More than $30,000,000.00 in GRANTS SO FAR
Grants awarded in 2019

Colorado Lamb, LLC - New Harvesting Plant in the Western United States

Sheep Venture Company - Commercialization of Research Lab

NLFA Leadership School – 2020 Howard Wyman Sheep Industry Leadership School

University of Wyoming - Investigating the main mastitis causing pathogens plaguing Western sheep flocks

University of Nebraska – Lincoln - A foundation for genomics: building a repository of genotypes in Rambouillet sheep
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Improve US Sheep Industry

Strengthen & Enhance

Production & Marketing
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Grants For:

- Research
- New Products
- Technologies
- Genetic Quality

- Knowledge
- Improve Efficiency
- Increase Profitability
- Seed Money
NSIIC Grants Awarded Since 2011

2019 - $412,000

2011 - $298,895
2013 - $237,222
2015 - $282,186
2017 - $159,000

2012 - $299,500
2014 - $180,502
2016 - $357,524
2018 - $180,137
Examples of projects funded
Lamb Feeders Leadership School
Wool Education and Research

National Sheep Improvement Program
Trace mineral concentrations in common Wyoming plants on sheep winter range

Improved effectiveness of targeted grazing
Sheep Shearer Equipment Awards

American Lamb Board

Juniper for Feed
Working Dog Liability Program

Huntington’s disease research

Startup Funding for the American Goat Federation
Fiber Quality Improvement

Livestock Guard Dogs for Predation Control
Certified Product Labeling

Small scouring train purchase

Carcass ultrasound training
Direct Marketing of Ram Lamb

Missouri Sheep and Goat Conference

Non-lethal tools to reduce depredation to sheep and goats
Genetic Selection Tools and Techniques to Benefit Texas Range Sheep Producers
THANK YOU

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