

Report for the **Tobacco Settlement Agreement Fund Oversight Committee**

June 17, 2022

Meeting of the Kentucky Agricultural Development Board

KADF Programs

Approved at the June 2022 KADB Meeting

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<u>County</u> Lincoln	Program Administrator Lincoln County Fiscal Court	Date Submitted 05/03/2022	Funds Approved \$ 15,000.00
Washington	Washington County Fiscal Court	05/19/2022	\$ 11,700.00
Boyle	Boyle County Conservation District	05/24/2022	\$ 15,000.00
3			\$ 41,700.00

County	Program Administrator	Date Submitted	Funds Approved
Breathitt	Breathitt County Farm Bureau of Breathitt County, Kentuc	05/16/2022	\$ 6,000.00
Nicholas	Nicholas County Conservation District	05/26/2022	\$ 24,000.00
2			\$ 30,000.00

KADF Programs

Total County* KADF Approved for Programs: \$3,068,724.00

App # A2021-0166

Applicant Name Whitley County Cattlemen's Association, Inc.

Original Amount Approved \$32,726 Execution Date 08/13/2021

Requested Change The applicant requests an additional \$3,000 in Whitley County funds

for the CAIP Program. The request received a high priority from the

County Council.

This is the first request for an amendment to this application number. The term of the program shall remain 12-months from the execution

date of the original agreement.

Approval of this request would bring the program total to \$35,726.

Recommend Approval

App# A2021-0237

Applicant Name Owsley County Conservation District

Original Amount Approved \$155,000 Execution Date \$12/22/2021

Requested Change The applicant requests an <u>additional</u> \$122,500 in Owsley County funds

for the CAIP Program. The request received a high priority from the

County Council.

This is the first request for an amendment to this application number. The term of the program shall remain 12-months from the execution

date of the original agreement.

Approval of this request would bring the program total to \$277,500.

Recommend Approval

App# A2021-0249

Applicant Name Lee County Conservation District

Original Amount Approved \$50,000 Execution Date 01/11/2022

Requested Change The applicant requests an <u>additional</u> \$40,000 in Lee County funds for

the CAIP Program. The request received a high priority from the

County Council.

This is the first request for an amendment to this application number. The term of the program shall remain 12-months from the execution

date of the original agreement.

Approval of this request would bring the program total to \$90,000.

Recommend Approval

App# A2022-0012 (CAIP)

Applicant Name Washington County Cattlemen Association, Inc.

Original Amount Approved \$141,200 Execution Date 03/07/2022

Requested Change The applicant requests an <u>additional</u> \$127,500 in Washington County

funds for the CAIP Program. The request received a high priority from

the County Council.

This is the first request for an amendment to this application number. The term of the program shall remain 12-months from the execution

date of the original agreement.

Approval of this request would bring the program total to \$268,700.

Recommend Approval

App# A2022-0013 (YAIP)

Applicant Name Washington County Cattlemen Association, Inc.

Original Amount Approved \$30,350 Execution Date 03/07/2022

Requested Change The applicant requests an <u>additional</u> \$10,000 in Washington County

funds for the YAIP Program. The request received a high priority from

the County Council.

This is the first request for an amendment to this application number. The term of the program shall remain 12-months from the execution

date of the original agreement.

Approval of this request would bring the program total to \$40,350.

Recommend Approval

KADF On-Farm Energy Incentives

Approved at the June 2022 KADB Meeting

On-Farm Energy Program

<u>County</u> Breckinridge	<u>Program Administrator</u> Barr Farms Organic Produce, LLC On-Farm Energy Horticulture	Date Submitted 04/20/2022	Funds Approved \$9,268
Christian	Adrian Troyer/ Wade Road Poultry On-Farm Energy Poultry	04/28/2022	\$10,150
LaRue	Lee's Plant Farms, Inc On-Farm Energy Horticulture	01/31/2022	\$10,150
Laurel	Sustainable Harvest Farm LLC On-Farm Energy Horticulture	04/29/2022	\$10,150
Muhlenberg	Jodie King On-Farm Energy Poultry	04/06/2022	\$10,150
Ohio	Edge Brothers Poultry, LLC On-Farm Energy Poultry	12/17/2021	\$10,150
Ohio	Nathaniel Daugherty On-Farm Energy Poultry	04/29/2022	\$10,150
Pulaski	Jerry Gentry On-Farm Energy Dairy	04/20/2022	\$2,640
Webster	Kyle Lancaster d/b/a Lancaster Poultry On-Farm Energy Poultry	04/28/2022	\$10,150
9			\$82,958

Board Meeting 4

On-Farm Water SSG Projects Approved

APP#	APPLICANT	COUNTY	REQUESTED
A2021-0115	Jarrod Brent Cornett	Laurel	\$10,000.00

Total State Funds Recommended for Approval:

\$10,000.00

Awards: 1

Counties: 1

^{*}The On-Farm Water Management Program provides funding to promote water resillience on farms.

The Small Scale Grant (SSG) is for a private farm that wishes to implement bestmanagement practices for water management on the farm.

Daviess County Conservation District

A2022-0048

Application County: Daviess Date Submitted: 03/31/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$20,000

FUNDING REQUEST

The Daviess County Conservation District is requesting \$20,000 in Daviess County funds to run a Youth Agricultural Production Cost Share Program.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used to run a youth cost share program for Daviess Co. youth ages 14-19. The cost share program will be cost reimbursement for youth focused on agriculture production practices. The maximum reimbursement amount per youth will be \$1,250. Typically, more than 25 youth apply for the program each year.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$40,000 with funding from the following sources:

- \$ 20,000 KADF Daviess County funds
- \$ 20,000 Daviess County Conservation District working capital

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant states that around 16 applicants will be funded through this program.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022 -- Daviess County Conservation District was apporved for \$20,000 in Daviess County to administer a Youth Agricultural Production Cost Share Program.

Daviess County 4-H Council, Incorporated

A2022-0049

Application County: Daviess Date Submitted: 03/31/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$1,036

FUNDING REQUEST

The Daviess County 4-H is requesting \$1,036 in Daviess County funds to purchase livestock-based learning labs.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used to purchase livestock based learning labs from the Ohio State University. These lab materials will help new clubs like Sheep and Goat, Rabbit, and Poultry clubs get started. These materials will solely be used by Daviess Co. 4-H club members. These materials help club members learn about their individual animal's parts, breeds, purpose, reproduction, health, diseases, and exhibition methods.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$2,075 with funding from the following sources:

- \$ 1,036 KADF Daviess County funds
- \$ 200 Daviess County 4-H Council
- \$ 839 EDB Program Funds

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant is unsure of the exact producer impact as some 4-H members may not have an agriculture background. Impact is focused on Daviess Co. youth.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022 • Daviess County 4-H was approved for \$1,036 in Daviess County funds to purchase livestock-based learning lab materials for youth livestock clubs.

Jessamine County FFA Alumni Association, Inc.

A2022-0051

Application County: Jessamine Date Submitted: 03/31/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$8,000

FUNDING REQUEST

The Jessamine Co. FFA Alumni Association Inc. is requesting \$8,000 in Jessamine County funds to do cost share on SAE and 4-H projects.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used to cost share on FFA SAE and 4-H projects. First and second year applicants can receive 50/50 cost share up to \$500 or \$250 per applicant. The goal of the program is to spur youth interest in agriculture.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$16,000 with funding from the following sources:

- \$ 8,000 KADF Jessamine County funds
- \$ 8,000 Students, Parents, and Grandparents

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant states that 7 to 15 farm families will be impacted by this project.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022 • Jessamine County FFA Alumni Association was approved for \$8,000 in Jessamine County funds to provide cost-share assistance on SAE and 4-H projects

Grayson County Farm Bureau of Grayson County Kentucky

A2022-0058

Application County: Grayson Date Submitted: 04/14/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$5,000

FUNDING REQUEST

The Grayson Co. Farm Bureau is requesting \$5,000 in Grayson County funds to purchase grain bin rescue equipment.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used to purchase 7 turtle tubes and 1 great wall. Tubes will be housed at each fire department in Grayson County. The goal of the program is to never have to use this equipment, but to have it on hand in a timely manner if the emergency ever arises.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$10,000 with funding from the following sources:

- \$ 5,000 KADF Grayson County funds
- \$ 1,667 Grayson Co. Extension District Board
- \$ 1,667 Grayson Co. Soil Conservation District
- \$ 1,667 Grayson Co. Farm Bureau

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant states that the whole county will be impacted by this project.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022 • Grayson County Farm Bureau was approved for \$5,000 in Grayson County funds to purchase grain bin rescue equipment.

Goldy's Meats Ltd. Co. A2022-0059

Application County: Crittenden Date Submitted: 04/13/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$11,129

FUNDING REQUEST

The Goldy's Custom Meats Ltd. Co. is requesting \$11,129 in County and State Funds to purchase refrigeration for the hanging cooler.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used to purchase condensers and evaporators for refrigerating the hanging cooler. This project is part of an expansion the applicant is doing and the applicant hopes to have everything purchased and the project finished by late fall of 2022. The goal is to have better refrigeration capacity for hanging carcasses.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$22,258 with funding from the following sources:

- \$ 11,129 KADF State and County Funds
- \$ 11,129 Goldy's Business Account (Secured)

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant states that the whole county and multiple surrounding counties will be impacted by this project.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022 • Goldy's Custom Meats was approved for \$1,129 in state funds as a forgivable loan and up to \$10,000 in multi-county funds to purchase refrigeration equipment for a hanging cooler at the processing facility in Crittenden County.

Ed-Mar Farms, LLC A2022-0060

Application County: Kenton Date Submitted: 04/13/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$90,446

FUNDING REQUEST

The Ed Mar Farms, LLC is requesting \$85,446 in County and State Funds to relocate and expand farm infrastructure for an agritourism/event barn.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used to relocate and expand the size of a barn to be more adaptable for hosting events on the farm. The applicants goal with the project is to increase capacity for special events on the farm such as 4-H/FFA educational events, agriculture related meetings, extension partnerships, farm tours, special events, art classes, fitness classes, weddings, and community events.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$170,894 with funding from the following sources:

- \$ 85,446 KADF State and County Funds
- \$ 85,448 Farm Credit (Pending)

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant states that at least 12 farm families will be impacted by this project.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022 • Ed Mar Farms, LLC was approved for up to \$85,446 in county funds to relocate and expand farm infrastructure for an agritourism event barn.

Meade County Fair, Inc. A2022-0064

Application County: Meade Date Submitted: 04/18/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$27,000

FUNDING REQUEST

The Meade Co. Fair, Inc. is requesting \$27,000 in Meade County Funds to construct a new multi-species, covered wash rack.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used to replace the old wash rack for livestock shows. The old wash rack is outdoors and is in poor condition. This project's goal is to replace the old wash rack with a new multi-species rack that would be under roof and out of the weather conditions. Grooming livestock will also be allowed to be done in this covered wash rack area.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$70,056 with funding from the following sources:

- \$ 27,000 KADF Meade County Funds
- \$ 30,000 Cecilian Bank
- \$ 13,056 Unsecured

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant states that about 70-80 youth will be impacted by this project.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022 • Meade County Fair, Inc. was approved for \$27,000 in Meade County funds to construct a new multispecies covered wash rack for livestock shows

Twin Lakes Veterinary Services, PLLC

A2022-0076

Application County: Wayne Date Submitted: 04/20/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$9,500

FUNDING REQUEST

Twin Lakes Veterinary Services is requesting \$9,500 in Wayne County Funds to construct haul-in large animal servicing facilities.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used to construct large animal handling facilities as a haul-in location. Currently, the clinic only provides services for large animal producers on an emergency basis. Having a central location to work animals will increase the ability for the clinic to serve large animal producers.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$19,000 with funding from the following sources:

- \$ 9,500 KADF Wayne County Funds
- \$ 7,500 Twin Lakes Veterinary Services checking account (secured)
- \$ 1,000 Wayne County Cattleman's Association (secured)
- \$ 1,000 Wayne County Farm Bureau (secured)

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant states that 114 farm families will be impacted by this project.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022 • Twin Lakes Veterinary Services was approved for \$9,500 in Wayne County funds to construct haul-in large animal servicing facilities.

Trackside Butcher Shoppe, LLC

A2022-0083

Application County: Henry Date Submitted: 04/28/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$82,500

FUNDING REQUEST

Trackside Butcher Shoppe is requesting \$100,000 in County and State funds to expand its carcass hanging/aging cooler in Campbellsburg, KY.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used specifically for expanding the hanging/aging cooler for carcasses. Trackside is currently booked 20 months out and has the capability to further expand their business. In the past 18 months, Trackside has expanded their production room, freezer, and loading dock. With an expanded hanging cooler, Trackside has the potential to expand their processing cap from 65 beef and 15-20 hogs/week to 80 beef and 20-25 hogs/week.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$200,000 with funding from the following sources:

- \$ 50,000 KADF State funds
- \$ 50,000 KADF County funds (pending)
- \$ 250,000 Farm Credit Services (secured)

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant states farm families across multiple counties plus 20-30 employees will be impacted by this project.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022• Trackside Butcher Shoppe was approved for up to \$25,000 in state funds and matching \$25,000 in multi-county funds to expand its carcass hanging/aging cooler.

Kentucky Association of Meat Processors, Inc

A2022-0089

Application County: Nelson Date Submitted: 04/29/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$95,940

FUNDING REQUEST

The Kentucky Association of Meat Processors, Inc. is requesting \$95,940 in State funds to further develop association membership and engagement.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used specifically to help develop the Kentucky Association of Meat Processors . A big piece of this project will be hiring an executive secretary for the association to really get off the ground . Other funds will be used to develop events and methods of outreach to connect with meat processors in Kentucky. The hopes of the outreach events and hiring an executive secretary is to build a foundation for the organization and grow a network of association members who are actively engaged.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$95,940 with funding from the following sources:

\$ 95,940 KADF State funds

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant states all livestock producing counties across Kentucky will be impacted by this project.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022 • Kentucky Association of Meat Processors was approved \$95,940 in state funds to hire staff to build a foundation for the organization and expand outreach to grow the association membership.

Green River Meats, LLC A2022-0090

Application County: Taylor Date Submitted: 04/29/2022

Total Funds Awarded: \$410,000

FUNDING REQUEST

Green River Meats LLC is requesting \$250,000 in State funds and \$210,000 in County Funds to build a USDA custom meat processing facility in Greensburg, KY.

APPLICATION SUMMARY

Funding will be used for building a USDA custom meat processing facility to process cattle, hogs, and sheep. The applicant plans for the business to create jobs for 6-8 employees during year 1 and hopefully 12-16 by the end of year 3. The owners envision a plant capable of packaging 25,000 lbs. (hanging weight)/week which equates to 40-60 head of cattle and 10 hogs per week.

The total cost of the project is estimated at \$2,247,292 with funding from the following sources:

- \$ 250,000 KADF State funds
- \$ 210,000 KADF County funds
- \$ 750,000 KAFC Loan (pending)
- \$ 1,037,292 Loan- Citizens Bank and Trust Co. (secured)

PROJECTED PRODUCER IMPACT

The applicant states about 90-100 farm families will be impacted by this project.

Board Decision:

6/17/2022 • Green River Meats was approved for \$250,000 in state funds as a forgivable loan and any county funds as a cost-reimbursement grant establish to a USDA custom meat processing facility in Greensburg.

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Kentucky Agricultural Development Board approves more than \$4 million for projects across the commonwealth

Funded projects focus on agricultural diversification, rural development

FRANKFORT (June 17, 2022) – The Kentucky Agricultural Development Board approved \$4,012,843 for agricultural diversification and rural development projects across the commonwealth at its monthly board meeting.

State and County Funded Projects

- Daviess County Conservation District was approved for \$20,000 in Daviess County funds to run a Youth Agricultural Production cost-share program. For more information, contact Katelyn Cavitt at Katelyn.Cavitt@ky.nacdnet.net.
- Daviess County 4-H was approved for \$1,036 in Daviess County funds to purchase livestock-based learning lab materials for youth livestock clubs. For more information, contact Stacey Potts at stacey.potts@uky.edu.
- Ed Mar Farms, LLC was approved for up to \$85,446 in county funds to relocate and expand farm infrastructure for an agritourism event barn. For more information, contact Edward Gibson at edwarding-agrail.com.
- Goldy's Custom Meats was approved for \$1,129 in state funds as a forgivable loan and up to \$10,000 in multi-county funds to purchase refrigeration equipment for a hanging cooler at the processing facility in Crittenden County. For more information, contact Edith Harris at edith.harris@ky.nacdnet.net.
- Grayson County Farm Bureau was approved for \$5,000 in Grayson County funds to purchase grain bin rescue equipment. For more information, contact Whitney Carman at whitney.carman@uky.edu.
- Green River Meats was approved for \$250,000 in state funds as a forgivable loan, any
 county funds approved as a cost-reimbursement grant, to build a USDA custom meat
 processing facility in Greensburg. For more information, contact Tim Jeffries at
 timothyljeffries@gmail.com.
- Jessamine County FFA Alumni Association was approved for \$8,000 in Jessamine County funds to provide cost-share assistance on SAE and 4-H projects. For more information, contact Carl Waits at carl.waits@twc.com.
- Kentucky Association of Meat Processors was approved \$95,940 in state funds to hire staff to build a foundation for the organization and expand outreach to grow the association membership. For more information, contact Allison Porteus at allison@boonesbutchershop.com.
- Meade County Fair was approved for \$27,000 in Meade County funds to construct a new multi-species covered wash rack for livestock shows. For more information,

contact David Pace at dpace@mcrecc.com.

- Trackside Butcher Shoppe was approved for up to \$25,000 in state funds and matching \$25,000 in multi-county funds to expand its carcass hanging/aging cooler. For more information, contact John Edwards at office@tracksidebutchershoppe.com.
- Twin Lakes Veterinary Services was approved for \$9,500 in Wayne County funds to construct haul-in large animal servicing facilities. For more information, contact Kaidy Sullivan at twinlakesvet21@gmail.com.

On-Farm Energy Efficiency Incentives Program

The On-Farm Energy Efficiency Incentives Program provides incentives for Kentucky farm families to increase the energy efficiency of existing equipment or facilities on the farm.

Nine On-Farm Energy grants were approved by the board totaling \$82,958:

- Breckinridge (\$9,268)
- Christian (\$10,150)
- LaRue (\$10,150)
- Laurel (\$10,150)
- Muhlenberg (\$10,150)
- Ohio (\$10,150)
- Ohio (\$10,150)
- Pulaski (\$2,640)
- Webster (\$10,150)

On-Farm Water Program

On-Farm Water Management Program (OFWM) provides incentives for Land-Grant and Regional Universities, Non-Profits and Kentucky farm families to financially incentivize better water management practices across the commonwealth. Applicants may apply in one of three areas: Research, Development and Demonstration (RDD), Producer Implemented Project (PIP), or Small Scale Grant (SSG).

One OFWM SSG grant was approved by the board totaling \$5,110:

• Breckinridge (\$5,110)

County Agricultural Investment Program (CAIP)

CAIP provides Kentucky agricultural producers with cost-share assistance on practices to allow them to improve and diversify their current farm operations. CAIP covers a wide variety of agricultural enterprises in its 11 investment areas, including, but not limited to, bees and honey; equine; forage; beef and dairy cattle; goats and sheep; horticulture; poultry; swine; timber and technology, as well as energy efficiency and production; farm infrastructure and water enhancement; marketing; and value-added production.

Eighteen CAIPs were approved by the board totaling \$3,290,024:

- Adair (\$190,000)
- Allen (\$197,947)
- Boyle (\$163,000)
- Breathitt (\$100,000)
- Carter (\$145,000)
- Christian (\$203,000)
- Grant (\$260,000)
- Jackson (\$524,863)
- Kenton (\$75,000)
- Knox (\$108,198)
- LaRue (\$125,000)
- Lee (\$40,000)*
- Lincoln (\$400,000)
- Nicholas (\$294,113)
- Owsley (\$122,500)*
- Pendleton (\$210,903)
- Washington (\$127,500)*Whitley (\$3,000)*

Deceased Farm Animal Removal (DAR)

The Deceased Farm Animal Removal Program serves as a measure to facilitate the coordination of environmentally-sound and cost-effective disposal of deceased livestock for Kentucky producers.

Three DAR programs were approved by the board totaling \$41,700:

- Boyle (\$15,000)
- Lincoln (\$15,000)
- Washington (\$11,700)

Youth Agricultural Incentives Program (YAIP)

YAIP encourages youth to engage in and explore agricultural opportunities.

Three YAIP programs were approved by the board totaling \$40,000:

- Breathitt (\$6,000)
- Nicholas (\$24,000)
- Washington (\$10,000)*

All application periods and deadlines for CAIP and YAIP will be advertised locally.

*Existing programs receiving additional funding.

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