021-FNS-03432-F	4/21/2021	Tapp, A.	• Copy of the standard form contracts that the Food and Nutrition Service uses for purposes of employing contractors to conduct Store Visit Reports. This request is intended to result in the production of the unexecuted contract utilized with the contractor. • Any blank standard form contracts that the Food and Nutrition Service uses for purposes of employing contractors to conduct investigations of SNAP retailers. This request is intended to result in the production of the unexecuted contract utilized with the contractor.
2021-FNS-03475-F	4/23/2021	Ramier, M.	I would like to get information on the studies that were done on Ativan/Lorazapam before they were allowed on the market. I understand that at least a couple of (successful) studies must be completed before a drug can hit the market. I'm curious about these. Thank you. - Michelle Ramier
2021-FNS-03552-F	4/27/2021	Flores, E.	I am requesting the total administrative expenses from SNAP for Texas in FY 2019. I have looked at the SNAP Data Tables and looked at all data involving Texas but can only find benefits given to people and no administrative or total SNAP expenditures where I can make any assumptions about administrative expenses.
2021-FNS-03541-F	4/29/2021	Wu, K.	List of regions (states, counties, cities, and other areas) that received the ABAWD time limit waivers, including the start and expiration dates of the waiver from 08/01/1996 to 12/31/2019. If this is not readily available in your database, I would like to request all of the FNS responses to ABAWD waiver requests submitted by state agencies from 08/01/1996 to 12/31/2019. If only a subset of this time period is available, I would like to only request for the years available. (Date Range for Record Search: From 08/01/1996 To 12/31/2019)
2021-FNS-03542-F	4/29/2021	Wu, K.	Requesting the comprehensive database listing all SNAP certification waivers, including denied, expired, rescinded and obsolete waivers. The FNS has the current certification waiver data publicly available at https://www.fns.usda.gov/sites/default/files/resource-files/SNAP-CertificationWaivers-April2020.xlsx . I would like to request historical information of these certification waivers in each state for 08/01/1996-12/31/2019. If only a subset of this period is available, I would like to only request for those years. (Date Range for Record Search: From 08/01/1996 To 12/31/2019)
2021-FNS-03554-F	4/29/2021	Kaplan, J.	Superstore No. 6
2021-FNS-03560-F	4/29/2021	Anton, G.	J&J Hooper Food Corp.
2021-FNS-03562-F	4/29/2021	Anton, G.	Galaxy Light Grocery & Deli Corp.
2021-FNS-03565-F	4/29/2021	Kaplan, J.	Fiesta Liquor and Gas
2021-FNS-03571-F	4/30/2021	Farkas, A.	Stop and Save Food Store
2021-FNS-03583-F	4/30/2021	Berkowitz, J.	1538 NEW DELI CORP.
2021-FNS-03640-F	5/5/2021	Wessels, N.	We would like to request WIC redemption data for NJ participants receiving infant formula and medical nutritional items, from Jan. 2020 - present. If possible, we would like to request the information contain the name of the formula, total redemptions, and redemption by county
2021-FNS-03656-F	5/5/2021	Sharav, B.	232 MANGO DELI GROCERY CORP.

2021-FNS-03678-F	5/6/2021	Rosenberg, N.	I would like to request all emails between Roberto Contreras (FNS) and Lorena McElwain (OASCR) between January 2, 2019 and May 1, 2019 that discuss complaint numbers or intake, including the intake system processes, such as fax, email, etc.
2021-FNS-03725-F	5/6/2021	Fried, S.	• Procedures governing the processing of FOIA requests to USDA's Food and Nutrition Service, including (but not limited to) records relating to (a) multi-track processing; and (b) determinations regarding the complexity of the request for processing purposes; • Reports/data/statistics governing processing of FOIA Requests since October 1, 2016; • Reports/data/statistics governing processing of FOIA Appeals since October 1, 2016; • Contracts, RFPs, and related records governing all contractors hired by USDA or FNS since October 1, 2016, related to the processing of FOIA Requests and/or FOIA Appeals submitted to FNS; • Reports/data/statistics governing the number of employees and/or contractors who have worked on processing FOIA Requests since October 1, 2016; and • Reports/data/statistics governing the number of employees and/or contractors who have worked on processing FOIA Appeals since October 1, 2016.
2021-FNS-03682-F	5/7/2021	Scoon, A.	Dear FOIPA Officer: Federal Bureau of Investigation Pursuant to the federal Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. ? 552, I request access to and copies of: A database or list or any equivalent document that includes the following information: Archived FBI files on or related to Donald E. Yost (1939-2012) regarding wire-tapping around the 1960's . I would like to receive the information in the following format: electronic. I request that the information be released as it becomes available. I do not need to receive all of the information at once. If some is available before other information, I would like to receive it then, when it is available. As a college student I am only required to pay for the direct cost of duplication after the first 100 pages. This information is being sought on behalf of a Media Communications class assignment at PLNU for dissemination to the general public. Please waive any applicable fees. Release of the information is in the public interest because it will contribute significantly to public understanding of government operations and activities. This information will be used by PLNU, a private university in the San Diego County area. As a Media Communications student I feel I am qualified to disseminate or find an expert to comment on the information released in order to share it with the public in a responsible, fair and accurate way. If my request is denied in whole or part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the act. I will also expect you to release all segregable portions of otherwise exempt material. I, of course, reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information or to deny a waiver of fees. As I am making this request as a Media Communications student and this information is of timely value, I would appreciate your communicating with me by telephone, rather than by mail, if you have questions regarding this request. Please provide expedited processing of this request which concerns a matter of urgency. As a college student, I am primarily engaged in disseminating information. I certify that my statements concerning the need for expedited processing

2021-FNS-03709-F	5/7/2021	Johnson, B.	1. All letters between the United States Department of Agriculture Food and Nutrition Service (“USDA-FNS”) and any State related to penalties, fines, reinvestment plans, and/or other sanctions that USDA-FNS has assessed against a State due to an alleged overpayment related to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (“SNAP”) and/or over-issuance of SNAP benefits. This Request is limited to the time period between January 1, 2016, and May 1, 2021, and to penalties, fines, and/or other sanctions that exceeded $2 million. 2. All settlement agreements executed by and between USDA-FNS and any State related to related to penalties, fines, reinvestment plans, and/or other sanctions that USDA-FNS has assessed against a State due to an alleged overpayment related to SNAP and/or over-issuance of SNAP benefits. This Request is limited to the time period between January 1, 2016, and May 1, 2021, and to penalties, fines, and/or other sanctions that
2021-FNS-03691-F	5/8/2021	Pena, Law Offices of M.	Copy of the entire file regarding the application and subsequent permanent disqualification of Ghassan A. Mansour, and "Metro Market at Hanley" and "Sunshine Food Mart", 1595 Seminole Blvd Largo, Florida 33770 as a "SNAP Retailer", including any appeal rights letters. The records location is USDA, Food and Nutrition Service Falls Church VA 22040 or 300 No Los Angeles St suite 3208 Los Angeles, CA 90012
2021-FNS-03734-F	5/10/2021	Sharav, B.	ERICK'S DELI GROCERY CORP.
2021-FNS-03758-F	5/11/2021	Saleem, B.	Fastrip Food Store #331
2021-FNS-03809-F	5/14/2021	Berkowitz, J.	Safeway Gourmet Deli Corp.
2021-FNS-03850-F	5/17/2021	Voorhees, N.	1. The beginning and ending dates of statewide ABAWD waivers approved in advance by FNS due to DOL EUC trigger notices, if the waiver applies to one of the fiscal years below. 2. The beginning and ending dates of states' implementation of these waivers and local areas affected by the waiver according to the states' notification to FNS, if the waiver period applies to the fiscal years below
2021-FNS-03906-F	5/21/2021	Brumley, B.	Can you please provide the management decision letter (2 CFR § 200.521) issued to the State of Nevada for audit findings in its FY 2017 Single Audit report? The report is available at: https://www.leg.state.nv.us/division/audit/Documents/Single%20Audits/Single%20Audit%20Report%20-%20June%2030%202017.pdf (Date Range for Record Search: From 03/14/2018 To 03/14/2019)

2021-FNS-03909-F	5/21/2021	Kogan, K.	Attn: FOIA Officer, Food and Nutrition Service FOIA Officer, Economic Research Service Date: May 21, 2021 Re: Information Request under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) I am a doctoral student in Health Services Research at George Mason University in Fairfax, Virginia. I am requesting the following information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA): The full dataset (preferably in electronic .xls/.xlsx or .csv format) and all related documents, including but not limited to a data dictionary and a code book, created for the National Food and Nutrition Study (NATFAN) pursuant to a cooperative research contract between the USDA's Economic Research Service (ERS) Food and Nutrition Assistance Research Program (FANRP) and The Institute for Obesity Research and Program Evaluation, Texas A&M University. Additional information about this contract is as follows: FANRP Contractor: The Institute for Obesity Research and Program Evaluation FANRP Contract Number: 59-5000-1-0060 FANRP Project No. 287 ERS Project Representative: Elizabeth Frazão Data collection occurred during 2009 and 2011. According to a report issued by The Institute for Obesity Research and Program Evaluation in December 2013, this dataset was intended to be publicly accessible, but as of the date of this request it cannot be located. A copy of the report is located at the USDA's National Agriculture Library: https://agricola.nal.usda.gov/vwebv/search?searchArg=NATFAN&searchCode=GKEY%5E*&searchType=0 I intend to use the requested information solely in support of my dissertation research on the effectiveness of policy changes in the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC), the results of which I plan to make publicly known through presentations at conferences and articles published in peer-reviewed journals. My use of the data will thus contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations and effectiveness of the government in the form of the WIC program. Further, any information
2021-FNS-04022-F	6/1/2021	Brecko, K.	May 31th, 2021 Hello, I am writing to submit a data request under the Freedom of Information Act. This request is for data related to the SNAP-Ed program, as detailed on page ES-2 of the “Analysis of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Education (SNAP-Ed) Data for All States Study” document (https://fns-prod.azureedge.net/sites/default/files/ops/SNAPED-DataAllStates.pdf). The specific data I’m looking for are as follows (some descriptions taken directly from the report cited above): • SNAP-Ed State Plans, amendments, and approval letters submitted by States to FNS (i.e., “SNAP-Ed Plan[s] incorporating information from all implementing agencies (IA) and subgrantees”) • SNAP-Ed Annual Reports submitted by States to FNS (i.e., “project activities, achievements and budgets from the previous fiscal year; a summary of evaluation activities with costs exceeding $400,000 or evaluations that contribute significantly to the SNAP-Ed evidence base; and research questions, key impacts, target audience, study design, measures, and results of each evaluation implemented that fiscal year.”) • SNAP-Ed EARS data at the project level (i.e., “demographic characteristics of SNAP-Ed participants, educational topics by intervention, delivery sites, educational strategies, and resource allocation”) This request is for data 2006 through present; however, if any of the datasets aren’t available as far back as 2006, then please adjust the request to be from the earliest available date to latest available date. I’m willing to pay all fees up to $250 without additional confirmation. If the fees are estimated to exceed $250, please inform me first before processing the request. Thank you, Kristina Brecko (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2006 To 05/31/2021)

2021-FNS-04052-F	6/1/2021	Aslanian, K.	Copy of any writings as defined by Gov. Code § 6253(g), reports, analysis, meeting notes, meeting agendas relative to the “consolidated SAWS portal” for the period of May 1 through May 31, 2021. 1. Copies of all current California waivers granted by FNS and any communications received by USDA, FNS regional and/or national office from the State of California and mailed to the State of California from the Regional or National office; 2. Copies of "Regional Administrators Notices" relative to the SNAP program; 3. A copy of any amendments to the California SNAP State Plan. 4. Copies of most current any and all WRO telephone rosters/directories that are being used at the WRO relative to SNAP or other USDA, FNS programs, including alphabetical and other rosters. 5. Copies of any and all rosters for the national FNS office, office of policy support, office of the SNAP program office and office of the regional operations and support. 6. Copies of any and all reports, including SNAP statistical and financial reports, received from CDSS. 7. Copies of all Management Evaluations issued by the FNS WRO for all
2021-FNS-04056-F	6/2/2021	Feinman, M.	I am requesting SNAP retailer redemption data for all authorized SNAP retailers located in zip code 19032 from November 1, 2007 thru June 1, 2021. Specifically, the redemption data I am seeking to obtain shall include retailer transactions for purchases made from individual benefit accounts during the time period stated above. In addition, I am also requesting any and all investigative case file records for Majors Deli and Grocery, LLC, 200 Delmar Drive, Folcroft, PA, 19032 from 2007 to present
2021-FNS-04058-F	6/2/2021	Berkowitz, J.	One Stop Foods Market Corp.
2021-FNS-04060-F	6/2/2021	Berkowitz, J.	Amsterdam Gourmet Deli & Grocery
2021-FNS-04066-F	6/2/2021	Vargas, C.	La Reyna De Weschester Deli Grocery Corp. located at 1218 Westchester Avenue, Bronx, New York 10459 (Date Range for Record Search: From 06/01/2020 To 12/31/2020)
2021-FNS-04070-F	6/2/2021	Nall, D.	Letters from El Moral, 6706 16th St, Berwyn, IL 60402-1325 sent to USDA on November 30, 2017; December 7, 2017; and January 10, 2018. All three letters were sent to USDA in response to a charge letter that USDA sent to El Moral on November 16, 2017 (Date Range for Record Search: From 11/29/2017 To 11/10/2018)
2021-FNS-04074-F	6/2/2021	Reich, M.	WIC-Selection of Baby Foods: • All records reflecting agreements between baby food manufacturers and USDA regarding the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (“WIC”); • All records reflecting WIC-eligible baby food products; and • All records reflection the selection of the use of Gerber Products Company, Nurture, Inc., Hain Celestial Group, Inc., Beech-Nut Nutrition Company, Plum, PBC, Campbell Soup Company, Sprout Foods, Inc., and/or Walmart Inc. baby food under the WIC program. The February 4, 2021 Staff Report by the Subcommittee on Economic and Consumer Policy Committee on Oversight and Reform U.S. House of Representatives: • All records reflecting any United States Department of Agriculture (“USDA”) investigation or evaluation relating to the presence of heavy metals, including arsenic, cadmium, mercury, and lead, in baby food products; • All records relating to the presence of heavy metals, including arsenic, cadmium, mercury, and lead, in baby food products; and • All records reflecting communications between USDA and Gerber Products Company, Nurture, Inc., Hain Celestial Group, Inc., Beech-Nut Nutrition Company, Plum, PBC, Campbell Soup Company, Sprout Foods, Inc., and/or Walmart Inc. relating to the presence of heavy metals in baby food products.
2021-FNS-04117-F	6/4/2021	Berkowitz, J.	Adam Convenience Deli Grocery Inc.
2021-FNS-04155-F	6/7/2021	Asmar, S.	Sweetwater Gas
2021-FNS-04279-F	6/15/2021	Justice, L.	interview notes, letters between USDA/FNS and Los Alamitos Unified School District and all correspondence between Jerry Friedman, Andrew Pulver and Joe Torres.
2021-FNS-04294-F	6/16/2021	Hart, O.	The Southeastern Massachusetts Agricultural Partnership requests a list of all farms based in Bristol, Plymouth, and Norfolk counties in Massachusetts that sell direct-to-market and actively accept SNAP. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/02/2017 To 06/16/2021)

2021-FNS-04311-F	6/17/2021	Berkowitz, J.	N & Y Classics Deli Inc.
2021-FNS-04313-F	6/17/2021	Krog, G.	Food Town Market
2021-FNS-04314-F	6/17/2021	Krog, G.	Friendly Food Mart LLC
2021-FNS-04315-F	6/17/2021	Krog, G.	Jubilee Express
2021-FNS-04420-F	6/24/2021	Wymer, G.	Notices of warning or violation for non-compliance issued to SNAP-qualified retailers located in Lexington-Fayette County, Kentucky for the years 2016-2020. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2016 To 12/31/2020)
2021-FNS-04422-F	6/24/2021	Berkowitz, J.	Yafa Newsstand & Deli Inc.
2021-FNS-04423-F	6/24/2021	Fox, M.	Wilson Grocery
2021-FNS-04623-F	6/29/2021	Lamensky, T.	The most recent FNS 366B Revised Form for each of the 50 states.
2021-FNS-04522-F	7/1/2021	Moore, E.	Fall's Road Mini Mart

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