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Dear State Agency Director:

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The National Commodity Supplemental Food Program Association (NCSFPA) holds an annual conference to discuss the issues impacting the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP). This year's conference will be held in Alexandria, Virginia at the Westin Alexandria Old Town Hotel from June 9-12, 2019. We encourage your State's attendance as the conference provides an excellent learning opportunity for CSFP program administrators and operators.

Attendees at this year's conference will not only have the opportunity to strengthen working relationships with USDA Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) representatives and other CSFP stakeholders, but will also hear from USDA about policy and operational issues affecting the program.

While FNS cannot provide additional Federal funding for the event, the payment of reasonable and necessary expenses related to NCSFPA conference attendance is an allowable use of CSFP Federal administrative funding.

Please consider attending this important event.

Sincerely,

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Director
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