

SB 727-1
(LC 2920)
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Requested by SENATE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 727**

1 Delete lines 5 through 16 of the printed bill and insert:

2 **“SECTION 1. (1)(a) The Department of Human Services shall es-**
3 **tablish a program to assist recipients who are eligible to receive sup-**
4 **plemental nutrition assistance provided by the Supplemental Nutrition**
5 **Assistance Program under ORS 411.806 to 411.845 in purchasing locally**
6 **grown fruits and vegetables from farmers’ markets, farm share sites**
7 **and retail food outlets that participate in the program.**

8 **“(b) The department shall enter into a written agreement with a**
9 **nonprofit organization that provides low-income and elderly popu-**
10 **lations with greater access to fresh, locally grown foods to implement**
11 **and administer the program.**

12 **“(2) The department shall distribute to the nonprofit organization**
13 **the funds appropriated under section 2 of this 2019 Act to:**

14 **“(a) Carry out the implementation and administration of the pro-**
15 **gram; and**

16 **“(b) Match the amounts that a recipient spends on foods that are**
17 **eligible for supplemental nutrition assistance.**

18 **“(3)(a) A nonprofit organization that has entered into an agreement**
19 **with the department under subsection (1) of this section to implement**
20 **and administer the program shall review the outcomes of the program,**
21 **including the program’s impact on the purchase of locally grown fruits**

1 and vegetables by recipients of assistance under the Supplemental
2 Nutrition Assistance Program.

3 “(b) The nonprofit organization shall prepare and submit to the
4 department a report containing the organization’s findings no later
5 than June 1, 2021, to be made available to the public on the
6 department’s website.”.

7 After line 20, insert:

8 **“SECTION 3. Section 1 of this 2019 Act is repealed on June 30,
9 2021.”.**

10 In line 21, delete “3” and insert “4”.

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