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I am a lunch lady with Portland Public Schools. We are facing cuts from the Federal government. Please, support us with funds from the State budget. Our children should not feel the impact of politics. Their education is more important than partisan politics. They aren't aware of which "bucket" the funds for their schooling comes from. All they know is next year my favorite art or music teacher won't be at my school or this year lunch is free, next year it won't be. Please make their education experience as seamless and consistent as possible. Sincerely, Ginny Hotchkiss