

Council on Food Security
Legislative Committee Presentation Potential Topics
(FIRST DRAFT-12/28/2021)

1. History of the Council on Food Security (2014 to present)
2. Definition of Food Security/Food Insecurity/Social Determinants
3. Council Sponsored Networking Summits:
 - 11/8/2018 (In-person): “Improving Connections and Collaborations”
Participants: More than 50 Organizations
 - 9/29/2020 (Virtual): “Senior Food Insecurity Support Services Summit”
Participants: 111 Individuals and Organizations
4. Government and non-government Nevada based organizations servicing populations in need.
5. Food Insecure at-risk populations addressed by Council to date:
 - A. School aged children
 - B. Seniors
6. Council initiated activities to address food insecurity:
 - A. Increased food bank capacity and service coordination
 - B. Katherine Sandoval promotional marketing activities
 - C. Federal Regulatory Changes
 1. School food storage regulatory changes
 2. Other
 - D. Nevada Legislative Initiatives and Regulatory changes:
 - 2013: Three bills moving Child Nutrition Programs, Commodity Foods, and the Dairy Commission under the Nevada Department of Agriculture (NDA).
 - 2015: SB503 Breakfast After the Bell
AB107 School accountability reporting
SB206 Cottage Food Bill/Pickle Bill
 - 2017: SB 323
SB167
SB429

Note: During the 2017 legislative session, the Dairy Commission was dissolved and the regulatory authority for statutes previously held by the Dairy Commission were transferred to the NDA.

 - 2019: SB178
SB443
SB458
AB326
 6. Other
 7. Next steps