

LIVESTOCK FRIENDLY COUNTY GRANT PROGRAM

Who Should Apply

- Must be designated as Livestock Friendly through the Nebraska Department of Agriculture Livestock Friendly County Program
- Application and Review Process by Committee
 - Two application and review processes per year dependent on financial resources
 - One representative from each organization that financially supports the program
- Applications must come from county boards, city councils, city or county planning and zoning administrators, or city or county economic development organizations, but the respective city council or county board must sign off on the application.



assets, and needs of the county and surrounding areas to support livestock development;

- Identifying livestock development and related agriculture and food processing goals and opportunities for the county;
- Identifying and evaluating a location or locations suitable for placement of livestock production facilities or related agriculture and food processing facilities;
- Developing a marketing strategy to promote and attract investment in new or expanded livestock production and related agriculture and food processing within the county; and
- To cover costs associated with conferences, trainings or other continuing education opportunities related to livestock development or agriculture and food processing development.

Eligible Purposes

- Strategic planning to accommodate and encourage investment in livestock production and related agriculture and food processing businesses
- Reviewing zoning and land-use regulations;
- Evaluating workforce availability, educational, institutional, public infrastructure, marketing, transportation, commercial service, natural resource, and agricultural

Required Actions

- Must complete engagement and follow up surveys during the course of the grant
- Eligible purposes only include activities that have not been started when applying

**Send your digital application to
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