Fund S40000: Public School Food and Nutrition Services

Focus

Fund S40000, Food and Nutrition Services, totals \$148.8 million in FY 2025 for all Food and Nutrition Services' operational and administrative costs. This fund is financially self-supporting and is operated under the federally-funded National School Lunch and Child Nutrition Acts. It should be noted that in FY 2023, the fund required the transfer of funds from Fund S10000, School Operating.

The Food and Nutrition Services program:

- Offers approximately 18 million meals and snacks to students and families;
- Participates in the USDA Community Eligibility Provision (CEP), which provides no-cost breakfast and lunch to all students at 45 eligible schools;
- Provides snacks to the School-Age Child Care (SACC) programs; and
- Partners with the school and community Partnership for a Healthier Fairfax to focus on wellness initiatives.

Other responsibilities include nutrition education, enforcement of sanitary practices, specifications for food and equipment, and layout and design of kitchens in new schools.

No support from Fund S10000, School Operating Fund, is required in FY 2025 as sufficient revenues are expected to be derived from food sales and federal and state aid.

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FUND STATEMENT

Category	FY 2023 Actual	FY 2024 Adopted Budget Plan	FY 2024 Revised Budget Plan ¹	FY 2025 Superintendent's Proposed	FY 2025 Adopted Budget Plan ²
Beginning Balance	\$48,647,696	\$46,807,301	\$54,681,084	\$50,859,276	\$50,859,276
Revenue:					
Food Sales	\$31,966,658	\$41,572,190	\$41,572,190	\$36,706,438	\$36,706,438
Federal Aid	61,386,098	45,638,936	45,638,936	58,178,668	58,178,668
State Aid	2,777,626	1,579,843	1,579,843	3,009,687	3,009,687
Other Revenue	789,520	44,925	144,023	30,211	30,211
Total Revenue ³	\$96,919,902	\$88,835,894	\$88,934,992	\$97,925,004	\$97,925,004
Transfers In:					
School Operating Fund (S10000)	\$1,800,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total Transfers In:	\$1,800,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total Available	\$147,367,598	\$135,643,195	\$143,616,076	\$148,784,280	\$148,784,280
Total Expenditures ³	\$91,869,941	\$88,835,894	\$92,756,800	\$97,925,004	\$97,925,004
Food and Nutrition Services General					
Reserve ⁴	\$0	46,807,301	50,859,276	50,859,276	50,859,276
Total Disbursements	\$91,869,941	\$135,643,195	\$143,616,076	\$148,784,280	\$148,784,280
Inventory Change	\$816,573	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ending Balance	\$54,681,084	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

¹The FY 2024 Revised Budget Plan reflects adjustments adopted by the Fairfax County School Board on March 21, 2024 during the FY 2024 Third Quarter Review.

² Fairfax County School Board action on the FY 2025 budget was taken on May 23, 2024 and will be included for approval by the Board of Supervisors as part of the FY 2024 Carryover Review.

³ In order to account for revenues and expenditures in the proper fiscal year, audit adjustments of \$115,593 have been reflected as an increase to FY 2023 revenue and audit adjustments of \$841,866 have been reflected as a decrease to FY 2023 expenditures. Details of the audit adjustments were included in the FY 2024 Third Quarter Package.

⁴ Any unused portion of the allocated Food and Nutrition Services General Reserve carries forward into the subsequent budget year.