

## Northern Crops Institute Department No. 638 2025 Senate Bill No. 2020

# REVISED EXECUTIVE BUDGET RECOMMENDATION 2025-27 BIENNIUM

**Budget Summary** 

	FTE Positions	General Fund	Other Funds	Total			
Burgum executive budget recommendation	18.35	\$2,678,957	\$4,629,606	\$7,308,563			
Revisions - Increase (decrease)	0.00	(17,167)	(21,521)	(38,688)			
Armstrong executive budget recommendation	18.35	\$2,661,790	\$4,608,085	\$7,269,875			
Base level	18.15	2,183,655	3,541,116	5,724,771			
Increase (decrease)	0.20	\$478,135	\$1,066,969	\$1,545,104			
Percentage increase (decrease)	1.1%	21.9%	30.1%	27.0%			

#### NOTE:

More detailed information on the revised executive budget recommendation is attached as an appendix.

### **Selected Highlights**

- Adds \$173,287, of which \$76,883 is from the general fund and \$96,404 is from special funds, for salary increases of up to 3 percent effective July 1, 2025, and 3 percent effective July 1, 2026
- Adds \$114,100, of which \$43,015 is from the general fund and \$71,085 is from special funds, for a health insurance premium increase of \$250 per month (15.2 percent), from \$1,643 to \$1,893, per employee
- Adds \$119,317, of which \$58,637 is from the general fund and \$60,680 is from special funds, to replace the 2023-25 biennium vacant FTE pool
- Adds \$788,400, of which \$299,600 is from the general fund and \$488,800 is from special funds, for operating expenses
- Adds one-time funding of \$350,000 from the strategic investment and improvements fund (SIIF) for a protein extraction and air classification system

#### **Deficiency Appropriations**

There are no deficiency appropriations for this agency.

## **Significant Audit Findings**

There are no significant audit findings for this agency.

#### **Agency Fees**

As reported to the Legislative Management, pursuant to North Dakota Century Code Section 54-35-27, this agency did not have any fees.

### **Major Related Legislation**

As of the date of this report, there is no major related legislation for this agency.

#### NOTE:

Please see the Fiscal Impact Report for additional information regarding bills under consideration which contain either a state revenue impact, an appropriation, or a state fiscal impact.



## Northern Crops Institute - Budget No. 638 Legislative Council Agency Worksheet - Senate Bill No. 2020

	Armstrong Executive Budget				
	FTE Positions	General Fund	Other Funds	Total	
2025-27 Biennium Base Level	18.15	\$2,183,655	\$3,541,116	\$5,724,771	
2025-27 Ongoing Funding Changes					
Increases FTE positions pursuant to Section 10 of House Bill No. 1020 (2023)	0.20			\$0	
Salary increase		\$76,883	\$96,404	173,287	
Health insurance increase		43,015	71,085	114,100	
Adds funding to replace the 2023-25 vacant FTE pool		58,637	60,680	119,317	
Adds funding for operating expenses		299,600	488,800	788,400	
Total ongoing funding changes	0.20	\$478,135	\$716,969	\$1,195,104	
One-Time Funding Items					
Adds funding for a protein extraction and air classification system			\$350,000	\$350,000	
Total one-time funding changes	0.00	\$0	\$350,000	\$350,000	
Total Changes to Base Level Funding	0.20	\$478,135	\$1,066,969	\$1,545,104	
2025-27 Total Funding	18.35	\$2,661,790	\$4,608,085	\$7,269,875	
Federal funds included in other funds			\$0		
Total ongoing changes - Percentage of base level	1.1%	21.9%	20.2%	20.9%	
Total changes - Percentage of base level	1.1%	21.9%	30.1%	27.0%	