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Farm Bill

A Review of the 2008 Farm Bill and A Look Ahead to 2012



Today's Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions
- Update from DVRPC
- Presentations
- One-Minute Reports















Update

- Eating Here: Greater Philadelphia's Food System Plan
- Eating Here Press Event on 2/10/2011
 - Honored Grantees
- Opportunities to Advance Various Recommendations
- DVRPC's Food System Planning Activities
 - Technical and Financial Assistance Initiative
 - Working at County-level
- Food System Stakeholder Committee meetings
 - Committee members/organizations help create each meeting's agenda









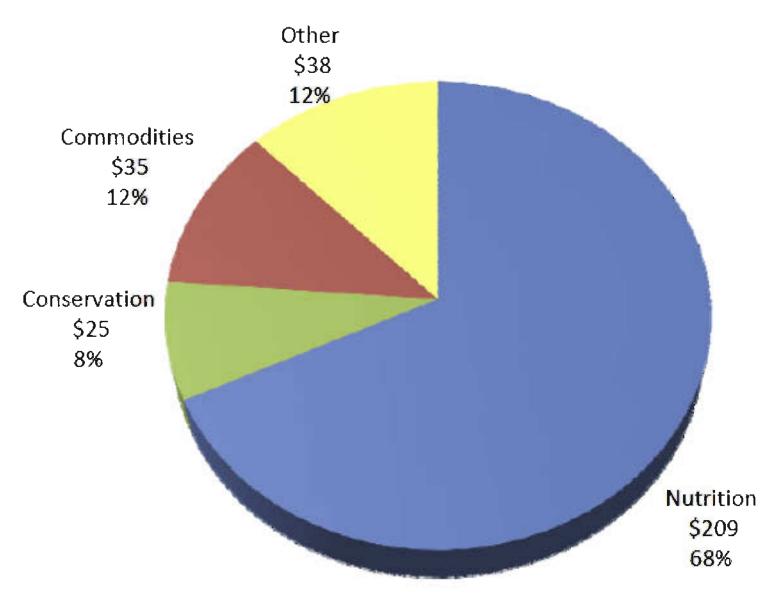








Figure 1. 2008 Farm Bill Spending, in Billions of Dollars



Presentations

- What Happened in 2008
 Tom Forster, Policy Advisor, School Food FOCUS, the New School
- Looking Forward to 2012: Legislative Update
 Kurt Imhof, Field Representative, Office of Senator Robert P. Casey, Jr.
- What it all Means for Greater Philadelphia's Food System
 John Weidman, Deputy Executive Director, The Food Trust

















One-Minute Reports



















Thank You!

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