

# PRESIDENT TRUMP'S BUDGET UNDERMINES THE FARM BILL

\$231 B

Cut to the Farm Bill

# Farm Bill Supports our Economy

298 M

farm acres protected by crop insurance

20.9 M

households rely on SNAP to help put food on the table

\$100 B

economic activity from hunting, fishing, and wildlife watching

56% decline in farm

prices since 2013

\$8.2 B

annual farm revenues from agricultural export initiatives On May 23, Trump released his budget calling for massive cuts that would gut Farm Bill safety net programs for farmers and families; scale back conservation efforts that protect land and water; and eliminate jobs. With \$231 billion in proposed Farm Bill cuts on top of a 21% cut to USDA, the budget hinders Congress' ability to pass a strong Farm Bill and undermines USDA's capacity to serve its customers.

#### **Hurts Farmers & Ranchers**

- Cuts \$29 billion from crop insurance, depriving farmers of critical risk management tools.
- Lays off 5,200 USDA jobs, reducing customer service for farmers.
- Zeroes out export promotion programs that created 239,800 new jobs.

## **Hurts Families & Communities**

- \$193 billion cut to SNAP leaves children, seniors, veterans, and families hungry.
- Ends bio-manufacturing programs that support 4.2 million jobs.
- Undermines the local food industry, small farm businesses and neighborhood farmers markets.

### **Hurts Land & Water Resources**

- Eliminates locally-led conservation efforts on farms and ranches.
- Exacerbates algae blooms, fertilizer runoff, and drought.
- Limits hunting and fishing opportunities on private lands.

This budget would make a 5- year Farm Bill impossible to pass.