

Montana

Profile

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable State Profile



Fresh Produce

Economic Impact:



\$0.2B

Total sales



27K

Total acres of fresh produce



2.1K

Total employees



1K

Total farms



\$78.4M

Total wages

\$2.0M

Fresh Produce and Tree Nuts Exports

\$0.3M

Support for State Governments to Enhance Produce Safety

\$16.5

State Adverse Effect Wage Rate (AEWR)

\$9.95

State Minimum Wage Per Hour

Opportunities to Increase

Fruit and Vegetable Consumption:

90.2%

of adults across Montana are **not** meeting the Dietary Guidelines for Americans recommendations for fruit and vegetable consumption

\$3.8M

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



Farm Bill Investments in

Fruits and Vegetables:

\$2.9M

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program (FFVP) to 199 schools annually

\$3.1M

Specialty Crop Block Grants

\$293K

Pest and Disease Grants

Specialty Crop Research Initiative (SCRI)

TBD

Organic Share of Produce Dollars



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