

Food Assistance Program Administration Stimulus Funds

Purpose of Funds: To provide local offices with the ability to effectively handle the increasing Food Assistance caseloads during these economically challenging times

Receiving Department: Denver Department of Human Services

Amount: \$273,633

Type of Grant:: Allocation from Colorado Department of Human Services (“CDHS”) of federal pass-through funds awarded to the state as part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

Number of People Served: 94,713 individual Denver residents associated with 32,455 households received Food Assistance services in the month of September 2009. Each of the recipients could conceivably benefit from the temporary expansion of the number of eligibility staff supported by the stimulus funding

Proposed Spending: Funds will be used to pay for six (6) time-limited Case Management Coordinators who will be specifically assigned to work Food Assistance caseloads.