The PASS program creates substantial positive economic effects across Pennsylvanian communities.

**2015-2021**

Impact created by $7.5 million in PASS funds

- **$11.8 MILLION TOTAL ECONOMIC OUTPUT**
  - PASS Spending on PASS participants (53.39%)
  - Sales stimulated by PASS Participants’ spending (30.51%)
  - Sales in Extended Supply Chain (16.1%)

- **$2.6 MILLION LABOR INCOME**

- **74 JOBS SUPPORTED**
  - including 43 directly created within Pennsylvania vendors and farms

**2021 CARES-PASS**

Impact created by $10 million funding from the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act

- **$18.4 MILLION TOTAL ECONOMIC OUTPUT**
  - PASS Spending on PASS participants (52.17%)
  - Sales stimulated by PASS Participants’ spending (31.52%)
  - Sales in Extended Supply Chain (16.3%)

- **$4.1 MILLION LABOR INCOME**

- **101 JOBS SUPPORTED**
  - including 52 directly created within Pennsylvania vendors and farms

Every $1 PASS spends stimulates an additional $2 in economic activity.

- $924,000 are direct payments towards PASS participants
- $1,460,000 are direct payments towards PASS participants
ECONOMIC IMPACT COMPARISON BY PASS INPUT FUNDS

The estimate of increased funding from $1.5 million to $2.5 million generated an additional $2,126,990 in total output

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EMPLOYMENT

full-time/part-time annual average in line with the Bureau of Economic Analysis Regional Economic Accounts

LABOR INCOME

the sum of wages, salaries, benefits, payroll taxes, and payments received by self-employed people and private business owners

ECONOMIC OUTPUT

the value of industry production, which is equal to sales plus net inventory change

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