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Small Minority Producer Grant Recipients

State/Territory	Selected Applicant	Grant Amount	Grant Purpose
CO	Rio Culebra Agricultural Cooperative	\$117,121	Marketing feasibility study for grass-finished organic beef/biodiesel crop market study.
IL	Illinois Green Pastures Fiber Cooperative	\$180,000	Marketing plan/fiber products.
MS	Mississippi Association of Cooperatives	\$200,000	Feasibility study and business plan for a shared services cooperative for 4 co-ops.
OK	Native American Indian Farming and Ranching Cooperative, Inc.	\$173,100	Study, market research for alternative energy/agricultural production of feed stock based business opportunities.
ND	Native American People Cooperative	\$129,027	Marketing development for hog marketing, heirloom seeds, organic vegetables and medicinal herbs.

PR	Productores de Café de Puerto Rico	\$200,000	Marketing plan to create sustainable market and customer base for coffee beans.
St. Croix	Virgin Islands Farmers Cooperative, Inc.	\$172,950	Feasibility study, market plan, business plan, training for dairy farm activities and production of fruits, vegetables and herbs.
SD	Inter Tribal Bison Cooperative	\$200,000	Training for 57 Native American tribes on marketing plan for bison
TX	Southwest Texas Goat Producers Cooperative, Inc.	\$99,922	Feasibility and marketing study, business plan for goat products.
	TOTAL	\$1,472,120	

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