

**SERVICES +
ACTIVITIES FEE****UW Food Pantry**

1311 NE 41st St, Seattle, WA 98105

Greetings Food Pantry,

I am writing to officially inform you of the allocation made to the Food Pantry for Fiscal Year 2026. After extensive deliberations, as well as consideration of your submitted documents and testimony, the Services & Activities Fee Committee agreed to recommend an allocation of **\$115,447**. The recommendation was accepted by the Vice President for Student Life, Denzil Suite, and was approved by the Board of Regents during their May 8th meeting.

This year, increases in requests were close to \$600k more than our projected increase in revenue. Despite this, after careful consideration of the increasing demand for the Food Pantry's services, the Committee decided on an allocation representing a \$11,500 increase over Fiscal Year 2025, reflecting the full request for the UW Farms Service Fee, and additional \$4,000 for other operations.

The Committee appreciates the time and effort you put into your budget request and presentation. However, we implore you to consider the Committee's request guidelines and priorities when formulating future requests.

I understand that it can be difficult to receive less than your full request, but we hope that you can use your allocation to support students.

The Committee hopes to continue working together in the future. It has been a pleasure working with you, and I wish you the best.

Sincerely,

Haley Chee

**Chair, Services & Activities Fee Committee
University of Washington - Seattle**