Update on Federal and State Actions Affecting County Funding

Federal and State Executive, Legislative and Judicial Actions
Pima County Board of Supervisors Presentation
June 3, 2025



Federal Executive Orders & Other Actions

Update Key Discussion Items:

- Budget Status Federal and State
- Proposed 2026 Budget Implications Data Request
- Ongoing Monitoring

Over the first 100 days in office there have been over **157 Executive Orders** issued and signed, with over 249 lawsuits in response to the Executive Office actions –

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Federal and State Budget

- House of Representatives passed the FY 2026 federal budget 215 – 214 on Thursday, May 22nd
- Budget package moved to the Senate, requiring only a simple majority to pass
- It is expected there will be changes to the bill
 such as continued discussions on
 Medicaid.

 Arizona state legislature has been on recess (returning May 27th) and has under 40 days to complete the state budget – projected surplus gone, uncertainty on federal-level cost shifts to state and local governments



Follow up Items from May 20th Board of Supervisors Meeting

As requested by the Pima County Board of Supervisors, County staff is working with over 15 County Departments to document breadth of programmatic impact data pertaining to the County-effect of the proposed federal budget cuts

This will be submitted as a full impact report to the Pima County Board of Supervisors



Review of the Proposed FY2026 Federal Budget Overview

- An <u>estimated</u> minimum of ~\$26M (50%) of ongoing and discretionary grants are slated for direct elimination or financial / program cuts
 - Release of the 'Make America Healthy Again' (MAHA) report which lays out priorities for HHS and its federal departments
 the largest funding source for Pima County grants
- Congressional Budget Discussions still determining impact of considerable cost shifts to states and counties
- Policy Directives and Implication for Obligated Funds
 - DHS release of Sanctuary Jurisdictions List;
 - County is <u>still owed financial reimbursement</u> from FEMA, FEMA Restructuring;
 - IIJA funded directives implicate a suite of substantial funds for infrastructure projects.



Thank you!



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