

2017 DRAFTING REQUEST**Bill**

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Provide funding for a FoodShare pilot project to provide certain recipients with discounts on fresh produce and other healthy food at participating retailers

Instructions:

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Per Tyler in Rep. RohrKast's office

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- 1 AN ACT *to create* 20.435 (4) (bt) and 49.79 (6m) of the statutes; **relating to:**
- 2 FoodShare healthy eating incentive pilot program and making an
- 3 appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill requires the Department of Health Services to establish and implement a pilot program to provide discounts to certain households that are eligible for FoodShare benefits with discounts on fresh produce and other healthy foods. FoodShare, also known as the food stamp program and the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, provides benefits to eligible low-income households for the purchase of food. FoodShare is administered by DHS. The federal government pays the benefits for FoodShare while the state and federal government share equally the cost of administration.

Under the bill, DHS must seek proposals from entities to administer the healthy eating incentive pilot program through DHS's request-for-proposal procedures and according to criteria developed by DHS. DHS must then choose an applicant with which to contract and the chosen applicant must administer the program, including managing all financial transactions between and among participants, retailers, food manufacturers, and DHS and also establishing an adequate network of participating retailers to effectively conduct the pilot.

In addition, under the bill, DHS is required to contract with an independent research entity to conduct a study of the program. DHS must identify a certain number of participants in the program to provide food purchase, nutritional, and

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