

**Allowable/Reimbursable Purchases for the USDA FFVP**

 **Effective July 1, 2023**

**\*\*\* This list includes *most* allowable costs. There may be others. \*\*\***

**“Fresh” fruits competitively priced**

**“Fresh” vegetables competitively priced**

**Pre-packaged, individual servings of fresh fruits and fresh vegetables**

**Enrolled students and teachers who are providing educational instruction in the classroom at the time the FFVP snack is served may participate in the FFVP at no cost**

**Buy American (If not available, document and imported product may be purchased.)**

**Shipping/handling/delivery fees and “sales tax” (if not claimed on any other report) can be keyed on FFVP claim for reimbursement**

**Labor *within reason* for both “Operational” and “Administrative” tasks with documentation of tasks to justify time and kept on file in SN administrative office**

**Only reduced fat, fat free, or “lite” condiments, to include peanut butter and mustard, may be served/reimbursed for fresh vegetable snacks only (Oper Costs)**

**Value-added fresh fruits/fresh vegetables (with no preservatives, gas, etc. used in packaging), and bulk purchases that are “fresh” and require refrigeration**

**Paper and plastic products used for serving FFVP snacks (Oper Costs)**

**Small equipment, i.e., knives, cutting boards, colanders (ordered at beginning of school year/pro-rating reimbursement should be considered, if also used for other programs); food service gloves for prepping/serving FFVP snacks (Oper Costs)**

**Food safe containers with a lid for distributing daily FFVP snacks (Oper Costs)**

**Equipment, i.e., reach-in cooler, sink, worktable with pre-approval from NCDPI; pro-rated for reimbursement if used for other programs i.e. NSLP and SBP (Admin Costs)**