Title: eXtension Business Management Support  
Project Manager: Steve Wyatt  
Time Period: 1/1/2012-12/31/2012  
Agency: University of Nebraska  
Amount: $20,000  
Type: Renewal  
Description: The University of Missouri Extension will serve as a business development consultant, identifying key business areas that need to be addressed to make eXtension a valuable resource for Cooperative Extension and others within the land-grant community.

Title: Voices for Food  
Project Manager: Donna Mehrle  
Time Period: 10/1/2012-9/30/2017  
Agency: South Dakota State University  
Amount: $616,934  
Type: New  
Description: University of MO will work with South Dakota State University to develop Food Policy Councils that can offer integrated nutrition education and food security at food pantries.

Title: US National Crop Progress/Condition Monitoring and Yield Estimation System for Enhancing Agricultural Production and Food Security  
Project Manager: William Wiebold  
Time Period: 1/1/2013-12/31/2017  
Agency: George Mason University  
Amount: $249,032  
Type: New  
Description: Crop growth models will be integrated into a computer program system, allowing users to examine the outcomes of different farm management plans. The GeoBrain geospatial knowledge system developed by the PI's team and adopted by the Crop Yield Model, Crop Progress and Condition Decision Support System of NASS will be the basis for this proposed system.

Title: Translational Genomics for Improving Sow Reproductive Longevity  
Project Manager: Timothy Safranski  
Time Period: 1/1/2013 – 12/31/2017  
Agency: University of Nebraska  
Amount: $925,987  
Type: New  
Description: MU will conduct the extension portion of a project being conducted by the University of Nebraska on a research and extension project. Missouri’s role will include collecting samples and associated data, generate fact sheets and guides, provide the lead in coordinating the international symposium and assist with the development of the online course.
Title: Managing Input Risks in Forage Production  
Project Manager: Joe Horner  
Time Period: 7/1/2012 – 6/30/2013  
Agency: North Central Risk Management Education Center  
Amount: $49,959  
Type: New  
Description: University of Missouri will combine lectures, decision-aids, and case studies to teach beef producers how to better manage the production and financial risks associated with growing and harvesting forages.

Title: Increasing Production Knowledge and Profitability of Urban, Small and Diversifying Farmers  
Project Manager: Crystal Weber  
Time Period: 7/1/2012 – 6/30/2013  
Agency: North Central Risk Management Education Center  
Amount: $30,100  
Type: New  
Description: The KC region offers a growing number of outlets for fresh, locally grown produce, value-added foods and meats. Individual, retail, and institutional buyers seek access to new growers and producers and additional products to diversity their non-local offerings. This project will allow participants to experience two hands-on workshop series that will increase production and business development knowledge and abilities.

Title: Identification and Management of Alleles Impairing Heifer Fertility White Optimizing Genetic Gain in Angus Cattle  
Project Manager: David Patterson  
Time Period: 1/1/2013 – 12/31/2017  
Agency: National Institute of Food and Agriculture  
Amount: $1,001,516  
Type: New  
Description: This project will apply genomic technologies to enhance fertility in beef cattle, studying the potential to improve reproductive efficiency.

Title: Adult Education and Literacy Services  
Project Manager: Alan St. John  
Time Period: 11/1/2011 – 10/31/2012  
Agency: Mo. Dept of Elementary and Secondary Education  
Amount: $35,000  
Type: New  
Description: These funds are to cover the hotel and lunch costs of participants attending professional development workshops.

Title: SEMA-MERC LP Gas Training  
Project Manager: David Hedrick  
Time Period: 3/1/2012 – 9/30/2012  
Agency: State Emergency Management Agency  
Amount: $24,000  
Type: New  
Description: Extension’s Fire and Rescue Training Institute will offer the course, Handling LP Gas Emergencies, to fire and rescue organizations, law enforcement organizations, state agencies and other emergency service entities within Mo. LP gas is a potential hazard present in most communities and a complete understanding of its hazards is necessary to safely and efficiently handle such an incident.
Title: Operation Military Kids Camp 2012  
Project Manager: Mary Jo Williams  
Time Period: 2/1/2012 – 1/31/2013  
Agency: Kansas State University  
Amount: $50,000  
Type: Renewal  
Description: Camps provide young people an opportunity to live and work with others, to connect with caring adults and to learn and discover new things. This project will be aimed at providing camp opportunities to children whose parent(s) in in the military.

Title: The St. Louis Healthy Corner State Project  
Project Manager: Kara Lubischer  
Time Period: 12/1/2011-1/31/2013  
Agency: City of St. Louis Dept of Health  
Amount: $68,357  
Type: New  
Description: University of Missouri Extension will work with the City of St. Louis Health Department on St. Louis Healthy Corner Store Project. Extension will assist neighborhoods with forming community leadership teams, develop and provide health and nutrition education curricula, and assist in the development of health promotion messages using youth-based efforts and social media.

Title: The St. Louis Healthy Corner Store Project  
Project Manager: Kara Lubischer  
Time Period: 12/1/2011 – 6/30/2012  
Agency: Mo Dept of Health and Senior Services  
Amount: $19,794  
Type: New  
Description: MU Extension will assist with reaching out to residents and store owners to promote the St. Louis Healthy Corner Store Project.

Title: Alternative Energy Production & Utilization on Farms  
Project Manager: Robert Broz  
Time Period: 2/1/2012 – 1/31/2014  
Agency: Lincoln University  
Amount: $19,892  
Type: New  
Description: Agriculture Extension will assist with the dissemination of information on solar and biomass energy sources for sustainable farming.