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FISCAL YEAR 2002 APPROPRIATIONS

Line Item Funding (Including outs distribution)

<u>Appropriation Unit/Line Item</u>	<u>Gross</u>
Michigan State Fair Operations	\$6,092,100
Fairs & Racing	606,400
Upper Peninsula State Fair	1,382,800
Building & Track Improvements-County & State Fairs	963,200
Premiums-County & State Fairs	1,614,000
Purses & Supplements-Fairs & Licensed Tracks	2,819,900
Standardbred Fedele Fauri Futurity	93,400
Standardbred Michigan Futurity	93,400
Standardbred Breeders' Awards	1,427,600
Standardbred Purses & Supplements-Licensed Tracks	319,800
Standardbred Training & Stabling	50,500
Thoroughbred Program	2,093,100
Thoroughbred Owners' Awards	180,100
Standardbred Sire Stakes Program	1,196,100
Thoroughbred Sire Stakes Program	1,196,100
Quarterhorse Programs	45,800
Licensed Tracks-Light Horse Racing	88,000
TOTAL	\$20,262,300

FISCAL YEAR 2003 APPROPRIATIONS

Line Item Funding (Including outs distribution)

<u>Appropriation Unit/Line Item</u>	<u>Gross</u>
Michigan State Fair Operations	\$5,110,200
Fairs & Racing	612,500
Upper Peninsula State Fair	1,124,400
Building & Track Improvements-County & State Fairs	963,200
Premiums-County & State Fairs	1,614,000
Purses & Supplements-Fairs & Licensed Tracks	2,969,000
Standardbred Fedele Fauri Futurity	98,400
Standardbred Michigan Futurity	98,400
Standardbred Breeders' Awards	1,503,200
Standardbred Purses & Supplements-Licensed Tracks	336,700
Standardbred Training & Stabling	53,200
Thoroughbred Program	2,203,900
Thoroughbred Owners' Awards	189,600
Standardbred Sire Stakes Program	1,259,400
Thoroughbred Sire Stakes Program	1,259,400
Quarterhorse Programs	48,300
Licensed Tracks-Light Horse Racing	93,500
TOTAL	\$19,537,300

STRATEGIC PLAN

Our Mission:

To enhance and promote the integrity of the Michigan agricultural industry through Michigan's fairs, festivals, and equine industry through education and incentive programs.

Our Vision:

To be innovative leaders and partners in providing key resources to Michigan's fairs, festivals and agricultural industries.

Our Goals:

- A. Work with the fair and festival industry to promote Michigan agriculture.
- B. Provide a safe, educational, culturally relevant and fun fair experience in Michigan.
- C. Preserve and promote Michigan's agricultural heritage.
- D. Work to implement key resources.
- E. Develop and/or evaluate programs for state fairs to enhance revenue to maintain facilities.

Action Steps:

A. Work with the fair and festival industry to promote Michigan agriculture.

- 1. Establish youth horse racing programs
 - a. Expand this to include eight fairs by the 2004 fair season
 - b. Establish sponsorship
- 2. Animal health programs
 - a. Review and update annual show standards
 - b. Review all annual health regulations for potential impact on the fair/show industry
- 3. Art at the fairs, with an agricultural focus
 - a. Promote agriculture awareness at the fairs through development of a premium program to showcase Michigan agriculture in artwork at the fairs.
 - b. Work with the Rural Arts Council to promote artist in residence programs and establish at least seven programs across the state.
- 4. Programs and Partnerships currently in place:
 - a. Livestock Grants
 - b. Commodity Group at the Michigan State Fair
 - c. Grants to Michigan Horse Shows

B. Provide a safe, educational, culturally relevant and fun fair experience at Michigan fairs and festivals.

1. Increase youth involvement
 - a. Conduct a series of focus groups with high school students across the state to determine youth outlook toward the agricultural fair. Work with the fair industry to determine market trends and needed program changes that will enhance youth participation. This will lead to a statewide increase in youth involvement.
2. Raise awareness regarding Michigan's programs for Quality Livestock Shows and Food Safety – this represents a partnership among the MDA Fairs, Exhibitions and Racing Division and the Food & Dairy Division and Michigan State University.
 - a. In order to raise awareness of county and state fairs, workshops and educational literature will be developed and provided. The goal is to increase the number of fairs participating in this program by 35 percent by the 2004 fair season. Progress will be tracked by recording the number of fairs requesting the kits, the samples that are taken and how many fairs address this program in their premium books.
3. Conduct water systems assessments
 - a. Work with the USDA and other state agencies to develop a plan to complete water assessments on fairgrounds under the direction of the fair board.
 - b. Present a workshop regarding water quality on festival/fairgrounds in 2004.
 - c. Work with four or five fairgrounds, who participated in the pilot study, to determine resources to correct concerns found during the assessment of their water system.
4. Promote youth involvement to new audiences by providing programs, information and materials.
 - a. Development of training

C. Preserve and promote Michigan's agricultural heritage.

1. Develop Central Fair Industry Archives
 - a. To be established at a county fair location.
 - b. Expand this concept so it includes the horse racing industry.
2. Assess the financial and structural health of the fair industry in the state.
3. Review the premium program to ensure funding is continuing to support agricultural based programs at the fairs.

STRATEGIC PLAN

D. Work to stabilize a funding base and to develop and implement key resources to support the fair and horse racing industries.

1. MAFE and MFEA
 - a. Continue to strengthen our partnership with both organizations by providing workshops and materials such as Train the Trainer sessions, board member training, management handbooks and assistance and outreach programs.
2. Sponsorship development
 - a. Increase sponsorship at fairs by 20 percent by training fair board members on how to acquire and retain different sponsors.
3. Sustain a solid funding base
 - a. For the next budget cycle, review the financial management of both state fairs and the horse racing industry, ensuring expenses are appropriate.
4. Review and update the regulations administered by the division.
5. Establish a second major event at the Upper Peninsula State Fairgrounds to increase revenue and assure a balanced budget annually. Work toward establishment of a reserve fund for the fair.
6. Programs and partnerships currently in place:
 - a. Horse purses/supplements
 - b. Breeder awards
 - c. Premium programs
 - d. Matching funds
 - e. Stabling & training funds
 - f. Regulations and drug testing for equine and exhibition

E. Develop and/or evaluate new and innovative programming.

1. Work with the fair industry to determine programs that will link technology and agriculture at the fairgrounds.
2. Establish and promote agriculture education through the development of programs that encourage secondary students to develop and implement programs designed to educate and entertain elementary students.

2002 & 2003 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

1. Fairs, Exhibitions and Racing Division (FERD)

- A. MDA partnered with the Michigan Thoroughbred Breeders & Owners Association to administer the thoroughbred owner awards programs. MDA also partnered with members from the Northern Fairs & Racing Association and the Michigan Fairs & Exhibitions Association to address county fair harness racing concerns. A new system is being developed replacing outdated technology.
- B. During 2002 & 2003, regulations monitored by FERD were legislatively opened and closed to make changes to comply with changing industry needs. Regulation 808, 812, 814 and 820 were each successfully restructured. Regulation 811 was opened in 2002, restructured and scheduled to be completed and implemented in 2004.
- C. FERD organized a "2002 Celebrity Horse Race," hosted in Big Rapids. The race was held in support of Michigan's fairs and agriculture. Participants included: State Representative Mike Pumford, MDA Director Dan Wyant, MDA Deputy Director Keith Creagh, MDA Agriculture Development Division Director Bob Craig and MDA FER Division Director Barb Hensinger.
- D. An equine drug detection crew was hired to assure the highest standards are followed at county fair harness racing and animal pulling events. FERD tested 13 pulls and 82 county fair horse races in 2002. In 2003, 13 pulls and 78 county fair horse races were tested.
- E. DNA samples from all the steers entered into the 2003 MSF Youth Market Class were collected at the time of tagging for the fair. Additional samples were collected from the Grand, Reserve and Grand Champion Pair at the fair to ensure correct animal identity.
- F. In both 2002 and 2003, FERD and Animal Industry Division personnel assisted the MSF livestock superintendents with animal health checks and records at the MSF.
- G. At the 2002 and 2003 MSF and UPSF, drug screening tests were conducted on the Grand, Reserve, Grand Champion Pair and Reserve Champion Pair in all youth market classes. No foreign substances were found in any of the samples.
- H. In Michigan, testing livestock market classes at the county level is a volunteer program. FERD highly encourages fairs to participate and provides free training/technical assistance. The cost for the initial laboratory analysis for each sample is \$35. Additional tests needed to identify a sample could cost up to \$200. In both 2002 and 2003, five fairs tested their youth market livestock.
- I. Thirty-one Livestock Exhibition Competitive Grants were awarded in 2002 and 30 in 2003, totaling \$120,000 each year. The program provides funding to increase the development and promotion of adult and youth involvement in the animal agriculture industry. In addition, a \$23,300 horse grant was given to the Michigan Great Lakes International Draft Horse Show in 2002.
- J. Nine fairs in 2002 and five in 2003 volunteered to take part in a water safety issues study at fairgrounds. Each fair was visited twice, once prior to the fair and again during the fair. FERD again led the task force consisting of personnel from MDA's Food & Dairy and Environmental Stewardship Divisions; the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality and local health departments. Evaluation of water quality included: water supply, distribution system, cross-connection control, abandoned wells, hand washing and drinking water, sewage collection/treatment, animal washing, manure management and chemical use/storage.

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- K. During the 2002 fair season, 10 fairs were awarded an expansion grant for premiums. Sixteen fairs were awarded in 2003. The grant allowed fairs to receive up to 50 percent of funding for increases in exhibitor numbers, new classes and premium increases.
- L. In 2002, a statewide "Diversity of Agriculture" fine arts contest was held representing the "Best of Show" from the 87 fairs throughout the state. Seven exhibits registered and four participated. Judging took place at the Michigan Association of Fairs & Exhibitions annual convention where two entries were awarded an overall "Best of Show," each receiving a \$400 premium.
- M. In 2002, FERD staff worked in partnership with the Michigan Association of Fairs and Exhibitions, the Michigan Festivals and Events Association and Michigan State University to design and present a variety of workshops to fair and festival management, staff and volunteers.
- N. FERD conducted a Michigan Teen Entertainment Survey at nine high schools in 2002. A total of 226 students were asked questions about the types of entertainment they found most interesting. Survey results were presented in conjunction with National Teen Marketing Information at the 2003 Michigan Association of Fairs and Exhibitions annual convention.
- O. FERD worked to promote the Michigan Youth Horse Racing Program at county fairs. Three county fairs hosted the program in 2002 with over 35 youth participating. In 2003, after the conclusion of the four county fair races, FERD coordinated a championship race at Mt. Pleasant Meadows, a premier pari-mutual race track in Michigan. Over 65 youth participated at the county level in 2003. More than 20 of 65 youth who participated in 2003 competed at the championship race.
- P. MDA hosted a meeting for managers of the horse racing fairs in December of 2002 to discuss issues dealing with horse racing at fairs. Among others, the following issues were discussed: grandstand and horseman attendance, track condition and the cost of maintaining it, racing dates, and judge quality and availability. Participants suggested MDA host this meeting on an annual basis.

2. 2002 Michigan State Fair (MSF)

The Michigan State Fair was held August 20 through September 2, 2002, for a total of 14 days. Paid attendance was 307,878, with an estimated overall attendance of 406,112.

A. Livestock Auction

- i. The 2002 MSF Youth Livestock auction grossed over \$154,750, and enlisted four new buyers. The Champion Steer sold for \$25,000, breaking the previous year's record sale price. Similarly, the Champion Lamb broke previous records by selling for \$15,000. The Champion Hog sold for \$21,000.
- ii. The Michigan Youth Livestock Scholarship Fund awarded six \$1,000 scholarships to youth exhibitors and 124 educational awards totaling \$21,000.
- iii. Employees of MDA were able to raise just over \$4,127 internally for the livestock auctions. Market steers at both the MSF and UPSF were purchased with this money in addition to a lamb at the MSF.

B. Agriculture Building

- i. The Fairs, Exhibition and Racing Division serves as superintendent of the MSF Agriculture Building. In '02, a patriotic theme was introduced and FERD staff supervised the placement of red, white and blue articles throughout the building on walls, tables and doorways.
- ii. Exhibitors from around the state added the finishing touches to the building with many fruit, vegetable, crop and educational exhibits.

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- iii. In 2002, MDA divisions worked together to coordinate a joint display. The department turned one corner of the building into a farm setting complete with a house, backyard, barn, animals and a field of crops. Volunteers from all MDA divisions worked collectively to staff the display, answering questions and assisting when needed. Each division offered their assistance to convey multiple important messages including:
 - a. Food Safety “Hot Spots” – proper food preparation and storage to prevent food borne illness
 - b. Agricultural Education – computer programs offered children interactive games expressing basic agricultural facts
 - c. Pest Management – identification and prevention information on key pests affecting Michigan
 - d. Animal Facts – animal cutouts provided the basis for children to interact with the game that identified which foods and products come from different animals
 - e. “From Field to Food” – living crops identified what it takes to get food from the field to a usable food product
- iv. The commodity groups were once again successful in providing visitors of the 2002 Michigan State Fair with fun and exciting ways to learn about Michigan’s tremendous agricultural diversity. With the addition of some key, innovative pieces, the commodity display was a big attraction in the Agriculture Building. Within the patriotic central area were youth tractor pulls, lighted kiosks, daily product sampling and educational materials.

3. 2003 Michigan State Fair

The 2003 Michigan State Fair was extended to include three weekends from August 15 through September 1, 2002, for a total of 18 days. However, due to the nationwide blackout, the grand opening was delayed, hindering attendance to below 2002 figures.

A. Livestock Auction

- i. The 2003 MSF Youth Livestock auction also saw a slight decrease in sale dollars from 2002. The 42 lots of livestock and agricultural products grossed over \$150,650 with the assistance of two new buyers. Governor Jennifer Granholm assisted as a bid spotter during the sale of the Champion Steer, capturing \$36,000. The Champion Lamb sold for \$15,000 and the Champion Hog sold for \$10,000.
- ii. The Michigan Youth Livestock Scholarship Fund awarded six \$1,000 scholarships to youth exhibitors and 124 educational awards totaling \$21,000.
- iii. Employees of the MDA rose to the occasion once again and raised over \$4,465 internally. Market lambs at both the UPSF and the MSF livestock auctions were purchased with this money and a \$1,000 contribution was made to the Michigan Food Bank.

B. Agriculture Building

- i. The Fairs, Exhibition and Racing Division serves as superintendent of the MSF Agriculture Building.
- ii. For the 2003 MSF, MDA worked with the Office of Racing Commissioner (ORC) and sponsored a “Movie Marathon” complete with videos highlighting a vast array of agricultural industries. The marathon’s videos were compiled to target fairgoers of all ages. MDA and ORC together designed a theater to show these video’s along with a documentary on “Sea Biscuit.”

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MDA's Pesticide and Plant Pest Management Division also set up two displays providing key information on two of Michigan's most invasive pests. One station provided facts and preventative methods of the West Nile Virus, while the other covered the details on the Emerald Ash Borer. Volunteers were on hand to answer an array of questions regarding the pests and offered current details on the spread of the borer. Volunteers also applied temporary tattoos of the borer and three other invasive pests to help fairgoers become aware of and able to identify the pests in the future.

- iii. The commodity groups again provided fairgoers with fun and exciting ways to learn about Michigan's agricultural industries. They together purchased childrens tractors with which they held "Children Tractor Races" throughout the day. Again, each commodity sponsored a day of the fair, many of which staffed the area and provided fairgoers with product samples, information and promotional items.

4. 2002 Upper Peninsula State Fair (UPSF)

- A. The Upper Peninsula State Fair celebrated its 75th Anniversary in 2002. Founded September 17, 1928, the fair carries on the tradition of showcasing regional agriculture and its heritage. The fair's history was on display in the Youth Technology Building, walking the fairgoers through a one-room living schoolhouse to the newest technology, passing displays of fair quilts; photographs; memorabilia; and decade displays of the 1920 to 1990; and hands on computer opportunities. Total attendance in 2002 was 92,000.
 - i. The Upper Peninsula State Fair was the first place recipient of the "2002 Communications Award," presented by the Michigan Association of Fairs and Exhibitions for the 75th Anniversary Premium Book. The cover of the book was a reproduction of the 1928 fair book, with a commemorative pull-out section.
 - ii. To meet safety regulations, the beef barn roof was reinforced and new interior lighting was installed. The public restrooms/shower building received exterior paint and aluminum soffits to comply with fire and safety codes. New exterior doors were installed in the dormitories; and lighting was added to the south parking lot. Direct water supply to 120 campsites was eliminated in order to be in compliance with the Department of Environmental Quality regulations. The fairgrounds also voluntarily participated in a Water Safety Study conducted by the MDA.
 - iii. Entertainment for the 2002 UPSF included: Brooks and Dunn, Journey, Scheer's Lumber Jack Show, a teen dance and the strolling stilts walker "Charlie Stron."
 - iv. A new entertainment endeavor in 2002 was the "Battle of the Bands" on the grandstand stage, featuring 10 bands from the Upper and Lower Peninsulas. Entry fees were collected to pay the prizes, but the event itself was free to the approximately 800 – 1,000 attendees.
 - v. For the first time, the fair had 5th and 6th grade reporters on the grounds all week capturing the fair on digital video equipment. The students edited the footage and placed it on the fair's web site. The students were also featured in local newspaper articles and television broadcasts.

2002 & 2003 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

5. 2003 Upper Peninsula State Fair

- A. The 2003 Upper Peninsula State Fair continued to be a great event for the state. The attendance was up by 5% and the weather was great. Almost too hot for the UP fairgoer.
- i. Wade Shows continued to provide the midway entertainment. The grandstand hosted concerts performed by American Idol, Kelly Clarkston, Three Doors Down, and Randy Travis. We also hosted our first preview night grandstand show with a Bull Mania.
 - ii. Agriculture exhibitors continue to be a strong part of the fair. The 2003 fair saw an increase in both sheep and hog exhibitors. This has prompted upgrading some of our barns so that we can house all the entries. A great problem to have.
 - iii. A new event for the 2003 was a Governor's luncheon sponsored by the Delta County Chamber of Commerce. The luncheon was a sell out and brought a great to partnership event to the fair. Unfortunately the Governor had to cancel her attendance at the last minute due to the blackout in the City of Detroit. We were extremely pleased to have Lt. Governor John Cherry fly up to join us during this emergency in southeast Michigan.
 - iv. The UPSF continues to be closely tied to the UP community. Volunteers are still important to the fair's success. Their work coupled with continued local sponsorship support makes the fair possible.
 - v. We were pleased to have the continued support of the Chip In Island Resort for the grandstand events, Blue Cross / Blue Shield and Michigan Farm Bureau's support for the Miracle of Life exhibit and our many other partners who make our fair happen.
 - vi. One special sponsorship project was the replacement of our gatehouse by Block Construction and Design. We now have a beautiful log "cabin" gate house to greet visitors coming to the fair. The owner of Block Construction, his wife and father spent 15 days constructing the building, which included finishing off the inside and staining the outside. Block Contruction donated all of the materials for the heated/air conditioned gate house.



2002 DIVISION FACTS

1. Fairs

- a. Fair attendance during the 2002 season was estimated at 4,324,397. There was an increase in exhibitors participating in fairs; 87,549 youth and adults, up from 78,752 in 2001.
- b. Eighty-nine fairs – two state fairs and 87 county or local fairs – participated in the MDA County Fair Program. Premiums paid to open and youth exhibitors at Michigan fairs totaled \$1,482,599 during the 2002 fair season. A total of \$892,932 was paid in premiums to the 51,553 youth exhibitors. Open exhibitor premiums totaled \$1,639,009 and were paid to the 28,332 exhibitors.
- c. Youth livestock sales at fairs generated a total of \$9,933,897 statewide in 2002, with 81 fairs reporting. The average auction resulted in \$122,640.
- d. MDA is actively involved in providing the programming and incentives required to produce successful fairs.
- e. Funding is provided to fairs through:
 - Premium assistance (including comp. livestock grants) \$1,482,599
 - Matching assistance to fairs \$963,200
 - Purses for county fair harness racing \$2,819,900
 - Futurities \$186,800
 - Standardbred Stabling and Training program \$50,500
 - Grants to Horse Shows \$23,300
- f. Compilation of financial data based on 85 of the 89 fairs reporting:
 - i) Total revenue reported by fairs \$30,772,916
 - (a) Percentage breakdown of above figure:
 - From state funds 15.2%
 - Gate revenue 17.9%
 - Revenue from fair 44.4%
 - Non-fair revenue 22.4%
 - ii) Total expenses reported by fairs \$30,639,047
 - (a) Percentage breakdown of above figure:
 - Premiums 7.0%
 - Harness purses and expenses 11.5%
 - Salaries 7.9%
 - Fair expenses 49.5%
 - Non-fair expenses 24.1%

2. Volunteers

- a. The average Michigan fair has 253 volunteers contributing a total of 6,457 hours, which increased from 2001. This results in a projected 15,809 volunteers and \$4,843,110 in donated labor (based on \$10/hour).
- b. In-kind contributions help make fairs a success. In 2002, total contributions were nearly \$1.16 million, averaging \$21,478 per fair reporting. Total contributions over \$6 million were donated by volunteers and contributors in local fair communities in 2002, which is greater than donations in 2001.

3. County Fair Harness Racing

- a. The County Fair Harness Racing Program is like the minor league of sports. It provides young horses the opportunity to gain racing experience and to develop consistency in performance prior to competing at the big league pari-mutuel tracks.
- b. Twenty-nine fair associations hosted harness racing during their 2002 fair programs.
- c. County fairs provided colt stakes races, futurity races and overnight races.

d. Races included:

40 Elite Races	\$400,000
104 Blue Series Races	\$672,000
112 Gold Series Races	\$462,000
128 Green Series Races	\$336,000
341 Overnight Races	\$341,000

- e. The state supplied \$3.1 million in purse monies for these races, which provides an incentive to breed and race horses in Michigan.

2003 DIVISION FACTS

1. Fairs:

- a. 2003 fair attendance was estimated at 4,389,102. There was a decrease in exhibitors participating in fairs; 76,010 youth and adults, down from 87,549 in 2002.
- b. MDA paid premiums to 88 – two state fairs and 86 county/local fairs – in 2003. Open and youth exhibitor's premiums totals totaled \$1,482,600.
- c. Youth livestock sales at fairs in 2003 generated a total of \$10,744,580 statewide, with 74 fairs reporting. This results in an auction increase from \$9,933,897 in 2002.
- d. MDA is actively involved in providing the programming and incentives required to produce successful fairs. FERD is responsible for monitoring and administering these funds.
- e. Funding is provided to fairs through:
 - Premium assistance (including comp. livestock grants) \$1,614,000
 - Matching assistance to fairs \$963,200
 - Purses for county fair harness racing \$2,620,000
 - Futurities \$ 173,600
 - Standardbred Stabling and Training program \$46,900

2. Volunteers

- a. In 2003, the average Michigan fair had 253 volunteers contributing an average of 6,151 hours. This results in a projected 19,150 volunteers and \$4,490,550 in donated labor (based on \$10/hour).
- b. In-kind contributions help make fairs a success. In 2003, total contributions were over \$1.146 million, averaging \$23,876 per each of the 48 fairs reporting. Total contributions in 2003 were over \$5.6 million donated by volunteers and contributors in local fair communities.

3. County Fair Harness Racing:

- a. The County Fair Harness Racing Program is like the minor league of sports. It provides young horses the opportunity to gain racing experience and to develop consistency in performance prior to competing at the big league pari-mutuel tracks.
- b. Twenty-seven fair associations hosted harness racing during their 2003 fair programs.
- c. County fairs provided colt stakes races, futurity races and overnight races.
- d. Races included:
 - 48 Elite Races \$394,000
 - 104 Blue Series Races \$586,800
 - 96 Gold Series Races \$360,000
 - 120 Green Series Races \$288,000
 - 311 Overnight Races \$311,000
- e. The state supplied a total of \$2.74 million in purse and support monies for these races, which provides an incentive to breed and race horses in Michigan.

2002 & 2003 HORSE RACING PROGRAMS

Quarter Horse Program

The program provided \$42,600 in 2002 and \$34,800 in 2003 in purse supplements for Michigan-bred quarter horse races.

Light Horse Racing Grant

In 2002, \$20,625 and in 2003 \$16,800 was provided for Michigan-bred Arabian horses. Michigan-bred quarter horses received \$61,875 in 2002 and \$50,500 in 2003. The grant is used to encourage and promote Michigan-bred ownership and breeding in Michigan.

Standardbred Breeder Awards

The program funded Michigan standardbred breeders \$1,326,400 in 2002 and \$1,082,300 in 2003 for Michigan-bred horses at pari-mutuel tracks and county harness racing fairs.

Sire Stakes Program

The Sire Stakes Program promotes Michigan stallions by providing funds to Michigan standardbred-sired and thoroughbred-sired horses racing at licensed pari-mutuel tracks in Michigan. In 2002, standardbred-sired horses received \$1,111,300 and \$906,800 in 2003. Thoroughbred-sired horses received \$833,475 in 2002 and \$680,100 in 2003.

Thoroughbred Program

Supplements and breeder awards totaling \$1,944,800 in 2002 and \$1,586,900 in 2003 are funded to thoroughbred races to encourage and promote Michigan-bred ownership and breeding in Michigan.

Thoroughbred Owner Awards

The program provided \$167,300 in 2002 for individuals owning a Michigan-bred horse, \$208,369 for Michigan-sired horses and \$69,456 to owners of Michigan stallions. In 2003 owners of Michigan-bred horses received \$136,500, Michigan-sired horse owners received \$170,025 and Michigan stallion owners received \$56,675.

2002 FAIR STATISTICS

<u>Event</u>	<u>Attendance</u>	<u>Youth Exhibitors</u>	<u>Open Exhibitors</u>	<u>Total Exhibitors</u>	<u>Livestock Sales</u>	<u>Number of Volunteers</u>	<u>Hours Volunteered</u>	<u>In-Kind Donations</u>
ALCONA COUNTY FAIR	10,053	116	272	388	\$34,204.75			
ALGER COUNTY FAIR	3,000	128	63	191	\$0.00	40	2,000	\$7,344.00
ALLEGAN CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	373,822	741	750	1,491	\$368,607.70	0	0	\$0.00
ALPENA CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	30,000	262	324	586	\$57,161.41	120	3,188	\$15,000.00
ANTRIM CO FARM & FAMILY FAIR	800	75	31	106	\$7,834.05	40	450	
ARENAC CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	6,252	369	71	440	\$52,270.25	400	1,200	
ARMADA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	41,724	417	1,544	1,961	\$100,000.00	0	0	\$5,212.00
BARAGA COUNTY FAIR	4,000	230	140	370	\$10,606.25	300	600	
BARRY COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	45,000	700	400	1,100	\$359,160.00	0	0	\$0.00
BAY CO FAIR & YOUTH EXPOSITION	25,000	193	76	269	\$48,000.00	45	5,000	\$3,693.00
BERLIN FAIR ASSOCIATION	19,504	603	275	878	\$280,000.00	20	190	
BERRIEN CO YOUTH FAIR ASSOC.	127,897	2,607	200	2,807	\$229,857.59			
BRANCH CO AGRICULTURAL&IND SOC.	70,000	1,400	600	2,000	\$317,447.50	825	8,500	\$4,962.68
CALHOUN CO AGRICULTURAL&IND SOC	62,000	939	509	1,448	\$325,000.00	725	14,000	\$0.00
CASS CO AGRICULTURAL FAIR ASSN	47,681	785	801	1,586	\$278,012.90	800	12,800	\$3,184.15
CHEBOYGAN COUNTY FAIR	120,000	2,032	881	2,913	\$153,749.00	50	5,000	\$50,000.00
CHELSEA COMMUNITY FAIR	49,500	400	600	1,000	\$78,845.45	300	10,000	\$9,000.00
CHIPPEWA CO STALWART AGRI FAIR	1,278	33	125	158	\$0.00			
CHIPPEWA COUNTY FAIR	29,000	275	400	675	\$156,783.00	100	10,000	\$500.00
CLARE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	60,000	367	176	543				
CLINTON COUNTY 4-H CLUB FAIR	6,000	786	52	838	\$200,837.88	1,348	10,724	\$46,125.00
CRAWFORD COUNTY FAIR ASSOCTN	1,969	34	116	150	\$0.00	27	625	\$767.00
CROSWELL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	15,000	180	100	280	\$0.00	65	400	\$0.00
DICKINSON COUNTY FAIR	60,000	218	230	448	\$49,007.20			
EATON CO 4-H AGRICULTURAL SOC.	24,200	765	242	1,007	\$240,446.00	380	93,480	\$10,000.00
EMMET COUNTY FAIR	25,000	304	198	502	\$98,000.00	500	2,000	\$1,500.00
FOWLERVILLE AGRICULTURAL SOC	130,000	759	418	1,177	\$0.00	200	30,000	
GENESEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	102,000	800	750	1,550	\$66,250.00	350	14,000	\$175,000.00
GLADWIN COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	17,000	278	97	375	\$40,955.50	100	5,000	\$4,800.00
GOGEBIC COUNTY FAIR	13,000	299	204	503	\$42,584.60			
GRATIOT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	1,500	168	174	342	\$0.00	106	0	\$0.00
GRATIOT COUNTY FAIR FOR YOUTH	15,000	686	0	686	\$228,093.23	500	5,000	
HILLSDALE CO. AGRICULTURAL SOC.	190,000	526	667	1,193	\$166,110.97			
HOUGHTON 4-H FAIR ASSOCIATION	26,100	104	322	426	\$37,873.60	120	3,626	\$300,000.00
HUDSONVILLE COMMUNITY FAIR	73,000	573	765	1,338	\$328,276.65	250	5,000	
HURON COMMUNITY FAIR ASSOCTN	18,725	744	144	888				
INGHAM COUNTY FAIR	100,000	1,214	563	1,777	\$223,913.68			

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IONIA FREE FAIR ASSOCIATION	225,000	1,242	907	2,149	\$213,941.00	25	1,000	\$1,700.00
IOSCO COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	13,800	1,303	333	1,636	\$42,000.00	80	7,500	\$3,000.00
IRON COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	9,000	1,910		1,910	\$30,093.00	34	1,500	\$2,000.00
ISABELLA CO. YOUTH&FARM FAIR SOC.	40,000	536	283	819	\$249,110.10	100	5,000	\$0.00
JACKSON COUNTY FAIR	233,000	419	930	1,349	\$303,030.00	200	7,800	\$15,000.00
KALAMAZOO CO. AGRICULTURAL SOC.	60,000	368	302	670	\$164,000.00	45	5,550	\$1,000.00
KALKASKA CO AGRICULTURAL FAIR	5,000	350	520	870	\$16,067.00	52	520	
KENT CO 4-H AGRICULTURAL ASSOC.	25,000	820	72	892	\$339,844.25	100	3,000	
LAKE ODESSA CIVIC & AGRIL. ASSOC.	30,000	301	125	426	\$0.00	20	1,000	
LAPEER CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	33,320	659	576	1,235	\$210,000.00	45	1,200	
LENAWEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.				0				
LUCE-WEST MACKINAC COUNTY FAIR	2,500	63	68	131	\$6,013.05	50	1,500	\$1,000.00
MANCHESTER COMMUNITY FAIR	9,750	235	285	520	\$42,000.00	545	13,190	\$42,000.00
MANISTEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	11,000	136	65	201	\$62,740.00	131	1,500	\$7,000.00
MARION FARM EXHIBIT ASSOCIATION	11,000	200	250	450	\$55,181.00	37	2,200	\$5,000.00
MARQUETTE COUNTY FAIR	25,000	158	302	460	\$29,692.00	145	4,350	\$0.00
MECOSTA CO. AGRICULTURAL FAIR	50,000				\$190,014.38	100	500	\$0.00
MENOMINEE COUNTY FAIR ASSOC.	9,000	291	259	550		100	500	\$5,000.00
MICH STATE EXPOSITION & FAIRGRN	406,000	1,171	4,984	6,155	\$154,750.00	92	2,484	
MIDLAND CO AGR & HORTICULTURAL	160,688	1,024	386	1,410	\$251,196.75	108	5,888	\$58,400.00
MISSAUKEE FALMOUTH AGRICULTRL	1,000	170	0	170	\$124,315.03	25	4,000	
MONROE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	140,513			1,915	\$328,728.00	878	7,640	
MONTCALM COUNTY 4-H FAIR ASSOC.	25,000	450	101	551	\$109,455.52	100	4,000	\$250.00
MONTMORENCY CO 4-H FAIR ASN	15,400	429	409	838	\$29,804.00	120	3,500	\$0.00
MUSKEGON CO 4-H FAIR ASSOC.	9,000	650	200	850	\$97,000.00	200		
NEWAYGO CO. AGRICULTURAL FAIR	13,000	644	113	757	\$157,923.25	236	9,400	\$2,500.00
NORTHERN DISTRICT FAIR ASSOC.	11,000	495	508	1,003	\$27,123.03	57	820	
NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR	39,000	360	120	480	\$203,000.00	30	80	\$15,000.00
OAKLAND COUNTY 4-H FAIR ASSOC	50,000	480	100	580	\$101,511.10	200	5,000	\$90,858.72
OCEANA CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	25,000	333	151	484	\$151,267.75	141	4,900	
OGEMAW CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	45,000	485	425	910	\$109,613.50			\$20,000.00
ONTONAGON CO. AGRICULTURAL ASS.	3,500	82	112	194	\$10,219.00	30	400	\$5,000.00
OSCEOLA COUNTY 4-H & FFA FAIR	10,000	387	122	509	\$125,529.87	100	2,000	\$12,500.00
OSCODA CNTY FAIR & GRT LAKE FRTRY EXPO	3,200	130	275	405	\$5,552.00	350	4,700	\$40,000.00
OTSEGO COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	6,231	473	171	644	\$72,011.50	35	4,600	\$5,500.00
OTTAWA COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	64,000	1,847	199	2,046	\$97,779.85	60	5,000	\$8,000.00
PRESQUE ISLE CO. 4-H LEADERS	900	55	42	97	\$7,070.80	45	2,000	\$5,980.00

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ROSCOMMON COUNTY FAIR BOARD	2,250	66	25	91	\$344.00	96	2,426	
SAGINAW CO AGRICULTURAL SOC	32,000	512	978	1,490	\$94,000.00	300	3,500	\$24,500.00
SALINE COMMUNITY FAIR	27,375	2,200	1,800	4,000	\$51,307.29	750	8,000	\$15,700.00
SANILAC CO. 4-H AGRICULTURAL SOC.	25,000	1,131	378	1,509	\$177,294.49	159		
SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY FAIR ASSOC.	3,162			0		20	400	
SHIAWASSEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	42,000	775	430	1,205		375	15,000	
SPARTA AREA FAIR ASSOCIATION	9,500	75	185	260	\$0.00	30	2,000	
ST. CLAIR CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	45,000	1,500	100	1,600	\$171,132.53	300	2,500	
ST. JOSEPH CO GRANGE FAIR ASSOC	165,000	371	816	1,187	\$231,231.00	400	1,800	\$10,000.00
TUSCOLA COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	28,000	914	180	1,094	\$105,142.40	190	7,000	\$15,454.00
UPPER PENINSULA STATE FAIR	92,000	852	931	1,783	\$189,086.00	150		
VAN BUREN CO YOUTH FAIR ASSOC.	50,200	910	195	1,105	\$199,576.90	400	60,000	\$100,000.00
WASHTENAW COUNTY FARM COUNCIL	14,500	782	0	782	\$123,066.30	300	4,880	\$8,820.00
WAYNE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION, INC	9,704	180	98	278	Unknown	147	5,000	\$1,575.00
WESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR ASSOCTN	12,899	3,821	603	4,424	\$83,336.39	15	4,800	
TOTALS	4,324,397	53,855	33,694	87,549	\$10,122,983.19	15,959	484,311	\$1,159,825.55
Reporting	88	85	84	88	82	78	75	54
Average	49,141	634	401	1,017	\$123,451.01	253	6,457	\$21,478.25

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ALCONA COUNTY FAIR	12,500	84	197	281	\$41,000.00	55	3,000	\$2,900.00
ALGER COUNTY FAIR	3,500	137	87	224		0		
ALLEGAN CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	335,131	791	754	1,545	\$394,220.25	125	3,200	\$12,000.00
ALPENA CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	30,000	246	358	604	\$40,893.79	40	450	
ANTRIM CO FARM & FAMILY FAIR	600	79	30	109	\$10,488.00	154	400	
ARENAC CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	6,800	453	93	546	\$43,961.07	0		
ARMADA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	26,626	274	1,300	1,574	\$100,000.00	200	2,000	\$500.00
BARAGA COUNTY FAIR	3,000	150	100	250	\$9,197.00	125	8,000	\$2,949.48
BARRY COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	45,000	866	319	1,185	\$352,743.70	20	170	
BAY CO FAIR & YOUTH EXPOSITION	28,000	184	141	325	\$49,000.00	850	17,000	25,000
BERLIN FAIR ASSOCIATION	22,000	602	329	931	\$220,000.00	800	8,250	\$189.90
BERRIEN CO YOUTH FAIR ASSOC.	123,685	2,472	200	2,672	\$312,222.50	1,157	4,274	
BRANCH CO AGRICULTURAL&IND SOC.	69,000	1,414	539	1,953	\$324,715.99	848	13,568	\$2,471.00
CALHOUN CO AGRICULTURAL&IND SOC	38,825	1,116	382	1,498	\$302,295.10	50	5,000	\$40,000.00
CASS CO AGRICULTURAL FAIR ASSN	48,496	774	847	1,621	\$322,565.85	200	6,000	\$6,000.00
CHEBOYGAN COUNTY FAIR	100,000	176	331	507	\$170,801.50	100	7,500	5,000
CHELSEA COMMUNITY FAIR	55,000	558	568	1,126	\$91,308.10	20		
CHIPPEWA CO STALWART AGR I FAIR	2,000	25	124	149		100	7,500	5,000
CHIPPEWA COUNTY FAIR	29,500	250	200	450	\$168,962.00	20	460	
CLARE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	60,000	660	176	836	\$154,000.00	1,680	10,579	\$50,024.00
CLINTON COUNTY 4-H CLUB FAIR	6,000	916	48	964	\$189,000.00	65	500	
CROSWELL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	15,000	180	130	310		90	4,000	
DICKINSON COUNTY FAIR	62,509	1,137	1,782	2,919	\$46,679.40	495	4,950	\$1,500.00
EATON CO 4-H AGRICULTURAL SOC.	24,131	780	200	980	\$17,500.00	500	2,000	
EMMET COUNTY FAIR	24,000	295	249	544	\$84,788.80	200	30,000	
FOWLERVILLE AGRICULTURAL SOC	142,000	720	364	1,084	\$82,500.00	400	16,000	\$200,000.00
GENESEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	145,000	750	625	1,375	\$140,338.35	200	3,500	
GLADWIN COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	14,000	222	130	352	\$36,718.90	42		
GOGEBIC COUNTY FAIR	13,500	293	201	494		500	5,000	
GRATIOT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	2,000			388	\$273,302.55	125	3,650	
GRATIOT COUNTY FAIR FOR YOUTH	18,000	645		645	\$156,947.45	250	5,000	\$300,000.00
HILLSDALE CO. AGRICULTURAL SOC.	175,000	681	964	1,645	\$32,399.26	50		
HOUGHTON 4-H FAIR ASSOCIATION	24,000	105	255	360	\$342,567.45	50		
HUDSONVILLE COMMUNITY FAIR	74,000	652	806	1,458		50		
HURON COMMUNITY FAIR ASSOCCN	29,892	736	146	882	\$224,017.00	120		
INGHAM COUNTY FAIR	105,000	1,463	696	2,159		50		\$1,500.00
IONIA FREE FAIR ASSOCIATION	220,000	1,158	1,042	2,200				

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IOSCO COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	13,400	206	228	434	\$39,100.00	60	5,500	\$3,500.00
IRON COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	10,000	297	236	533	\$22,888.50	38	1,500	1000 hrs
ISABELLA CO. YOUTH&FARM FAIR SOC.	41,000	552	122	674	\$253,243.65	120	2,000	
JACKSON COUNTY FAIR	239,500	383	758	1,141	\$413,116.00	200	7,800	\$15,000.00
KALAMAZOO CO. AGRICULTURAL SOC.	57,450	415	309	724	\$183,215.16	100	6,250	\$750.00
KALKASKA CO AGRICULTURAL FAIR	4,000	70	50	120	\$800.00	17	1,070	\$25,000.00
KENT CO 4-H AGRICULTURAL ASSOC.	35,000	943	94	1,037	\$340,295.90	250	10,000	
LAKE ODESSA CIVIC & AGRIL. ASSOC.	25,000	256	134	390		20	1,000	
LAPEER CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	35,128	673	635	1,308	\$218,000.00	40	1,100	
LENAWEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	92,500	1,500	480	1,980	\$306,120.84	300	3,000	\$8,000.00
LUCE-WEST MACKINAC COUNTY FAIR	2,500	99	37	136		60	1,500	\$6,000.00
MANCHESTER COMMUNITY FAIR	10,000	225	280	505	\$43,000.00	550	14,000	\$3,013.00
MANISTEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	12,000	152	75	227	\$62,808.00	140	3,500	\$7,500.00
MARION FARM EXHIBIT ASSOCIATION	11,000	235	265	500	\$49,597.31	37	2,200	\$6,500.00
MARQUETTE COUNTY FAIR	25,000	146	222	368	\$37,297.80	155	8,525	
MECOSTA CO. AGRICULTURAL FAIR	50,000			0	\$168,450.35	100	500	\$5,000.00
MENOMINEE COUNTY FAIR ASSOC.	9,100	205	205	410		100	500	
MICH STATE EXPOSITION & FAIRGRN	362,000			2,928	\$150,650.00	470	25,452	
MIDLAND CO AGR & HORTICULTURAL	155,916	739	255	994	\$232,362.95	115	6,440	\$64,400.00
MISSAUKEE FALMOUTH AGRICULTRL	1,000	273		273	\$126,700.00	40	6,000	\$10,700.00
MONROE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	140,299			2,137	\$290,000.00	891	7,754	
MONTCALM COUNTY 4-H FAIR ASSOC.	25,000	464	63	527	\$129,504.15	100	4,000	\$250.00
MONTMORENCY CO 4-H FAIR ASN	16,000	440	380	820	\$26,818.60	120	3,500	
MUSKEGON CO 4-H FAIR ASSOC.	9,000	500	300	800	\$96,000.00	250	10,000	
NEWAYGO CO. AGRICULTURAL FAIR	13,500	710	314	1,024	\$206,417.84	245	9,600	\$3,000.00
NORTHERN DISTRICT FAIR ASSOC.	12,139	226	247	473	\$36,406.39	35	750	\$1,500.00
NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR	38,000	500	400	900	\$370,000.00	400	1,600	\$30,000.00
OAKLAND COUNTY 4-H FAIR ASSOC	68,000	692	79	771	\$128,333.00	325	2,150	\$70,450.00
OCEANA CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	25,000	263	285	548	\$161,311.91	174		
OGEMAW CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	45,000	831	640	1,471	\$89,370.00	275		\$2,000.00
ONTONAGON CO. AGRICULTURAL ASS.	3,500	453	155	608	\$12,937.00	40	400	\$4,000.00
OSCEOLA COUNTY 4-H & FFA FAIR	10,000	325	193	518	\$129,177.05	100	2,000	\$12,500.00
OSCODA CNTY FAIR & GRT LAKE FRTY EXPO3,259		49	29	78	\$3,414.95	20	1,000	\$10,000.00
OTSEGO COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	25,000	215	285	500	\$62,991.00	100	6,000	\$20,000.00
OTTAWA COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	65,000	1,468	276	1,744	\$114,439.00	60	5,000	\$10,000.00
PRESQUE ISLE CO. 4-H LEADERS	900	33	40	73	\$6,236.45	50	2,000	\$6,000.00
ROSCOMMON COUNTY FAIR BOARD	1,867	48	15	63	\$242.42	20	950	\$174.00

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SAGINAW CO AGRICULTURAL SOC	33,000	633	1,136	1,769	\$89,000.00	300	4,500	\$42,750.00
SALINE COMMUNITY FAIR	28,257	1,433	2,451	3,884	\$42,243.00	960	14,400	\$10,750.00
SANILAC CO. 4-H AGRICULTURAL SOC.	25,000	1,114	90	1,204	\$205,557.75	100		
SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY FAIR ASSOC.	2,660	86	48	134		20	1,200	
SHIAWASSEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	43,000	793	421	1,214		375	16,000	
SPARTA AREA FAIR ASSOCIATION	8,000	80	235	315		75	500	\$3,000.00
ST. CLAIR CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	55,000	1,500	100	1,600	\$173,582.21	300	2,500	
ST. JOSEPH CO GRANGE FAIR ASSOC	165,000	823	589	1,412	\$240,000.00	450	18,000	\$10,000.00
TUSCOLA COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	27,500	875	190	1,065	\$117,450.26	210	7,800	\$16,188.00
UPPER PENINSULA STATE FAIR	105,000	593	658	1,251	\$217,335.00	150		
VAN BUREN CO YOUTH FAIR ASSOC.	45,500	912	206	1,118	\$203,852.02	375	50,000	\$75,000.00
WASHTENAW COUNTY FARM COUNCIL	13,000	816	0	816	\$136,591.25	325	4,575	\$10,670.00
WAYNE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION, INC		158	94	252				\$2,428.72
WESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR ASSOCTN	11,532	400	147	547	\$72,588.90	52	468	
TOTALS	4,389,102	46,846	29,164	76,010	\$10,744,580.62	19,150	449,055	\$1,146,058.10
Reporting	87	84	82	88	74	80	73	48
Average	50,449	558	356	926	\$145,197.04	253	6,151	\$23,876.21

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<u>EVENT</u>	<u>PREMIUMS</u>	<u>BUILDING & TRACK</u>	<u>STABLING & TRAINING</u>	<u>PURSE SUPPLEMENTS</u>	<u>SUPPORT MONEY</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
ALCONA COUNTY FAIR	\$5,297.24	\$2,578.90				\$7,876.15
ALGER COUNTY FAIR	\$2,505.93	\$7,078.77				\$9,584.70
ALLEGAN CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$53,575.58	\$12,894.95	\$2,610.00	\$125,000.00	\$4,920.00	\$199,000.53
ALPENA CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$18,809.39	\$12,894.95				\$31,704.34
ANTRIM CO FARM & FAMILY FAIR	\$2,009.33	\$803.51				\$2,812.84
ARENAC CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$6,886.98	\$12,656.26				\$19,543.24
ARMADA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	\$42,594.97	\$12,894.95				\$55,489.92
BARAGA COUNTY FAIR	\$3,267.17	\$2,483.57				\$5,750.74
BARRY COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$25,138.51	\$12,894.95	\$3,070.00	\$65,000.00	\$2,560.00	\$108,663.46
BAY CO FAIR & YOUTH EXPOSITION	\$4,871.99	\$10,929.20				\$15,801.19
BERLIN FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$15,016.56	\$12,894.95				\$27,911.50
BERRIEN CO YOUTH FAIR ASSOC.	\$29,334.10	\$12,894.95				\$42,229.05
BRANCH CO AGRICULTURAL & IND SOC.	\$25,574.49	\$12,894.95				\$38,469.44
CALHOUN CO AGRICULTURAL & IND SOC	\$23,093.02	\$12,894.95	\$4,000.00	\$84,000.00	\$3,280.00	\$127,267.96
CASS CO AGRICULTURAL FAIR ASSN	\$18,663.89	\$12,894.95	\$1,630.00	\$43,000.00	\$2,560.00	\$78,748.84
CHEBOYGAN COUNTY FAIR	\$12,502.77	\$11,993.16				\$24,495.93
CHELSEA COMMUNITY FAIR	\$8,127.53	\$12,894.95				\$21,022.48
CHIPPEWA CO STALWART AGRI FAIR	\$5,020.03	\$781.35				\$5,801.38
CHIPPEWA COUNTY FAIR	\$13,856.36	\$11,856.77		\$155,000.00	\$3,360.00	\$184,073.13
CLARE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$13,432.16	\$12,894.95		\$120,000.00	\$4,920.00	\$151,247.11
CLINTON COUNTY 4-H CLUB FAIR	\$5,178.12	\$12,894.95				\$18,073.07
CRAWFORD COUNTY FAIR ASSOCTN	\$353.28	\$874.42				\$1,227.69
CROSWELL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	\$6,699.03	\$6,010.36	\$2,530.00	\$209,000.00	\$2,660.00	\$226,899.38
DICKINSON COUNTY FAIR	\$1,110.00	\$12,894.95		\$8,000.00	\$2,440.00	\$24,444.95
EATON CO 4-H AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$20,626.37	\$12,894.95	\$4,000.00	\$61,000.00	\$1,640.00	\$100,161.32
EMMET COUNTY FAIR	\$23,116.27	\$12,894.95				\$36,011.22
FOWLerville AGRICULTURAL SOC	\$26,210.89	\$12,894.95		\$35,000.00	\$1,740.00	\$75,845.84
GENESEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$35,115.76	\$12,894.95				\$48,010.71
GLADWIN COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	\$12,084.48	\$12,894.95	\$1,540.00	\$31,000.00	\$2,460.00	\$59,979.43
GOGEBIC COUNTY FAIR	\$9,530.07	\$12,894.95	\$4,000.00	\$66,000.00	\$4,100.00	\$91,426.44
GRATIOT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	\$4,431.49	\$12,894.95				\$17,667.48
GRATIOT COUNTY FAIR FOR YOUTH	\$5,460.05	\$12,207.42				\$170,878.71
HILLSDALE CO. AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$30,173.76	\$12,894.95	\$2,890.00	\$120,000.00	\$4,920.00	\$182,988.71
HOUGHTON 4-H FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$7,139.17	\$11,120.80				\$18,259.98
HUDSONVILLE COMMUNITY FAIR	\$26,526.13	\$12,894.95				\$39,421.08
HURON COMMUNITY FAIR ASSOCTN	\$15,008.94	\$12,894.95	\$1,940.00	\$68,000.00	\$3,380.00	\$101,223.89

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INGHAM COUNTY FAIR	\$40,937.19	\$12,894.95				\$53,832.14
IONIA FREE FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$43,139.34	\$12,894.95				\$56,034.29
IOSCO COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$11,427.07	\$12,894.95		\$36,000.00	\$3,280.00	\$63,602.02
IRON COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$7,303.43	\$8,249.33				\$15,552.76
ISABELLA CO. YOUTH&FARM FAIR SOC.	\$18,675.97	\$12,894.95				\$31,570.92
JACKSON COUNTY FAIR	\$31,875.24	\$12,894.95				\$44,770.19
KALAMAZOO CO. AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$21,154.31	\$6,124.50	\$2,640.00	\$43,000.00	\$2,560.00	\$75,478.81
KALKASKA CO AGRICULTURAL FAIR	\$3,788.34	\$5,806.61				\$9,594.95
KENT CO 4-H AGRICULTURAL ASSOC.	\$15,806.65	\$12,894.95				\$28,701.60
LAKE ODESSA CIVIC & AGR. ASSOC.	\$6,180.43	\$8,443.61		\$66,000.00	\$4,100.00	\$84,724.04
LAPEER CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$9,598.94	\$12,894.95				\$22,493.88
LENAWEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$17,733.08	\$12,894.95	\$4,000.00	\$45,000.00	\$2,460.00	\$82,088.03
LUCE-WEST MACKINAC COUNTY FAIR	\$2,255.12	\$808.33				\$3,063.44
MANCHESTER COMMUNITY FAIR	\$5,187.55	\$3,177.02				\$8,364.57
MANISTEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$3,927.94	\$12,894.95				\$16,822.89
MARION FARM EXHIBIT ASSOCIATION	\$8,780.34	\$11,662.72		\$31,000.00	\$1,640.00	\$53,083.05
MARQUETTE COUNTY FAIR	\$4,176.13	\$11,180.03				\$15,356.16
MECOSTA CO. AGRICULTURAL FAIR	\$12,294.27	\$12,894.95	\$4,000.00	\$212,000.00	\$5,400.00	\$246,589.22
MENOMINEE COUNTY FAIR ASSOC.	\$6,347.01	\$3,295.63				\$9,642.64
MICH STATE EXPOSITION & FAIRGRN	\$214,044.60					\$214,044.60
MIDLAND CO AGR & HORTICULTURAL	\$26,246.41	\$12,894.95		\$154,000.00	\$2,440.00	\$195,581.35
MISSAUKEE FALMOUTH AGRICULTRL	\$4,437.31	\$12,894.95				\$17,332.26
MONROE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	\$67,489.64	\$12,894.95				\$80,384.59
MONTCALM COUNTY 4-H FAIR ASSOC.	\$9,782.96	\$9,330.23				\$19,113.19
MONTMORENCY CO 4-H FAIR ASN	\$7,038.95	\$12,894.95				\$19,933.90
MUSKEGON CO 4-H FAIR ASSOC.	\$4,551.09	\$8,647.12				\$13,198.22
NEWAYGO CO. AGRICULTURAL FAIR	\$14,325.25	\$12,894.95				\$27,220.20
NORTHERN DISTRICT FAIR ASSOC.	\$7,590.39	\$7,652.55		\$31,000.00	\$2,460.00	\$48,702.93
NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR	\$11,404.44	\$12,894.95		\$63,000.00	\$1,740.00	\$89,039.39
OAKLAND COUNTY 4-H FAIR ASSOC	\$14,504.87	\$12,894.95				\$27,399.82
OCEANA CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$6,378.13	\$12,894.95				\$85,733.08
OGEAW CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$13,220.21	\$12,894.95		\$64,000.00	\$2,460.00	\$26,115.16
ONTONAGON CO. AGRICULTURAL	\$4,767.33	\$5,000.21				\$9,767.54
OSCEOLA COUNTY 4-H & FFA FAIR	\$21,843.35	\$12,894.95				\$34,738.30
OSCODA COUNTY FAIR ASSOC., INC.	\$1,906.56	\$5,733.54				\$7,640.10
OTSEGO COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$3,770.13	\$7,021.11				\$10,791.24

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OTTAWA COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$22,326.75	\$12,894.95		\$230,000.00	\$5,080.00	\$270,301.69
PRESQUE ISLE CO. 4-H LEADERS	\$786.38	\$8,515.59				\$9,301.97
ROSCOMMON COUNTY FAIR BOARD	\$915.88	\$765.80				\$1,681.67
SAGINAW CO AGRICULTURAL SOC	\$20,940.68	\$12,894.95				\$33,835.62
SALINE COMMUNITY FAIR	\$18,345.80	\$6,147.33				\$24,493.13
SANILAC CO. 4-H AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$12,702.20	\$12,894.95	\$450.00			\$26,047.14
SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY FAIR ASSOC.	\$1,117.66	\$3,650.84				\$4,768.50
SHIAWASSEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$21,330.00	\$12,894.95				\$34,224.95
SPARTA AREA FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$2,764.11	\$2,789.39				\$5,553.50
ST. CLAIR CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$6,745.08	\$12,894.95				\$19,640.02
ST. JOSEPH CO GRANGE FAIR ASSOC	\$45,735.83	\$12,894.95	\$3,400.00	\$124,000.00	\$4,920.00	\$190,950.78
TUSCOLA COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	\$12,120.58	\$12,894.95	\$2,220.00	\$47,000.00	\$3,380.00	\$77,615.53
UPPER PENINSULA STATE FAIR	\$24,152.68					\$24,152.68
VAN BUREN CO YOUTH FAIR ASSOC.	\$13,747.72	\$12,894.95				\$26,642.67
WASHTENAW COUNTY FARM COUNCIL	\$7,560.92	\$3,831.70				\$11,392.62
WAYNE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION, INC	\$2,229.97	\$12,894.95				\$15,124.92
WESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR ASSOCTN	\$6,845.74	\$12,894.95		\$45,000.00	\$2,460.00	\$67,200.68
SPORTS CREEK RACEWAY				\$140,000.00		\$140,000.00
SAGINAW HARNES RACEWAY				\$390,000.00		\$390,000.00
HAZEL PARK HARNES RACEWAY				\$160,000.00		\$160,000.00
TOTAL	\$1,482,599.81	\$902,639.88	\$44,920.00	\$3,083,000.00	\$91,760.00	\$5,604,919.68

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ALCONA COUNTY FAIR	\$5,691.93	\$4,455.99				\$10,147.92
ALGER COUNTY FAIR	\$2,700.29	\$5,189.22				\$7,889.51
ALLEGAN CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$55,987.69	\$13,297.14	\$3,040.00	\$113,600.00	\$3,800.00	\$189,724.83
ALPENA CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$19,976.74	\$13,297.14				\$33,273.88
ANTRIM CO FARM & FAMILY FAIR	\$2,001.50	\$2,262.02				\$4,263.52
ARENAC CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$6,455.36	\$7,809.32				\$14,264.68
ARMADA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	\$44,033.67	\$13,297.14				\$57,330.81
BARAGA COUNTY FAIR	\$3,212.24	\$3,056.51				\$6,268.75
BARRY COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$22,781.22	\$10,991.86	\$2,910.00	\$59,400.00	\$2,380.00	\$98,463.08
BAY CO FAIR & YOUTH EXPOSITION	\$5,138.82	\$4,194.50				\$9,333.32
BERLIN FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$16,694.24	\$11,891.28				\$28,585.52
BERRIEN CO YOUTH FAIR ASSOC.	\$32,524.72	\$13,297.14				\$45,821.86
BRANCH CO AGRICULTURAL & IND SOC.	\$26,067.11	\$13,297.14				\$39,364.25
CALHOUN CO AGRICULTURAL & IND SOC	\$21,165.73	\$13,297.14	\$3,020.00	\$77,600.00	\$3,040.00	\$118,122.87
CASS CO AGRICULTURAL FAIR ASSN	\$18,416.13	\$13,297.14	\$960.00	\$40,000.00	\$2,380.00	\$75,053.27
CHEBOYGAN COUNTY FAIR	\$14,053.68	\$13,297.14				\$27,350.82
CHELSEA COMMUNITY FAIR	\$8,141.07	\$13,297.14				\$21,438.21
CHIPPEWA CO STALWART AGRI FAIR	\$4,872.23	\$1,481.00				\$6,353.23
CHIPPEWA COUNTY FAIR	\$13,495.34	\$13,297.14		\$141,200.00	\$3,180.00	\$171,172.48
CLARE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$15,004.34	\$13,297.14		\$78,600.00	\$3,800.00	\$110,701.48
CLINTON COUNTY 4-H CLUB FAIR	\$5,969.45	\$7,972.39				\$13,941.84
CRAWFORD COUNTY FAIR ASSOCTN	\$129.27				\$129.27	
CROSWELL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	\$7,774.44	\$6,025.23	\$2,560.00	\$191,900.00	\$2,480.00	\$210,739.67
DICKINSON COUNTY FAIR	\$13,580.24	\$13,297.14		\$9,000.00	\$2,320.00	\$38,197.38
EATON CO 4-H AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$18,711.98	\$13,297.14	\$4,000.00	\$56,400.00	\$1,520.00	\$93,929.12
EMMET COUNTY FAIR	\$19,139.55	\$13,297.14				\$32,436.69
FOWLerville AGRICULTURAL SOC	\$28,514.32	\$13,297.14				\$41,811.46
GENESEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$37,759.09	\$13,297.14				\$51,056.23
GLADWIN COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	\$12,698.37	\$10,050.70	\$1,870.00	\$28,200.00	\$2,280.00	\$55,099.07
GOGEBIC COUNTY FAIR	\$10,389.86	\$13,297.14	\$4,000.00	\$61,200.00	\$3,800.00	\$42,767.00
GRATIOT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY	\$4,722.69	\$13,297.14				\$87,019.83
GRATIOT COUNTY FAIR FOR YOUTH	\$5,392.86	\$13,297.14				\$18,690.00
HILLSDALE CO. AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$30,477.48	\$13,297.14	\$2,620.00	\$113,600.00	\$3,800.00	\$163,794.62
HOUGHTON 4-H FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$7,827.85	\$13,297.14				\$21,124.99
HUDSONVILLE COMMUNITY FAIR	\$28,261.23	\$13,297.14				\$41,558.37
HURON COMMUNITY FAIR ASSOCTN	\$16,304.00	\$13,297.14	\$1,940.00	\$76,600.00	\$3,140.00	\$111,281.14

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INGHAM COUNTY FAIR	\$41,339.33	\$13,297.14				\$54,636.47
IONIA FREE FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$43,510.94	\$13,297.14				\$56,808.08
IOSCO COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$11,765.91	\$13,297.14		\$34,200.00	\$3,040.00	\$62,303.05
IRON COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$7,368.96	\$7,504.90				\$14,873.86
ISABELLA CO. YOUTH&FARM FAIR SOC.	\$20,240.76	\$13,297.14				\$33,537.90
JACKSON COUNTY FAIR	\$36,296.18	\$13,297.14	\$675.00	\$40,000.00	\$2,380.00	\$49,593.32
KALAMAZOO CO. AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$13,511.56	\$5,840.85				\$62,407.41
KALKASKA CO AGRICULTURAL FAIR	\$3,332.83	\$6,049.35				\$9,382.18
KENT CO 4-H AGRICULTURAL ASSOC.	\$18,955.47	\$12,072.79				\$31,028.26
LAKE ODESSA CIVIC & AGRIC. ASSOC.	\$7,155.11	\$6,879.65		\$59,200.00	\$3,800.00	\$77,034.76
LAPEER CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$9,593.89	\$13,297.14				\$22,891.03
LENAWEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$19,779.50	\$13,297.14	\$4,000.00	\$41,000.00	\$2,280.00	\$80,356.64
LUCE-WEST MACKINAC COUNTY FAIR	\$3,525.78	\$971.65				\$4,497.43
MANCHESTER COMMUNITY FAIR	\$4,460.45	\$3,065.68				\$7,526.13
MANISTEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$4,729.61	\$13,297.14				\$18,026.75
MARION FARM EXHIBIT ASSOCIATION	\$8,480.65	\$6,307.40		\$27,200.00	\$1,520.00	\$43,508.05
MARQUETTE COUNTY FAIR	\$4,514.63	\$13,297.14				\$17,811.77
MECOSTA CO. AGRICULTURAL FAIR	\$12,727.73	\$13,297.14	\$4,000.00	\$107,600.00	\$3,800.00	\$141,424.87
MENOMINEE COUNTY FAIR ASSOC.	\$6,759.57	\$1,871.76				\$8,631.33
MICH STATE EXPOSITION & FAIRGRN	\$222,582.94					\$222,582.94
MIDLAND CO AGR & HORTICULTURAL	\$28,037.99	\$13,297.14		\$159,700.00	\$2,580.00	\$203,615.13
MISSAUKEE FALMOUTH AGRICULTRL	\$4,558.05	\$13,297.14				\$17,855.19
MONROE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	\$32,987.35	\$13,297.14				\$46,284.49
MONTCALM COUNTY 4-H FAIR ASSOC.	\$9,686.67	\$6,725.87				\$16,412.54
MONTMORENCY CO 4-H FAIR ASN	\$7,526.69	\$13,297.14				\$20,823.83
MUSKEGON CO 4-H FAIR ASSOC.	\$4,896.99	\$6,396.07				\$11,293.06
NEWAYGO CO. AGRICULTURAL FAIR	\$15,812.31	\$13,297.14				\$29,109.45
NORTHERN DISTRICT FAIR ASSOC.	\$8,468.86	\$4,442.45				\$12,911.31
NORTHWESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR	\$1,947.10	\$13,297.14		\$98,800.00	\$1,720.00	\$115,764.24
OAKLAND COUNTY 4-H FAIR ASSOC	\$13,057.99	\$13,297.14				\$26,355.13
OCEANA CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$7,404.98	\$7,622.16				\$76,507.14
OGEMAW CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$10,371.56	\$13,297.14		\$59,200.00	\$2,280.00	\$23,668.70
ONTONAGON CO. AGRICULTURAL	\$2,779.15	\$3,025.86				\$5,805.01
OSCEOLA COUNTY 4-H & FFA FAIR	\$24,143.91	\$9,024.92				\$33,168.83
OSCODA COUNTY FAIR ASSOC., INC.	\$1,930.75	\$2,923.89				\$4,854.64
OTSEGO COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$5,092.83	\$13,297.14				\$18,389.97

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OTTAWA COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$22,279.24	\$13,297.14		\$211,100.00	\$4,000.00	\$250,676.38
PRESQUE ISLE CO. 4-H LEADERS	\$1,695.79	\$1,536.86				\$3,232.65
ROSCOMMON COUNTY FAIR BOARD	\$2,563.24	\$293.83				\$2,857.07
SAGINAW CO AGRICULTURAL SOC	\$3,748.33	\$13,297.14				\$17,045.47
SALINE COMMUNITY FAIR	\$18,446.35	\$8,840.49				\$27,286.84
SANILAC CO. 4-H AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$13,464.63	\$13,297.14				\$26,761.77
SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY FAIR ASSOC.	\$1,278.92	\$2,304.84				\$3,583.76
SHIAWASSEE CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$20,964.47	\$13,297.14				\$34,261.61
SPARTA AREA FAIR ASSOCIATION	\$4,614.99	\$3,244.94				\$7,859.93
ST. CLAIR CO AGRICULTURAL SOC.	\$7,848.43	\$12,737.87				\$20,586.30
ST. JOSEPH CO GRANGE FAIR ASSOC	\$48,009.01	\$13,297.14	\$3,170.00	\$112,600.00	\$3,800.00	\$180,876.15
TUSCOLA COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATN	\$11,324.05	\$13,297.14	\$1,905.00	\$43,000.00	\$3,140.00	\$72,666.19
UPPER PENINSULA STATE FAIR	\$26,713.76	\$13,297.14				\$40,010.90
VAN BUREN CO YOUTH FAIR ASSOC.	\$13,633.26	\$13,297.14				\$26,930.40
WASHTENAW COUNTY FARM COUNCIL	\$7,785.40	\$13,297.14				\$21,082.54
WAYNE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION, INC	\$2,520.53	\$13,297.14				\$15,817.67
WESTERN MICHIGAN FAIR ASSOCTN	\$10,307.86	\$13,297.14		\$42,000.00	\$2,280.00	\$67,885.00
SPORTS CREEK RACEWAY				\$102,800.00		\$102,800.00
SAGINAW HARNES RACEWAY				\$354,900.00		\$354,900.00
HAZEL PARK HARNES RACEWAY				\$102,800.00		\$102,800.00
TOTAL	\$1,482,599.97	\$899,812.52	\$40,670.00	\$2,659,400.00	\$77,620.00	\$5,160,102.49

2002 LIVESTOCK EXHIBITION COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM

Now in its seventh year, this grant program was designed to develop and promote youth and adult involvement in the animal agriculture industry, while increasing exhibitor and/or patron knowledge of livestock.

Proposals are accepted from agricultural associations and other organized groups hosting local, regional or state fairs or expositions. The proposals are evaluated by the FERD staff on educational objective, the use of state-of-the-art technology, utilization of performance parameters and the size and scope of audience reached. Thirty-one grant programs received a total of \$120,000 in 2002.

<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>APPLICANT</u>	<u>GRANT</u>
Equine Evaluation Program	Barry Cty 4-H Horse Development Com	\$1,500
Horsemanship Safety Cert Training	Barry Cty 4-H Horse Development Com	\$3,960
4-H Livestock Camp	Branch County Ag & Ind Soc	\$7,700
4-H Volunteer & Youth Devel Project	Emmet-Charlevoix Cty 4-H Mkt Lstck Ass	\$500
Basting Away in Kalamazoo	Kalamazoo County Agricultural Society	\$2,000
Livestock Ind Alt By-Product	Kalamazoo County Agricultural Society	\$2,000
History of Draft Horses/Show Value	MI Great Lakes International Draft Horse	\$10,010
4-H Standardbred Project	MI 4-H Standardbred Project (MHHA)	\$3,000
Michigan Beef Showcase	MI Cattlemen Assoc & MSU Animal Sc	\$8,000
Michigan Junior Beef Showcase	MI Cattlemen Assoc & MSU Animal Sc	\$5,000
Deer & Elk Education Program	MI Deer & Elk Farmers Association	\$2,500
Fiber Animals in the 21st Century	MI Fiber Festival Inc.	\$4,000
Michigan Jr Sheep Spectacular	MI Junior Livestock Association	\$4,200
Green & White Swine Show	MI Pork Producers Assoc	\$5,010
The Sparten Jackpot	MI Pork Producers Assoc	\$2,000
MI Spartan Classic Jr Hog Show	MI Pork Producers Assoc & MSU	\$2,500
The Michigan Dairy Expo	MI Purebred Dairy Cattle Association	\$22,000
MI Shorthorn Summer Gathering	MI Shorthorn Association	\$1,000
Milk the Cow	Michigan State Fair	\$1,500
Michigan Swine Youth Challenge	MI Swine Breeders Association	\$5,000
The Swine Camp 2002	MI Swine Breeders Association	\$4,000
Youth Horse Racing	MI Thoroughbred Breeders & Owners	\$4,500
Master Stockman Program	Monroe County Jr Livestock Association	\$2,500
N Exposure Club Lamb Classic	MSU Block and Bridle Club	\$1,200
Beef - Conception to Consumption	St Joseph County Grange Fair	\$3,000
Reining/Barrel Racing Clinics	U. P. Quarter Horse Youth Assoc	\$1,000
Comp Gen Placemat Design Contest	UPSF	\$3,000
Tech & Ag & Nat Res Chal	UPSF	\$2,000
Sheep & Goat Education Exhibit	Western Michigan Fair	\$349
The Place to BEE	Wolcott Mill Farm Learning Center	\$3,000
Youth Education Wagon Train	Youth Education Wagon Train	\$2,000
TOTAL		\$119,929

2003 LIVESTOCK EXHIBITION COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM

The Livestock Exhibition Competitive Grant Program was designed to develop and promote youth and adult involvement in animal agriculture, while increasing exhibitor and/or patron knowledge of livestock.

Proposals are accepted from agricultural associations and other organized groups hosting local, regional or state fairs or expositions. The proposals are evaluated by the FERD staff on educational objective, the use of state-of-the-art technology, utilization of performance parameters and the size and scope of audience reached. 2003 was the program's eighth year and 30 requesting programs received grants totaling \$120,000.

<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>APPLICANT</u>	<u>GRANT</u>
2003 Michigan 4-H Camp	Branch County Ag & Industrial Soc	\$6,000
4-H Small Animal Ed & Eval Prog	Barry County 4-H Small Animal Sale	\$2,400
Livestock Interpretive Signs	Kensington Farm Learning Center	\$6,800
Michigan's Draft Horse History	MI Great Lakes Int'l Draft Horse	\$2,800
Building Blocks for Horsemanship	UP Quarter Horse Youth Assoc.	\$1,000
Dairy ... Udderly Delicious	St Joseph County Grange Fair	\$1,600
Equine Evaluation Project	Barry County 4-H Horse Development	\$1,000
Equine Hospitality Row	Michigan State Fair	\$1,700
Fencing for Farm Learning Center	Hartley Outdoor Education Center	\$3,000
Green and White Show	Michigan Pork Producers Association	\$4,250
Hog Health	Wayne County Fair Association	\$2,000
Livestock Educational Kits		\$4,168
Michigan 4-H Standardbred Project	Michigan 4-H Standardbred Project	\$2,000
Michigan Beef Showcase	Michigan Cattlemen's Association	\$7,000
MI Dairy Expo & 4-H Dairy Days	Michigan Purebred Dairy Cattle Assoc.	\$17,500
Michigan Junior Beef Show	Michigan Cattlemen's Association	\$4,500
Michigan Junior Sheep Spectacular	Michigan Jr. Livestock Society	\$4,900
MI Spartan Classic Jr Hog Show	Michigan Pork Producers Association	\$3,500
Michigan Swine Youth Challenge	Michigan Swine Breeders Association	\$5,000
N. Exposure Club Lamb Classic	MSU's Block & Bridle Club	\$1,200
Outreach Expo	Kent County Fair	\$353
Premier Stockman	Monroe County Jr. Livestock Assoc.	\$1,500
Activities Contributes to Knowledge	Youth Enrichment is Success	\$7,000
Southern MI Prospect Lamb Show	Southern Michigan Project Lamb Show	\$500
Spartan Jackpot Show	Michigan Pork Producers Association	\$3,800
Species Educational Exhibits	Cass County Fair	\$3,948
Taking Youth from Field to Fleece	Michigan Fiber Festival, Inc.	\$3,000
Teach Safe Riding and Competition	Ontonagon County Fair	\$1,500
Technology & Ag & Nat. Res	UPSF	\$7,400
Youth Horse Racing	Youth Horse Racing-MTOBA	\$7,500
TOTAL		\$118,819

EQUINE DRUG TESTING PROCEDURES

Arrival Times:

- Harness races - one hour before post time.
- Pulling events - by start of event.

Parking:

- Park near track or pulling event. Send a notice to fairs requesting a parking space prior to the event.

Introductions:

- Check in with the fair management or speed secretary, harness race judge and/or horse pull officials. They will let the horsemen know that the crew is on the grounds and encourage cooperation. Place sign at the racing office notifying horsemen that the drug crew is present.

Animal Identification:

- Always check tattoo/freeze brand numbers on racehorses against the "Animal Identification List" generated by the race track system, provided by speed secretaries.

Collection Procedure:

1. The veterinarian will open the sample case by breaking the seal. Sample containers must be kept in a secured manner after the case has been unsealed.
 - a) Verify that individual plastic sample containers are intact and not damaged.
 - b) Verify that the plastic seal and adhesive "security seal" are intact on sample containers.
2. The veterinarian will select the horses to be tested.
3. Crew member takes sealed sample container and follows the horse assigned to the collection stall (location).

STEPS 4 - 13 ARE COMPLETED IN THE PRESENCE OF THE ANIMAL REPRESENTATIVE.

4. Present the container for examination to the representative of the horse about to be tested. If the container is rejected for any reason, another container is used and the defective container is returned to the laboratory for disposal.
5. The container is opened by pressing upward on the tab marked "OPEN," breaking the seal.
6. The container is placed in the catching stick; the lid is folded back and anchored under the metal finger welded to the handle.
7. After the sample is collected, the lid is closed and snapped completely shut.

NOTE: If a urine sample cannot be obtained, a veterinarian may collect six tubes of blood and label them in ink with the sample tag number. All labeled blood tubes are sealed inside a plastic sample container as described.

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8. All the information is completed on the sample tag, substituting the name of the fair for the track.
 - a) The horse's tattoo number is verified.
 - b) The horse representative signs under "Witness" after witnessing the sample.
 - c) The pictured identification of animal representative must be shown and the drivers license number or other unique number is recorded under his/her signature.
 - d) Any other details should be documented and noted.
9. The barbed strip is looped on the sample container through the hole in the top part of the sample tag and down through the two holes in the container tabs and pulled snug. The bottom part of the sample tag is returned to the veterinarian to be kept in a secure manner. The veterinarian delivers the bottom portion of the tag to the Fairs, Exhibitions & Racing Division.
10. A short piece of evidence tape is applied across the protruding end of the barbed strip and also across the lid and down both sides of the container.
11. A peel-off tag number label is placed with bar coding over the top and down the side of container.
12. A peel-off tag number is placed across lower body of container.
13. The sealed sample container is locked in a metal can. The top part of the tag is checked to insure it is attached to the sample inside the can. Once the can is locked it cannot be reopened until it reaches the laboratory.
14. Samples are held secure and cold until transferred to the laboratory.

NOTE: Urine samples can be kept frozen or refrigerated; blood samples must be kept refrigerated but NEVER frozen.

15. Syringe needles used in taking blood samples are discarded only in approved "Sharps" containers.
16. The case is sealed with the provided intact case seal when all sample collection has been completed and all samples are in the case.
17. The samples are transported to the laboratory.

NO SHOWS: When a horse is not brought to the detention crew for testing:

1. Check with racing office to see if the horseman was paid.
2. Have the racing office announce that the horse must be brought to the drug detention crew for testing.
3. The crew must wait 15 minutes after the announcement to allow the horse enough time to be brought to the testing area.
4. If the horse is not brought, the clerk and the presiding judge are notified immediately.
5. Notify Horse Race Administrator (Bill Woodman) of the status of the funds.
6. Make sure the sample tag has "NO SHOW" written on it.

The exact same procedure for each sample collected should be followed. Any deviation from procedure is documented. If staff are asked to testify about any sample that is found to be positive, the procedure and documentation is intended to be solid enough to assure the sample was secure.

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