

AG EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURING & SALES

Expand ag/tech education in underserved areas, specifically highlighting public-private partnerships, to promote workforce development



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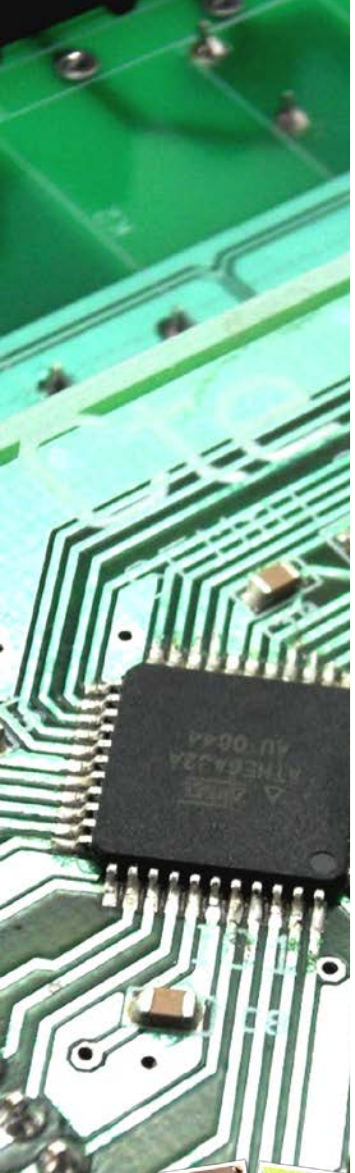
Develop a partnership between ag industry and local economic developers to propose legislation that provides state support for entrepreneurs and business development



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Incorporation of agriculture and an entrepreneurial mindset into state's general education at an early age to further workforce development



BEEF

Establish a coalition to support legislation to create an H2C guestworker program, or something similar, that allows for a year-round, multi-year, and renewable visa. Consider a state pilot program.



COTTON

Adapt to rapid rate of growth in cotton industry: need to educate new producers, crop consultants and find a cotton expert at KSRE.



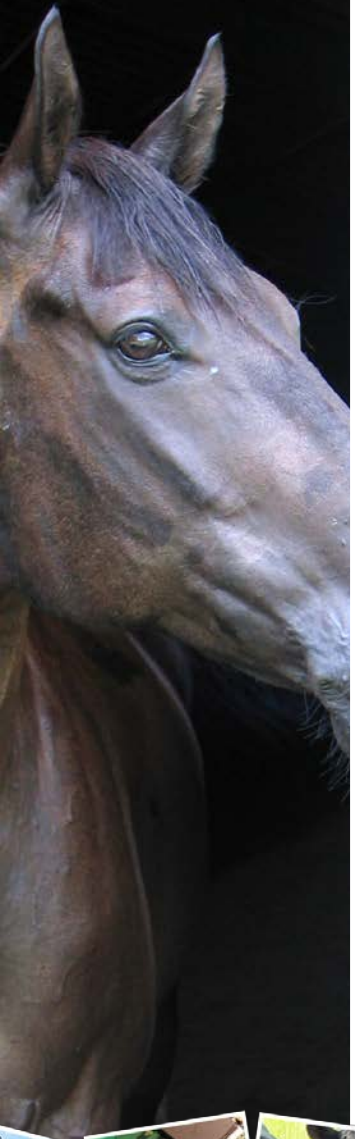
DAIRY

Pursue opportunities to establish a dairy cattle processing facility in the state



EQUINE

Move forward on an economic impact survey that will help identify the prevalence of equines and economic impact needs that will foster support.



FEED & FORAGE

Working together over the next year to have conversations about shortened version of conservation programs (CRP, EQIP, etc.)



FOOD PROCESSING

Identify communities currently ready for expansion in food processing and help them understand the needs of food processors to know how to market themselves and Kansas as a whole



PET FOOD

Increase awareness of the job opportunities in the pet food industry and increase workforce by providing educational opportunities to prepare for those jobs



PORK

Guidance on finding new markets and how to market niche pork. Also work toward a coordinated effort to assist with immigration process and bring in needed workforce.



POULTRY

Develop a coalition of ag groups to serve as an ambassador to the poultry industry. Pair agricultural groups with rural water districts to discuss aging infrastructure and how that may limit growth



SORGHUM

Analyze alternative storage
and transportation network –
shipping containers, bags –
look at successful models
currently in place



SOYBEANS & OTHER OILSEEDS

Education of consumers about the various potential markets for the oilseed industry, as well as fact-based information about GMOs





SPECIALTY CROPS

Form a Specialty Crop association to address the issues and challenges of the industry



UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS

Focusing on multiple
agency cooperation on the
Integrated Pilot Project in
precision agriculture



WHEAT

Two Identity Preserved wheat programs are working together to share info, increase market, and assist producers.

