

Feed Our Future Southwest Ohio Purchasing Report & Metrics



2022-2023 School Year

Feed Our Future is a cross-sector collaboration of organizations and individuals that work together to ensure that ALL children, regardless of their school district, have access to fresh, healthy, and when available local foods. A critical component to this work is making it as easy as possible for school districts to buy local foods within federal procurement policies and procedures.

In 2020, our region received funding to adopt the Feed Our Future model, which focuses on turnkey solutions, including 1) working within bidding cooperatives to increase the amount of local food purchased easily by schools, 2) narrowing the range of products to focus on what grows well in our region and what schools want to serve, and 3) marketing support.

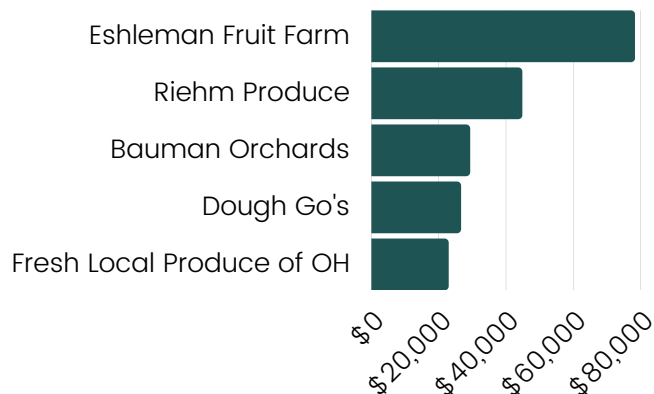
Total Spend:

\$359,292.39

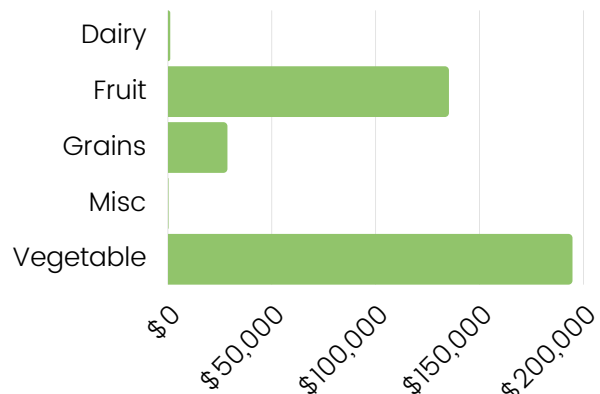
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School Districts in SW OH
purchasing local foods and
participating in Feed Our Future

Local Food Sales by Top 5 Vendors:



Spending by Meal Component:



Sales from Small Businesses
and Woman-Owned Farms

37%

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Local Menu Takeover

Southwest Ohio Pilot



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Total Sales for Program

\$21,813

Farm & Local Partners

- 12 Ohio Farms and Food Artisans
- 6 Kentucky Farms and Food Artisans
- 1 Indiana Farm

Spend by School for Program*

Campbell County Schools	\$665
Cincinnati Public Schools	\$12,789
Milford Exempted Village Schools	\$3,889
West Clermont Local Schools	\$4,470



Sales Generated for Woman-Owned Businesses Due to the Program

\$18,636

Servings of Local Food from Oct. 3-7

12,000

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Cincinnati Public Schools
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Annual Spend

\$315,815.12

Farm & Local Partners

- AppHarvest Morehead Farm
- Bauman Orchards
- Cornett Farms
- Eshleman Fruit Farm
- Fox Tail Farm
- Fresh Local Produce of Ohio
- Fruit Growers Marketing Association
- H&H Farms
- Holthouse Farms
- Quarry Hill Orchards
- Riehm Produce Farm
- Wayward Seed Farms

Spend by Category

Fruit	\$124,643.79
Veggie	\$191,171.33
Dairy	\$0
Grains	\$0
Meat/ Meat Alternatives	\$0
Value Added Products	\$0

Top 3 Local Purchases

Freestone
Peaches

Golden
Beet
Strips

Carrot
Coins

Total Pounds Purchased

161,020

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Milford Village Exempted Schools
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Annual Spend

\$13,274.76

Farm & Local Partners

- AppHarvest Morehead Farm
- Bauman Orchards
- Dough Go's
- Eshleman Fruit Farm
- Fox Tail Farm
- Holthouse Farms
- KHI Food
- KY Blueberry Growers Association
- Snowville Creamery
- The Pizza Bagel Lady

Spend by Category

Fruit	\$364.41
Veggie	\$457.72
Dairy	\$444.45
Grains	\$12,008.18
Meat/ Meat Alternatives	\$0
Value Added Products	\$0

Top 3 Local Purchases

Pizza
Bagels

2% Plain
Yogurt

Red Grape
Tomatoes

Total Pounds Purchased

1,166

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Ripley Union Lewis Huntington
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Annual Spend

\$2,364.73

Farm & Local Partners

- Bauman Orchards
- Eshleman Fruit Farm
- Fruit Growers Marketing Association
- H&H Farms
- Holthouse Farms
- Kentucky Fresh Harvest
- Riehm Produce Farm
- Wayward Seed Farms

Spend by Category

Fruit	\$1,132.45
Veggie	\$1,232.28
Dairy	\$0
Grains	\$0
Meat/ Meat Alternatives	\$0
Value Added Products	\$0

Top 3 Local Purchases

Parsnip
Coins

Carrot
Coins

Turnip
Sticks

Total Pounds Purchased

1,432

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West Clermont Schools
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Annual Spend

\$27,837.78

Farm & Local Partners

- Bauman Orchards
- Eshleman Fruit Farm
- Fruit Growers Marketing Assoc.
- H&H Farms
- Home Grown Direct
- Kentucky Farm Fresh
- Lobenstein Farm
- Mount Pleasant Acres
- Riehm Produce
- Shagbark Seed & Mill
- Snowville Creamery
- Wayward Seed Farms

Spend by Category

Fruit	\$8,945.95
Veggie	\$1,663.43
Dairy	\$554.46
Grains	\$16,508.94
Meat/ Meat Alternatives	\$165.00
Value Added Products	\$0

Top 3 Local Purchases

Cornbread
Crackers

Gala
Apples

Golden
Delicious
Apples

Total Pounds Purchased

10,916

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Campbell County Schools (KY)
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Annual Spend

\$666.27

Farm & Local Partners

- Bauman Orchards
- Davidson Family Growers
- Eshleman Fruit Farm
- Holthouse Farms
- Wayward Seed Farms

Spend by Category

Fruit	\$210.36
Veggie	\$455.91
Dairy	\$0
Grains	\$0
Meat/ Meat Alternatives	\$0
Value Added Products	\$0

Top 3 Local Purchases

Grape
Tomatoes

Head
Lettuce
Mix

Golden
Apples
(Variety)

Total Pounds Purchased

318

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