



## AGRICULTURE PROJECTS FUNDED IN WISCONSIN

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Wisconsin has been awarded \$9,798,749 grants to support 278 projects, including but not limited to, 60 research and/or education projects, 25 professional development projects and 121 producer-led projects. Wisconsin has also received additional SARE support through multi-state projects.

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### RESEARCH AND EDUCATION GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
<a href="#">LNC18-414</a>	From the Earth	\$131,676	Kellie Zahn
<a href="#">LNC18-403</a>	Community College Alliance for Agriculture Advancement (C2A3): Regionally-Specific and Collaborative Educational Approaches to Promote Sustainable Soil Health Practices	\$200,000	Vicki Jeppesen
<a href="#">LNC17-387</a>	Increasing Market-Farm Enterprise Resilience in Response to Significant Weather Events, Life Events and Other Threats to Livelihood: A collaborative response to known quality of life concerns	\$96,949	Chris Blanchard Purple Pitchfork
<a href="#">LNC17-388</a>	Improving farmer options for sustainable and profitable direct-market tomato production and high tunnel management in the Upper Midwest	\$199,915	Dr. Julie Dawson University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">LNC17-389</a>	Testing N efficient, high methionine corn hybrids with organic farmers	\$196,088	Walter Goldstein
<a href="#">LNC16-376</a>	The Fruit and Nut Compass: Developing a Tool and Guiding Principles for Diversified Farms	\$199,246	Michael Bell Dept. of Community and Environmental Sociology, U. of Wisconsin-Madison Leah Potter-Weight Center for Integrated Agricultural Systems, UW Madison
<a href="#">LNC16-378</a>	Advancing cost effective water quality improvement in the North Central Region through farmer-led engagement for prairie filter strips	\$197,678	Craig Ficenech Sand County Foundation
<a href="#">LNC16-382</a>	Systems Approach to Food Waste Composting for Urban Agriculture	\$199,943	Greg Lawless University of Wisconsin Extension

<a href="#">LNC16-383</a>	Grazing management of "Kernza" Intermediate wheatgrass as a dual purpose crop	\$200,000	Valentin Picasso University of Wisconsin - Madison
<a href="#">LNC15-367</a>	Commercialization of Hazelnuts for Growers in the Upper Midwest	\$198,569	Jason Fischbach Bayfield County UW-Extension
<a href="#">LNC14-357</a>	Tomato Variety Trials for Flavor, Quality and Agronomic Performance, to Increase High-value Direct Marketing Opportunities for Farmers and On-farm Trialing Capacity	\$199,866	Dr. Julie Dawson University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">LNC14-358</a>	Building Resilience and Flexibility into Midwest Organic Potato Production: Participatory Breeding and Seed Potato Production	\$199,106	Dr. Ruth Genger University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">LNC13-348</a>	Protecting Diversified, Direct-Market, and Value-Added Operations with Smart Business Structures, Written Agreements, and Regulatory Compliance	\$158,660	Rachel Armstrong Farm Commons
<a href="#">LNC13-349</a>	High Quality Beverage Raw Materials for the Craft Brewing Industry	\$196,953	Carl Duley UW-Extension
<a href="#">LNC12-339</a>	Selecting for Resilience in Low-input Potato Cropping Systems: Connecting Farmers and Breeders with the Genetic Resources of an Underutilized Potato Germplasm Collection	\$190,512	Dr. Amy Charkowski University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">LNC12-341</a>	Development of Organic Nutrient Management Recommendations for High Tunnel Raspberry Production	\$49,388	Dr. Rebecca Harbut University of Wisconsin Madison Beth Ann Workmaster University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">LNC11-329</a>	Development of Small-Scale Storage Facilities for Winter Storage of Fresh Produce	\$108,829	Scott Sanford, Scott Sanford University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">LNC08-299</a>	Improving Forage Production and Quality with Native Legumes in Grazed Warm-Season Grass Stands	\$149,456	Randall Jackson University of Wisconsin-Madison Craig Maier UW-Madison Dan Undersander University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">LNC08-303</a>	Working with Farmers, Dairy Processors and Chefs to Build a Market for Grass-Fed Milk	\$148,133	Laura Paine Dairy Grazing Apprenticeship
<a href="#">LNC07-290</a>	Effective Outreach for a new Wisconsin Agriculture: A Social Marketing Approach to the Environmental Management Needs of Hispanic and Women Farmers	\$129,997	Dr. Sharon Lezberg Environmental Resources Center
<a href="#">LNC07-279</a>	Grass-legume mixtures for improved persistence, biomass production, and intake by dairy cattle on pasture	\$140,623	Ken Albrecht University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">LNC07-287</a>	Does Manure Treatment Affect Soil	\$76,034	Christopher Baxter

	Nitrogen Availability?		University of Wisconsin - Platteville
<a href="#">LNC06-269</a>	Buy Fresh Buy Local: Building Marketing Opportunities for Local Foods in Restaurants and Institutional Food Services	\$108,750	Rachel Armstrong REAP Food Group
<a href="#">LNC06-270</a>	Biofumigation as an IPM Strategy	\$116,972	Dr. Ann MacGuidwin University of Wisconsin
<a href="#">LNC05-254</a>	The Wisconsin School for Beginning Dairy Farmers Program – the First Ten Years: A Graduate Follow-up Survey and Beginning Dairy Farmer Case Studies	\$55,700	Richard Cates UW-Madison Center for Integrated Ag. Systems
<a href="#">LNC05-258</a>	Soil Fertility Strategies on Organic Vegetable Farms	\$72,056	John Hendrickson CIAS, UW-Madison
<a href="#">LNC05-262</a>	Revise/reprint “Biological Control of Insects and Mites”	\$87,558	Michelle Miller University of WI - CIAS
<a href="#">LNC04-247</a>	Wisconsin Homegrown Lunch II: Maximizing School Food Service	\$122,225	Jack Kloppenburg University of Wisconsin - Madison
<a href="#">LNC04-239</a>	An Analysis of Environmental Management Approaches with Six Midwestern Dairy Farms: Informing Progress Toward a Sustainable Agriculture	\$148,851	Mrill Ingram Environmental Resources Center, UW-Madison
<a href="#">LNC03-227</a>	Towards a Sustainable Agriculture: An Updated Curriculum for High School Classes	\$83,671	Douglas Maxwell University of Wisconsin
<a href="#">LNC03-237</a>	Nutrient Management Planning for Dairy Farms Practicing Management Intensive Rotational Grazing	\$138,560	Dennis Cosgrove University of Wisconsin-River Falls
<a href="#">LNC02-212</a>	Wisconsin Homegrown Lunch: Piloting a Midwestern Model for Farm-to-School Initiatives	\$98,970	Jack Kloppenburg University of Wisconsin - Madison
<a href="#">LNC01-181</a>	Does Management Intensive Grazing Protect Groundwater by Denitrification?	\$90,340	Nancy Turyk University of Wisconsin Stevens Point
<a href="#">LNC00-172</a>	Bone Characteristics of Dairy Cows Fed Diets Containing Different Amounts of Phosphorus	\$33,500	Larry Satter
<a href="#">LNC00-176</a>	Developing Consumer Driven Markets for Southern Wisconsin Farmers	\$84,951	Greg Lawless University of Wisconsin Center for Cooperatives
<a href="#">LNC00-180</a>	Professional Development for the Adoption of Sustainable Agriculture on Rented Land	\$43,483	Michael Bell Dept. of Community and Environmental Sociology, U. of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">LNC99-150.1</a>	Development of Sustainable Practices for Integrated Management of Apple Diseases	\$65,837	John Andrews University of Wisconsin Madison

<a href="#">LNC99-157</a>	Institutional Markets for Sustainable Agriculture Products	\$61,875	John Hendrickson CIAS, UW-Madison George Stevenson UW-Madison, Center for Integrated Ag. Systems
<a href="#">LNC99-158</a>	Developing Whole-Farm Nutrient Management	\$97,000	John Hall Michael Fields Ag Institute
<a href="#">LNC98-130</a>	Educating Consumers About Local, Sustainable Produced Meat	\$23,200	Derek Vernon Lee Wisconsin Pasturelands (formerly Healthy Meats!) Margaret Krome Michael Fields Agricultural Institute
<a href="#">LNC97-115</a>	Training and Transitioning New Farmers: A Practical Experiment in Farmer Self-Development and Institutional Reinvention	\$29,000	Richard Klemme University of Wisconsin, Center for Integrated Agricultural Systems (CIAS)
<a href="#">LNC97-116</a>	Using Small Grain Cover Crop Alternatives to Diversify Crop Rotations	\$92,300	Dr. Joshua Posner Agronomy Department, University of Wisconsin
<a href="#">LNC97-121</a>	Evaluating Pasture-Based Poultry Systems: Potential Contribution to Farm Diversification, Human Nutrition, and Marketing Alternatives	\$89,348	George Stevenson UW-Madison, Center for Integrated Ag. Systems
<a href="#">LNC97-124</a>	Development of Sustainable Practices for Integrated Management of Apple Diseases	\$92,892	John Andrews University of Wisconsin Madison
<a href="#">LNC95-086</a>	Reduced Chemical Inputs in Alternative Potato Farming Systems	\$64,800	Douglas Rouse University of Wisconsin
<a href="#">LNC95-088</a>	Training and Transitioning New Farmers: A Practical Experiment in Farmer Self-Development and Institutional Reinvention	\$85,800	George Stevenson UW-Madison, Center for Integrated Ag. Systems
<a href="#">LNC95-089</a>	Impacts of Intensive Rotational Grazing on Stream Ecology and Water Quality	\$43,488	Laura Paine Dairy Grazing Apprenticeship Dan Undersander University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">LNC95-061.1</a>	Sustainable Community Values Project, Phase 2: Community Supported Agriculture and Quality of Life	\$55,000	Verna Kragnes Philadelphia Community Farm Inc
<a href="#">LNC93-061</a>	Sustainable Community Values Project	\$101,000	Verna Kragnes Philadelphia Community Farm Inc
<a href="#">LNC93-062</a>	A Biological Control Network for the Sweet Clover Weevil and Clover Root Curculio	\$58,551	David Hogg University of Wisconsin
<a href="#">LNC92-053</a>	Rotational Grazing Systems for Wisconsin and Minnesota Dairy Farmers: An Evaluation of Animal and Forage Performance and Whole-Farm Socio-Economic Analyses	\$108,000	Denny Caneff Wisconsin Rural Development Center
<a href="#">LNC91-012.2</a>	Whole-Farm Economic Analyses of Medium-Sized, Single-Family Dairy	\$68,500	Jess Ennis Wisconsin Rural Development Center

Farms that Differ in Their use of Purchased Chemical Inputs			
<a href="#">LNC91-031</a>	Compost Extracts and the Biological Control of Foliar Plant Disease	\$70,000	John Andrews University of Wisconsin Madison
<a href="#">LNC91-035</a>	Improving the Ecology of Corn Production and Testing Perennial Alternatives to Silage Corn	\$92,000	Walter Goldstein Michael Fields Agricultural Institute
<a href="#">LNC90-028</a>	The Krusenbaum Farm: A Case Study and Model in the Establishment of an Organic Dairy Farm	\$70,748	Dr. Joshua Posner Agronomy Department, University of Wisconsin
<a href="#">LNC89-012.1</a>	Whole-Farm Economics and Nitrogen Budget Analysis on Low-Chemical and Conventional Wisconsin Farms	\$62,000	Margaret Krome Wisconsin Rural Development Center
<a href="#">LNC89-021.1</a>	Utilization of the Allelopathic Properties of Winter Rye as a Method of Weed Control in Soybean Production	\$29,000	Ken McNamara Rodale Institute
<a href="#">LNC88-006</a>	Development of Organic N Availability Functions for a Nitrogen Management Model	\$14,009	Larry Bundy University of Wisconsin
<a href="#">LNC88-012</a>	A Statewide Collaborative Sustainable Agriculture and Outlook Project	\$25,000	Margaret Krome Wisconsin Rural Development Center
<a href="#">LNC88-021</a>	Utilization of the Allelopathic Properties of Winter Rye as a Method of Weed Control in Soybean Production	\$31,150	Ken McNamara Rodale Institute

### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
<a href="#">ENC18-166</a>	An Introductory Virtual Training Curriculum for Crop Advisers and Extension Educators Working with Transitioning Organic Grain Crop Producers	\$68,437	Dr. Christopher Boomsma American Society of Agronomy
<a href="#">ENC18-174</a>	Water conservation practices for sustainable food production systems: developing an on-line, participatory training vehicle for ag-professional to enhance interaction with farmers	\$74,959	Dr. Yi Wang University of Wisconsin - Madison
<a href="#">ENC17-157</a>	Promoting grazing as a sustainable farming method to agency staff in Wisconsin	\$74,610	Jill Hapner GrassWorks, Inc.
<a href="#">ENC17-162</a>	Enhancing the Quality of Work-based Beginning Farmer Training Programs Through Trainer Professional Development	\$74,107	Laura Paine Dairy Grazing Apprenticeship
<a href="#">ENC17-163</a>	Sustainable Agronomy	\$68,970	Luther Smith American Society of Agronomy
<a href="#">ENC15-148</a>	Sharing Soil Health Knowledge and Practice through Grazing Networks	\$74,363	Jill Hapner GrassWorks, Inc.

<a href="#">ENC15-149</a>	Mainstreaming Cover Crops: Training Opportunities for Crop Consultants and Extension Educators	\$74,994	Luther Smith American Society of Agronomy
<a href="#">ENC15-150</a>	Increasing the Capacity of Agency Staff and Agricultural Professionals to Increase Farmer Adoption of Cover Crops in Wisconsin	\$74,602	Dr. James Stute Michael Fields Agricultural Institute
<a href="#">ENC12-128</a>	Sustainable Agricultural Workshop Series for Tribal Educators	\$75,000	Dan Cornelius Intertribal Agriculture Council
<a href="#">ENC10-119</a>	Making pasture walks more than just a walk in the pasture	\$72,060	juli speck DATCP Laura Paine Dairy Grazing Apprenticeship
<a href="#">ENC09-111</a>	Pollinator Conservation Training	\$72,168	Eric Mader The Xerces Society
<a href="#">ENC07-098</a>	Greenhouse Energy Conservation Strategies and Alternative Fuels	\$33,432	Scott Sanford, Scott Sanford University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">ENC07-100</a>	Biofuels and community participation: Engaging process in the emerging bioeconomy	\$22,709	Dr. Sharon Lezberg Environmental Resources Center
<a href="#">EW05-00G</a>	Elevating Examples of Excellence: A professional development and outreach model	\$5,000	Jeanne Merrill Michael Fields Agricultural Institute
<a href="#">ENC05-087</a>	Building a Diverse Food Web: Professional Development Training in Sustainable Community Food Systems with a focus on Appropriate Technologies for Socially Disadvantaged Farmers and Small Scale producers in Rural and Urban Communities	\$75,000	Will Allen Growing Power, Inc.
<a href="#">ENC04-078</a>	Wisconsin's Eco-apple Sustainable Apple Production, Education & Outreach: Bridging the Gap	\$14,877	Michelle Miller University of WI - CIAS
<a href="#">ENC03-071</a>	Building with Community: Professional Development Training in Sustainable Food Systems	\$90,000	Will Allen Growing Power, Inc.
<a href="#">ENC02-066</a>	Organic Farming Education for Agricultural Professionals	\$88,170	Faye Jones Midwest Organic and Sustainable Education Service
<a href="#">ENC01-058</a>	Crossroads Center – Partners in “Value-Added” Entrepreneurship	\$44,900	Karla Miller West CAP
<a href="#">ENC01-057</a>	Training Tomorrow's Trainers – A Conference for Students of Sustainable Agriculture	\$52,928	Chad Kruger Consortium for Sustainable Agriculture Research &
<a href="#">ENC98-036.1</a>	Educate the Agricultural Educators and Bankers on Profitability, Lifestyle and Environmental Benefits of MIG for the Livestock Farmers of Central Wisconsin	\$12,500	Paul Daigle Central Wisconsin River Graziers Network



<a href="#">ENC97-025</a>	Grazing Education for Educators and Bankers	\$12,500	Paul Daigle Central Wisconsin River Graziers Network
<a href="#">ENC97-023</a>	Advanced Organic and Biodynamic Vegetable Production Workshop	\$32,675	Gail Kahovic Michael Fields Agricultural Institute
<a href="#">ENC96-018</a>	Organic Production and Marketing Curriculum for Extension Professional Development (Merits and Adoptability of Organic Agriculture)	\$76,120	Jim Arts Cooperative Development Services Fund
<a href="#">ENC95-008</a>	Quality of Life Module for Extension Professional Development	\$38,580	Elizabeth Bird Consortium for Sustainable Agriculture Research and Education (CSARE)

#### FARMER/RANCHER GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
<a href="#">FNC18-1112</a>	Pasture versus invasives: competing in newly-disturbed soil under a newly-opened canopy transitioning to silvopasture	\$5,350	Jess Bernstein Yet to be Named Community Farm
<a href="#">FNC18-1121</a>	Expanding the Understanding and Adoption of Composting Bedded Pack Manure to Reduce Manure Applications on Frozen and Snow Covered Fields around the Yahara Watershed	\$22,500	Jeff Endres
<a href="#">FNC18-1126</a>	Viability of Using Freeze Dried Herbs to Improve the Quality and Performance of Value-Added Herbal Products	\$6,929	Sheri Howard
<a href="#">FNC18-1128</a>	Comparison of Methods for Growing Potatoes on Market Farms	\$13,242	Scott Johnson Low Technology Institute
<a href="#">FNC18-1130</a>	Increasing Value-added Product Sales through Cottage Food Bakery Products Produced in Home Kitchens	\$22,333	Lisa Kivirist
<a href="#">FNC18-1132</a>	Developing a "Cold Banking" system for perch which would provide an available supply of fish for indoor grow-out facilities throughout winter.	\$22,404	Brad LaFave
<a href="#">FNC18-1136</a>	Organic Methods to Promote Branching in Nursery Apple	\$6,979	Christopher McGuire Two Onion Farm
<a href="#">FNC18-1140</a>	Rotation of Animals Through an Apple Orchard For Pest and Disease Suppression, Soil Improvement, and the Addition of Viable Revenue Streams	\$7,303	Lisa Rettinger
<a href="#">FNC17-1105</a>	Increasing Farm Income and Diversification By Converting Abandoned Manure Pits Into Aquaculture Production Facilities	\$20,406	William West Blue Iris Fish Farm
<a href="#">FNC17-1070</a>	Cultivating the Wine Cap Mushroom While Building Soil Health and Suppressing Plant Disease – an Innovative and Economical Approach to Two Common Agricultural Problems	\$7,500	Lindsey Bender Field & Forest Products

<a href="#">FNC17-1109</a>	Topographical Contour Measurement and Water Management Earthworks for Ecologically Restorative Edible Silvopasture Planting	\$7,403	Jess Bernstein Yet to be Named Community Farm
<a href="#">FNC17-1072</a>	Evaluating Management Systems and Exploring Marketing Outlets for Guinea Fowl as a Healthier Alternative to Chicken and Duck Meat and Eggs	\$7,476	MrNicholas Bryant Bryant Family Farms LLC
<a href="#">FNC17-1084</a>	Using USDA Local Foodsystems Toolkit to Assess and Implement the Best Cooperative Direct Marketing for an Existing Local Food Group to Increase Local Sales	\$21,850	Annelie Livingston-Anderson Good Turn Farm
<a href="#">FNC17-1091</a>	Local Linen: Exploring the Feasibility of Small-scale Mechanized Processing of Fiber Flax for Linen Production in Minnesota and Wisconsin	\$14,587	Andrea Myklebust Black Cat Farmstead Robbi Bannen A to Z Produce and Bakery
<a href="#">FNC17-1094</a>	Developing a Woman Farmer Butchering and Meat Processing Cooperative plan for Southern Wisconsin	\$20,175	April Prusia Dorothy's Range LLC
<a href="#">FNC17-1096</a>	Growing Grasses and Legumes under Spruce/White Pine for Grazing Cows in a Silvopasture Setting	\$7,500	Steve Rosenow Rosenow Farm
<a href="#">FNC17-1097</a>	Grain Free Pasture Egg Production	\$6,500	Charles Self, Chaz Grassway Organics
<a href="#">FNC16-1035</a>	Investigating the Relative Effectiveness of Seedlings versus Direct Seeding Pumpkins for Earliest and Biggest Yield on a Community Farm	\$7,500	Dr.Katie Hancock Cable Community Farm
<a href="#">FNC16-1046</a>	Traditional Fertilizer, Modern Applications for Iroquois White Corn	\$17,637	Laura Manthe Standing Stone Farm
<a href="#">FNC16-1052</a>	Enhancing Economic Stability by Building Financial Resilience: A Model for Collaborative Learning Among Beginning Farmers in Southwest Wisconsin	\$18,410	Marie Raboin Brix Cider Company
<a href="#">FNC16-1053</a>	Apples for Artisanal Cider: Understanding the Characteristics of Single Varietals	\$7,500	Matthew Raboin Brix Cider LLC
<a href="#">FNC16-1064</a>	Developing a Self Funded Aquaculture Program for High Schools	\$20,315	William West Blue Iris Fish Farm
<a href="#">FNC16-1034</a>	Remodel Operating Cold Water Trout Farm into Combination Cold Water/Cool Water Fish Farm, While Diversifying Production and Maintaining a Reduced Ecological and Energy Footprint	\$15,000	Michael Foster Wilderness Springs
<a href="#">FNC15-998</a>	Increasing Value-Added Product Sales through Improved Labeling & Packaging	\$5,371	Lisa Kivirist Midwest Organic and Sustainable Education Service (MOSES)
<a href="#">FNC15-1004</a>	Commercial Sustainable Micro-green Production in a Northern Climate	\$7,500	Janet Marsh Morning Sun Farms



<a href="#">FNC15-1021</a>	Comparison of Shiitake yield on Red Maple ( <i>Acer rubrum</i> ) on timing of cut and rate of wood moisture loss prior to inoculation	\$14,791	Ingrid West Misty Dawn Farm
<a href="#">FNC15-986</a>	Immigrant Farmer High Tunnel Project	\$20,999	Robin Major Shared Ground Farmers' Cooperative
<a href="#">FNC15-989</a>	Vacant lots to Abundant Farms: Water collecting, composting, and seed saving to turn vacant lots into self-sustaining community gardens and businesses.	\$7,129	Lucas Dixon The Good Stuff Gardens
<a href="#">FNC15-991</a>	Evaluating the Environmental Benefits and Economic Opportunities of In-Vessel Composting Solid Dairy Manure	\$22,500	Andrew R. Skwor, PE, CPESC MSA Professional Services, Inc.
<a href="#">FNC15-992</a>	Rushing Waters Aquaponics Feasibility Study	\$15,000	Jeremiah Robinson Frosty Fish
<a href="#">FNC14-968</a>	Determine the Feasibility of Growing and Processing Organic Grains for the Needy of the Dane County, Wisconsin Area	\$7,460	Thomas Parslow Madison Area Food Pantry Gardens
<a href="#">FNC14-979</a>	Evaluation of Oilseed Radish Biomass Management As A Control Strategy For Pests In No-Till Corn	\$7,354	James Stute Stute Farm
<a href="#">FNC14-949</a>	Leveraging the Power of Social Media and Mobile Point of Sales Systems at the Oshkosh Farmers Market	\$7,154	Elise Hallock CiderHill Farm LLC
<a href="#">FNC14-953</a>	Constructing a Goat Proof Natural Hedge Fence	\$1,370	Christine Kocourek Floppy Ear Farm, LLC
<a href="#">FNC14-955</a>	Increase Sustainability on Fish Farms with the Development of Value Added Products from Fish and Fish Waste	\$13,746	Roy Landskron Bluegill Heaven Jerome Peplinski Peplinski Aquaculture
<a href="#">FNC14-966</a>	Portable Cold-weather Goat Shelter Development and Testing	\$7,494	Cherrie Nolden 1dr Acres Farm
<a href="#">FNC13-900</a>	Quality Conventional and Organic Malting Barley Production in Wisconsin	\$21,996	Joe Bragger Bragger Family Dairy
<a href="#">FNC13-919</a>	Keeping Traditions Alive: Creating Food Security in Northwest Wisconsin's Tribal Communities	\$21,551	Amber Marlow Lac Courte Oreilles Ojibwa Community College
<a href="#">FNC13-922</a>	Home Heating with Horse Manure	\$2,219	Eric Meulemans Rigantona Fields
<a href="#">FNC13-932</a>	Reducing cold-climate grape establishment costs through the development of a grape propagation system	\$7,500	Matthew Skaletski Holy Grail Vineyard

<a href="#">FNC12-854</a>	Economic Comparison of Mechanical and Hand Pruning of Northern Cold Climate Grape Hybrids in Small Wisconsin Vineyards	\$21,968	David Danzinger Danzinger Vineyards
<a href="#">FNC12-857</a>	Developing Round Bale Systems to Mulch Vegetable Transplants with Switch Grass	\$6,854	Tony Ends Scotch Hill Farm
<a href="#">FNC12-864</a>	Direct Marketing Non-Traditional Perennial Berry Varieties: Expanding Eater Preferences and Grower Connections	\$17,530	Clare Hintz Elsewhere Farm
<a href="#">FNC12-872</a>	Remote Monitoring of Beehives to Improve Management and Reduce Travel Costs	\$6,400	Matthew LaForge Golden Hills, LLC
<a href="#">FNC12-879</a>	Maypops, a New Fruit Crop in Wisconsin	\$7,246	Christopher McGuire Two Onion Farm
<a href="#">FNC12-881</a>	Feasibility of Growing Green Fodder in a Portable Greenhouse for Sheep	\$15,000	Judith Moses Producer
<a href="#">FNC12-885</a>	Ecological Forestry Alternatives to Clearcutting in Aspen Forests	\$22,141	Charly Ray Northern Ecosystem Services
<a href="#">FNC12-889</a>	Summer on the Farm	\$4,439	Ana Skemp Deep Roots Community Farm
<a href="#">FNC10-801</a>	The Wisconsin Hops Harvest Partnership: Demonstrating the feasibility of using small-scale, cooperative harvesting systems to enable sustainable commercial hops production in Wisconsin	\$11,784	Kory Stalsberg Hide-Away Hops Farm
<a href="#">FNC10-823</a>	Evaluating 2nd Generation Hybrid Hazelnuts Through On-Farm Production Trials	\$15,392	Harold Vanselow Chequamegon Food Coop
<a href="#">FNC10-824</a>	The Coney Garth: Effective Management of Rabbit Breeding Does on Pasture	\$6,000	Julie Engel n/a
<a href="#">FNC09-748</a>	Fostering Local Sustainability: Establishing Commercial Hops for Upper-Midwest Craft Brewers	\$5,992.87	Matt Sweeny
<a href="#">FNC09-763</a>	Filling the Niche and Closing the Loop: Developing a Wildflower Nursery for the Restoration Market Using Forest Biomass By-Products as the Garden Foundation	\$5,429.50	Cindy Ramseyer
<a href="#">FNC09-768</a>	Thewis Ridge Currant Company, LLC – Interaction Between Yields and Mulch	\$6,000	Ann Thewis
<a href="#">FNC09-770</a>	Ancient Grains Step into the Future	\$18,000	Maurice Smith

<a href="#">FNC09-771</a>	Alternative Broiler Breeds in Three Different pastured Poultry Systems	\$17,938	Kim Cassano
<a href="#">FNC08-712</a>	Developing Harvest Task Checklists to Assist Farmers in Managing Harvest Crews	\$4,108.79	Claire Strader Troy Community Farm
<a href="#">FNC08-718</a>	Assessing the Sustainability of Growing Non-traditional Fruit Tree Crops in the Upper Midwest: A collaborative agro-forestry approach	\$6,000	Erin Schneider Hilltop Community Farm LLC
<a href="#">FNC08-721</a>	Re-establishing the Jerusalem Artichoke, a native plant of North America	\$3,736.85	Yvonne Massey Goats and Gardens Farm
<a href="#">FNC08-729</a>	Perfecting the day-range pastured-poultry system through on-farm replicated feeding trials	\$6,208.60	Melissa Fischbach Pasture Perfect, LLC
<a href="#">FNC08-731</a>	Study to Reduce Parasitic Infestations of Yellow Perch in Flow-Through Outdoor Growout Systems	\$6,000	William West Blue Iris Fish Farm
<a href="#">FNC08-737</a>	Eliminating Invasive Buckthorn With Goats, An Ecological and Habitat Restoration Study	\$1,873	Kim Hunter
<a href="#">FNC08-706</a>	Optimization of corn production following legume green manures	\$5,246	James Stute Stute Farm
<a href="#">FNC08-739</a>	Seed Salad Mix for Planned Paddock Renovation	\$1,064	Gene Schriefer
<a href="#">FNC08-710</a>	Low input pasture renovation through multi species intensive grazing	\$5,431	Jane Hansen
<a href="#">FNC08-742</a>	Comparing Prairie Grass & Small Grain Straw for Mulching Vegetable Crops	\$2,107.57	Tony Ends Scotch Hill Farm
<a href="#">FNC07-674</a>	It takes a Village to Grow An Eco-Apple: A Program for the Targeted and Neighborly Removal of Abandoned Apple Orchards in the Fruit Growing Region of Bayfield County, WI.	\$12,890	Eric Carlson Blue Vista Farm
<a href="#">FNC07-681</a>	The Viability of Growing Organic Medicinal Herbs as Alternative Cash Crops for Wisconsin Farmers	\$5,747	Brian Fontaine
<a href="#">FNC07-691</a>	Slowing the Flow: A Research Trial to Evaluate the Use of Winter Rye as a Cover Crop, Green Chop Forage, and Nurse Crop in the Lake Superior Watershed of Wisconsin.	\$5,321.20	Jerry Richardson
<a href="#">FNC07-697</a>	Small Scale On-Farm Biodiesel Production Utilizing By-Product as On-Farm Feed Supply	\$10,410	Chris Ellis
<a href="#">FNC06-626</a>	Evaluation of Annual Legumes as	\$4,793	James Stute

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	Alternatives to Red Clover for Use as Cover Crops		
<a href="#">FNC06-633</a>	Evaluating the Effectiveness of Meeting Seasonal Labor Demands by Integrating a Farm Internship Program	\$5,905	Heather Smith
<a href="#">FNC05-567</a>	Flame Cultivation on Row Crops	\$4,877	Daniel Roberts
<a href="#">FNC05-584</a>	Design and Pilot a State Approved Mobile Slaughter Trailer for Halal Custom Slaughter	\$17,655	Larry Jacoby
<a href="#">FNC05-585</a>	Comparison Study of the Supplementation of Meat Kids on Managed Pasture	\$5,924	Judith Moses Producer
<a href="#">FNC04-531</a>	Developing the Upper Mississippi River Valley's Untapped Resource- Organic Maple Syrup	\$13,800	Eric Meyer Organic Maple Cooperative
<a href="#">FNC04-535</a>	Establishing a Wisconsin Hatchery to Produce and Sell Organically Raised Pastured Poultry Chicks	\$5,980	Julia Maro
<a href="#">FNC04-541</a>	The Bad River Orchard Project	\$3,302	Rebecca Lemieux
<a href="#">FNC03-493</a>	Promote Sustainable Forestry	\$9,994	Charly Ray Northern Ecosystem Services
<a href="#">FNC03-495</a>	Establishing a Wisconsin Hatchery to Produce and Sell Organically Raised Pastured Poultry Chicks	\$5,981	Julia Maro
<a href="#">FNC03-451</a>	Renovating Pastures with Outwintering and Fallowing	\$8,488	Bert Paris
<a href="#">FNC03-467</a>	Microbial Inoculant Treatments as an Alternative Spray for Disease Control that Reduces the Toxicity and Use of Copper in Organic and Sustainable Viticulture	\$17,102	Patricia Iubelt Maple Ridge Vineyards
<a href="#">FNC03-485</a>	Northern Meadows Cheese Quality Improvement	\$13,960	Valerie Adamski
<a href="#">FNC03-491</a>	Marketing to Culturally Diverse Families and Communities	\$17,390	Larry Jacoby
<a href="#">FNC02-387</a>	The Use of Movable High Tunnels in the Organic Production of Strawberries, Potatoes, and Raspberries	\$5,644	Daniel Mielke
<a href="#">FNC02-393</a>	Promotion of Year Round Products and Winter Market	\$17,900	Beth Rogers
<a href="#">FNC02-421</a>	Late Hive Splits As A Way of Saving	\$2,330	Walter Diehnelt

	Money and Improving The Stock of Bees in the North Central Region		
<a href="#">FNC01-386</a>	Nutrient Testing – Pasture Based Dairy Products	\$15,000	Valerie Dantoin
<a href="#">FNC01-359</a>	Farm City Market Basket (FCMB)	\$5,000	Will Allen Growing Power, Inc.
<a href="#">FNC01-361</a>	Sustainable Dairy Operation Phase 1: Convert to Grazing	\$15,000	Mark McDonald
<a href="#">FNC01-366</a>	Winter Grazing of Ewes on Inter-Seeded Forage Corn and Kale	\$1,600	Eugene Schriefer, Jr
<a href="#">FNC00-302</a>	Conversion from Conventional to Intensive Rotational Grazing Dairy	\$5,000	Edward Pattison
<a href="#">FNC00-313</a>	WatersMeet Eco* Farm	\$4,072	Jane Krogstad
<a href="#">FNC99-266</a>	Sustainable Apple Production System	\$4,109	Eric Carlson Blue Vista Farm
<a href="#">FNC99-278</a>	Creating Producer-controlled and Consumer-oriented Dairy Markets in Southern Wisconsin	\$14,377	John Kinsman
<a href="#">FNC98-209</a>	Enhancing Native Bee Populations for Pollination	\$4,700	John Cuddy
<a href="#">FNC98-228</a>	Quantifying Seasonal Nutritional Quality Changes in Managed Pastures	\$5,000	Greg Williamson
<a href="#">FNC98-243</a>	Weed and Feed: Vegetable Transplants with Corn Gluten Meal	\$4,866	Renee Randall
<a href="#">FNC97-163</a>	Composting for Disease Suppression	\$4,610	Richard De Wilde
<a href="#">FNC97-192</a>	Cooperative Marketing of Sheep Milk	\$10,000	Jeff Foster
<a href="#">FNC97-193</a>	Replacing Chemical Weed Control with Mulch in Commerical Blueberries	\$4,980	John Cuddy
<a href="#">FNC96-149</a>	Northwood Farm Sustainably Raised Beef	\$5,000	James Goodman
<a href="#">FNC96-150</a>	Life After CRP: Conservation and Economic Benefits of Improved	\$4,100	Kim Cates

	Grassland Cover Using Management Intensive Grazing in Wisconsin		
<a href="#">FNC96-154</a>	An Analysis of Producing and Direct Marketing Pasture-finished Beef	\$5,912	Thomas Wrchota Cattleana Ranch
<a href="#">FNC96-159</a>	Exploring a Low-input Alternative for Watering Ewes in the Winter	\$3,195	Bryan Fykson
<a href="#">FNC96-162</a>	Sustainable Mushroom Cultivation in the North for Disabled Growers	\$4,055	Mitchell Huebner
<a href="#">FNC95-097</a>	Lane Construction and Pasture Renovation	\$4,005	Myron Herek
<a href="#">FNC95-101</a>	Rotational Grazing Management Internships	\$5,000	Dan Forsythe
<a href="#">FNC95-121</a>	Orchard Mason Bees: Collection and Use in Southwest Wisconsin	\$2,545	Ryan Wilson
<a href="#">FNC94-075</a>	Sustainable Organic Apple Production	\$4,790	Eric Carlson Blue Vista Farm
<a href="#">FNC94-076</a>	Low-Input Portable Sheep Dairying	\$5,000	Judith Moses Producer
<a href="#">FNC93-046</a>	Producing and Processing Sweet Sorghum in the Upper Midwest	\$1,700	Richard Wittgreve
<a href="#">FNC93-054</a>	Evaluating Different Forages in a Rotational Grazing System	\$3,099	Kevin Kirker
<a href="#">FNC93-055</a>	Evaluating Various Forage Combinations in a Rotational Grazing System	\$2,850	Myron Herek
<a href="#">FNC93-040</a>	Developing Dairy Heifers on Pasture	\$4,985	Thomas Wrchota Cattleana Ranch
<a href="#">FNC93-044</a>	Quality of Life Study: Comparing Conventional and Rotational Grazing Dairy Systems	\$3,600	Ed Jeanquart
<a href="#">FNC92-006</a>	Evaluation of Various New Zealand Forages in Sheep Production	\$1,085	David Sowatzke
<a href="#">FNC92-010</a>	Evaluation of Forages in Rotational Grazing System for Dairy	\$2,311	William Andres
<a href="#">FNC92-015</a>	Using Poultry and New Scouting Techniques to Control Plum Curculio	\$4,700	Michael Bedessem Turkey Ridge Orchard



<a href="#">FNC92-018</a>	Quality of Life: Comparisons in Various Dairy Operations	\$5,000	Ed Jeanquart
<a href="#">FNC92-019</a>	Evaluating Rotational Grazing in the Development of Replacement Dairy Heifers	\$2,300	Kevin Kirker

### GRADUATE STUDENT GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
<a href="#">GNC18-265</a>	Impact of Mulches on Management of Spotted Wing Drosophila, Fruit Yield and Quality	\$11,987	Dr.Christelle Guédot University of Wisconsin Hanna McIntosh University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC17-239</a>	Effect of landscape on migration of Japanese beetle into vineyards across Southern Wisconsin	\$11,919	Dr.Christelle Guédot University of Wisconsin Jacob Henden
<a href="#">GNC17-243</a>	Understanding irrigation technologies and grower decision-making in the Wisconsin Central Sands	\$11,882	Dr.Christopher Kucharik University of Wisconsin-Madison Elizabeth McNamee
<a href="#">GNC17-249</a>	The Effect of Best Management Practices on Soil Health in Wisconsin: A Comparison of Soil Biological Measurements Using Long-Term Trials	\$11,906	Dr.Matthew Ruark University of Wisconsin- Madison Greg Richardson
<a href="#">GNC16-228</a>	Facilitating Grazing Partnerships on Wisconsin's Public Grasslands: Assessing Plant Communities and Developing Best Practices	\$9,607	Randall Jackson University of Wisconsin-Madison Greta Landis University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC15-206</a>	Climate Resilient Forages for the Upper Midwest	\$9,998	Dr.Daniel Schaefer University of Wisconsin-Madison Christine Nieman University of Wisconsin Madison
<a href="#">GNC15-209</a>	Beef Producer Demand for Grazing Public Land: Opportunities and Constraints	\$9,997	Mark Rickenbach Courtney Robinson UW-Madison
<a href="#">GNC15-210</a>	Disease Susceptibility in Cold- Climate Grape Cultivars of the North Central Region	\$9,836	Patricia McManus UW Madison David Jones University of Wisconsin Madison
<a href="#">GNC14-197</a>	Linking Nutrient Transport to Soil Physical Processes During Freeze/Thaw Events to Promote Wintertime Manure Management, Nutrient Use Efficiency, and Surface Water Quality	\$9,992	Dr.Francisco Arriaga University of Wisconsin - Madison Melanie Stock Department of Soil Science, UW-Madison
<a href="#">GNC13-174</a>	Using Wild Relatives of Potato to Illustrate Genetic Control Against the Pathogenic Bacteria Pectobacterium carotovorum	\$9,841	Dr.Amy Charkowski University of Wisconsin-Madison Jenna Lind University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC13-175</a>	Diversity Prospecting for an Open Source Plant Breeding Framework	\$9,945	Irwin Goldman University of Wisconsin- Madison Claire Luby University of Wisconsin- Madison
<a href="#">GNC13-178</a>	Impacts of Crop Management and Climate Change on Hydrology Across the Wisconsin Central Sands	\$9,999	Dr.George Kraft University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point Dr.Christopher Kucharik

			University of Wisconsin-Madison Mallika Nocco University of Wisconsin
<a href="#">GNC13-179</a>	Improving Soil Health Through Cover Crop Based No-Till Organic Vegetable Production	\$9,997	Dr.Erin Silva University of Wisconsin-Madison Anne Pfeiffer UW-Madison
<a href="#">GNC13-167</a>	Beyond Economic Thresholds: Incorporating Proactive Pest Management Strategies in Alfalfa Pest Management Programs for Potato Leafhopper	\$8,509	Dr.Carrie Laboski University of Wisconsin Soil Science Dan Undersander University of Wisconsin-Madison Dr.Eileen Cullen UW-Madison Dept. of Entomology Elissa Chasen Entomology Dept. University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC13-168</a>	Nitrogen and Soil Quality Benefits of Radish as a Cover Crop	\$9,484	Richard Proost UW Madison Dr.Matthew Ruark University of Wisconsin- Madison Megan Chawner University of Wisconsin- Madison
<a href="#">GNC13-172</a>	Use of Watershed Modeling to Target Management Practices in an Agricultural Watershed	\$9,864	Dr.K. G. Karthikeyan UW-Madison Dr.Anita Thompson UW-Madison Jasmeet Lamba Biological Systems Engineering Department, UW - Madison
<a href="#">GNC12-149</a>	Integrated Livestock Production and Conservation: Managed Goat Grazing in Open Oak Systems	\$9,973	John Harrington University of Wisconsin-Madison Katherine Baumann University of Wisconsin - Madison
<a href="#">GNC12-157</a>	Evaluating the Effectiveness of Non-chemical Management Methods for Reducing Losses in Pasture Forage Quality, Quantity, and Utilization from Canada Thistle	\$9,984	Mark Renz University of Wisconsin Anders Gurda University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC10-126</a>	Buckwheat Cover Crops on Wisconsin Vegetable Farms: Grower Perspective, Genetic Variation, and a Weed Suppression Study Using Tartary Buckwheat	\$9,126	Dr.Joshua Posner Agronomy Department, University of Wisconsin Mary Saunders UW Madison
<a href="#">GNC10-128</a>	Corn silage Production with Kura Clover Living Mulch and Winter Rye Cover Crop; Soil Erosion, Nutrient Runoff, and Soil Physical Properties	\$9,992	Ken Albrecht University of Wisconsin-Madison Arthur Schwab Univ of WI - Dept of Agronomy
<a href="#">GNC10-142</a>	Can Wild Bees Meet Pollination Needs in Apples?: Determining the Efficacy of Native Bees and Their Contribution to Pollination	\$9,850	Claudio Gratton University of Wisconsin, Dept. Entomology Rachel Mallinger University of Wisconsin Madison
<a href="#">GNC10-120</a>	On-farm conservation of native bees: Understanding the barriers to implementation and assessing viability in WI cranberry	\$9,970	Claudio Gratton University of Wisconsin, Dept. Entomology Hannah Gaines University of Wisconsin
<a href="#">GNC10-121</a>	Improved Scouting Procedures and Deployment of Physical Control Tactics	\$9,742	Russ Groves UW-Madison

	for Colorado Potato Beetle ( <i>Leptinotarsa decemlineata</i> , Say) in Wisconsin Potato Production		Anders Huseth UW-Madison
<a href="#">GNC09-110</a>	Relationship between organic fertility management, plant nutrition, and insect response	\$9,842	Dr.Eileen Cullen UW-Madison Dept. of Entomology Robin Mittenthal UW Madison Dept. of Entomology
<a href="#">GNC09-114</a>	Benefits of increasing grazing height on weed suppression in grass based grazing systems	\$9,199	Mark Renz University of Wisconsin Marie Schmidt UW-Madison
<a href="#">GNC08-091</a>	Epidemiology of the aster yellows phytoplasma: the influence of non-crop hosts on geographic distribution and movement of the pathogen	\$9,873	Russ Groves UW-Madison Kenneth Frost University of Wisconsin-Madison, Dept. of Plant Pathology
<a href="#">GNC07-077</a>	Does a C3-C4 forage mix simultaneously improve forage production and carbon sequestration?	\$9,911	Randall Jackson University of Wisconsin-Madison Herika Kummel UW-Madison
<a href="#">GNC07-079</a>	Effects of two Conservation Reserve Program Prairie Restorations on Soil Microbial Communities	\$9,800	Teri Balsler UW-Madison Laura Lipps University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC07-081</a>	Assessment of pasture management practices on microbial biomass, composition, and functional diversity	\$9,924	Randall Jackson University of Wisconsin-Madison Lawrence Oates University of Wisconsin - Madison
<a href="#">GNC07-076</a>	Burning and grazing cool-season grasslands to promote native grass recruitment for agronomic, ecological, and social benefits	\$9,972	Randall Jackson University of Wisconsin-Madison Emma Bouressa University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC06-068</a>	Meeting the Expectations of People and the Land: Enacting Sustainable Agriculture	\$9,998.70	Michael Bell Dept. of Community and Environmental Sociology, U. of Wisconsin-Madison Sarah Lloyd Department of Rural Sociology
<a href="#">GNC05-043</a>	Marker-Assisted Selection of late blight ( <i>Phytophthora infestans</i> ) resistant potatoes ( <i>Solanum tuberosum</i> )	\$10,000	Jiming Jiang University of Wisconsin - Madison Lara Colton University of Wisconsin - Madison
<a href="#">GNC05-051</a>	Effect of Supplementation and Lactation Stage on Performance of Grazing Dairy Ewes	\$9,951	David Thomas University of Wisconsin-Madison Claire Mikolayunas University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC04-032</a>	Sustainable Plant Breeding :A Participatory Methodology for CSA's and Fresh Market Vegetable Producers in South Central WI	\$9,969	Brent McCown University of Wisconsin, Madison Katrina Becker Center for Integrated Agricultural Systems
<a href="#">GNC04-033</a>	Working towards a sustainable agriculture: Landscape diversity, beneficial insects and pest suppression	\$8,202	Claudio Gratton University of Wisconsin, Dept. Entomology Benjamin Werling University of Wisconsin, Dept. Entomology
<a href="#">GNC04-038</a>	Characterization of Nitrogen Cycling in Cultivated Cranberry Beds to Improve	\$6,815	Kevin Kosola University of Wisconsin-Madison

	Efficiency and Sustainability of Fertilizer Application		Sarah Stackpoole University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC04-039</a>	Honoring the Third Fire: Investigating Claims to Ownership of Seeds as Reproducible Property	\$9,739	Michael Bell Dept. of Community and Environmental Sociology, U. of Wisconsin-Madison Kaelyn Stiles University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC04-026</a>	Incorporating native grasses for conservation into pastures of the Upper Midwest: Assessing farmer attitudes	\$9,570	Randall Jackson University of Wisconsin-Madison Julie Woodis nee Doll University of Wisconsin-Madison
<a href="#">GNC04-027</a>	Socioeconomic Analysis of Organic, Grass-Based & Conventional Dairy Farmers in Wisconsin with Case Study in Amish Stewardship Practices in the Kickapoo Valley	\$10,000	Bradford Barham University of Wisconsin-Madison Caroline Brock University of Wisconsin- Madison
<a href="#">GNC02-010</a>	Corn Production in a Living Mulch to Conserve Soil and Reduce Fertilizer Inputs in the Northern Corn Belt	\$10,000	Ken Albrecht University of Wisconsin-Madison Tessa Milofsky University of Wisconsin-Madison Agustina Sabalzaray University of Wisconsin-Madison

#### ON FARM RESEARCH/PARTNERSHIP GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
<a href="#">ONC18-039</a>	Extending the Season in Northern Wisconsin Through Processing Vegetable Production	\$29,891	Jason Fischbach Bayfield County UW-Extension
<a href="#">ONC18-046</a>	Using Living Aisles and No-Till Planting Strips to Mitigate the Impacts of Intense Rain Events on Organic Vegetable Farms	\$29,999	Claire Strader FairShare CSA Coalition
<a href="#">ONC18-049</a>	Agroforestry education using the collective experience of pioneer farmers	\$29,984	Dr. Kevin Wolz, PhD Savanna Institute
<a href="#">ONC18-050</a>	Growing for Tomorrow	\$29,655	Kellie Zahn
<a href="#">ONC17-034</a>	Do Cover Crops pay? Expanding a Learning Circle for Peer to Peer Cover Crop Promotion Using Economics as a Theme	\$29,355	Dr. James Stute Michael Fields Agricultural Institute
<a href="#">ONC17-024</a>	The Best of 'Farmer to Farmer' Podcast: Revisiting and Expanding Solutions for Market Farm Start-up, Scale-up, CSA Modeling, and Employee Management	\$28,973	Chris Blanchard Purple Pitchfork
<a href="#">ONC17-030</a>	Comparing Apples to Apples: Participatory Research for Artisanal Cider Producers	\$29,999	Michelle Miller University of WI - CIAS
<a href="#">ONC17-033</a>	Use of Tarps to Terminate High-Residue Winter-Hardy Cover Crops Before No-Till Organic Vegetables	\$29,998	Claire Strader Dane County UW Extension
<a href="#">ONC16-018</a>	Partnering to Refine Organic No-Till Production in Wisconsin	\$29,813	Dr. Erin Silva University of Wisconsin-Madison

<a href="#">ONC16-022</a>	Use of High-Residue, Winter-Killed Cover Crops in No-Till Organic Tomatoes	\$29,998	Claire Strader FairShare CSA Coalition
<a href="#">ONC15-006</a>	Enhancing Women Farmers' Understanding of Cover Crops	\$28,426	Lisa Kivirist Midwest Organic and Sustainable Education Service (MOSES) Jody Padgham Midwest Organic and Sustainable Education Service (MOSES)
<a href="#">ONC15-010</a>	Farmer-Led Research for Increased Cover Crop and No-Till Adoption in Northwest Wisconsin	\$25,000	Logan Ahlers UW - Madison Paul Kivlin
<a href="#">ONC15-011</a>	Cover Crops as Living Mulch under Organic Vegetables	\$29,997	Claire Strader FairShare CSA Coalition

### YOUTH EDUCATOR GRANTS

Project #	Project Title	SARE support	Project Leaders
<a href="#">YENC16-100</a>	Farmer in the Classroom: Introducing Elementary Students to Local Farmers and Sustainable Agricultural Practices	\$2,000	Ross Cohen REAP Food Group
<a href="#">YENC16-102</a>	Sustainable Beef, Sheep and Swine Production in WI-What is It? and Where Do We Find It?	\$1,796	Ms. Jessie Oberlin Jackson County, WI Livestock Education Committee
<a href="#">YENC16-106</a>	Grow Your Green	\$1,715	Kristel Renn STAR Credit Union
<a href="#">YENC15-087</a>	Sustainable Agriculture Summer Camp at Riveredge Nature Center	\$2,000	Sunny Knutson Riveredge Nature Center
<a href="#">YENC14-079</a>	Youth Beekeeping & Entrepreneurship – Building a National Model	\$2,000	Jennica Skoug Community GroundWorks
<a href="#">YENC13-064</a>	Engaging Student Learning in Agriculture	\$2,000	Amber Marlow Lac Courte Oreilles Ojibwa Community College
<a href="#">YENC12-040</a>	Women Farmers Supporting the Next Generation of Sustainability	\$2,000	Lisa Kivirist MOSES Rural Women's Project
<a href="#">YENC12-044</a>	Distribution of educational materials to schools visiting Sunrock Farm from Greater Cincinnati	\$1,940	Katherine Keller Sunrock Farm
<a href="#">YENC12-052</a>	Youth Beekeeping Pilot Program	\$2,000	Kate Sullivan Community GroundWorks
<a href="#">YENC10-024</a>	Aquaponics Farm-to-School Lunch Initiative	\$2,000	Steve Schauf
<a href="#">YENC10-030</a>	Sustainable Living: Going Off the Grid	\$1,962	Diana J. Woodworth Sheboygan Falls School District

<a href="#">YENC10-034</a>	Fieldhands and Foodways	\$2,000	Venice Williams Center for Resilient Cities
<a href="#">YENC09-015</a>	Sustainable Greenhouse Production Practices — Hydroponics, Aquaponics, and Growing Food Locally	\$1,986.47	Nathan Papendorf

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<a href="#">YNC10-053</a>	Aquaponics Farm to School Lunch Initiative	\$400	Jacob Toetz
<a href="#">YNC10-054</a>	Planting, Harvesting and Selling What I Grow	\$400	Caleb Richter
<a href="#">YNC10-057</a>	Sharing the Buzz: Beekeeping and the Plants That Attract Them – Teaching Other Kids About These Amazing Creatures	\$400	Thomas Bubenzer Sunflower Hill Farm
<a href="#">YNC10-063</a>	Growing a Local Business: One Tomato At a Time	\$400	Andrew Trilling
<a href="#">YNC08-003</a>	Youth Beekeeping at Troy Community Farm	\$366.36	Sierra Kay Powell

**PDP STATE PROGRAM GRANTS**

<b>Project #</b>	<b>Project Title</b>	<b>SARE support</b>	<b>Project Leaders</b>
<a href="#">NCWI17-001</a>	Wisconsin Annual State Report	\$110,000	Diane Mayerfeld University of Wisconsin Extension

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