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# Fiscal Note

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<b>Prime Sponsors:</b>	Rep. Herod Sen. Zenzinger	<b>Bill Status:</b>	House Appropriations
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<b>Bill Topic:</b>	<b>FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM ADMINISTRATIVE FEE</b>
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<b>Summary of Fiscal Impact:</b>	<b>Budget package bill / No fiscal impact.</b> The bill changes when the Department of Human Services can collect administrative fees for federal food disbursement programs. The bill will not impact state and local revenue and expenditures and has been assessed as having no fiscal impact.
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<b>Appropriation Summary:</b>	No appropriation is required.
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<b>Fiscal Note Status:</b>	The fiscal note reflects the introduced bill, as recommended by the Joint Budget Committee as part of its FY 2022-23 Long Bill package.
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## Summary of Legislation

The bill changes when the Colorado Department of Human Services (CDHS) may collect administrative fees for food distribution programs from a monthly basis to at least once every calendar year, or when an agency's account reaches a balance of \$100 or more.

## Background

Under current law, the CDHS is responsible for providing safe and consistent food resources for K-12 schools and child care providers statewide through a state-managed warehouse and distribution system. The CDHS may charge an administrative fee to agencies (such as school districts) that receive food delivered through the program.

## Assessment of No Fiscal Impact

By changing when the CDHS may collect administrative fees, timing of the collection and spending of fees may change. However, changing when the CDHS can collect fees and when school districts and other agencies pay the fee will not impact the amount of fees collected or paid and therefore, will not impact state and local revenue and expenditures. As a result, the bill is assessed as having no fiscal impact.

## Effective Date

The bill takes effect 90 days following adjournment of the General Assembly sine die, assuming no referendum petition is filed.

## State and Local Government Contacts

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