**RESEARCH PROPOSAL TO THE AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION FOR THE COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM – 2021- 2023**

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Proposal title:

Principal Investigator \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date  
  
Principal Investigator Printed Name:

**APPROVED BY:**

Principal Investigator's Unit Leader\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date  
  
Unit Leader Printed Name:

**APPROVED BY:**

Principal Investigator's Academic College\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date

Academic College Name:

Use a separate line for each co-PI. If co-PIs are in a different unit, add unit and college administrator lines as needed.

ARF WILL OBTAIN SIGNATURES USING THE **OSU DOCUSIGN SYSTEM**. THERE IS NO NEED TO ROUTE YOUR PROPOSAL FOR HARDCOPY SIGNATURES.

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**Lead Researcher**

Name:

Email address:

Phone number:

Academic rank (Asst., Assoc. or Full Professor):

Appointment type (Tenure/Tenure-track; Sr. Research; Prof. of Practice; Courtesy; Affiliate):

Start date in current rank (MM/DD/YYYY):

Physical work location:

Immediate supervisor:

OSU academic home department:

**Co-PI(s) (if any):**

**Cooperator(s) (if any):**

**Project Title:**

**Project Dollar Amount:**

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***2021-23 ARF Proposal Body (four-page limit)***

Justification:

Objectives:

Procedures:

Specific roles of Co-PI(s) and Cooperator(s), if listed on cover page:

Impact:

References cited (six maximum):

Duration of study:

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***2021-23 ARF BUDGET (not included in four-page limit – please round all figures to nearest dollar)***

**Salaries:**

Faculty (personal salary)  
Faculty Research Assistant

Post Doc

Graduate Student

Undergraduate Students

Other Labor - specify type

OPE for all categories

**Travel:**

Domestic - in state

Domestic - out of state

Foreign - foreign travel may be allowed if it will significantly and directly contribute to the research being proposed – explain why this is so

**Services:**

**Supplies:** includes equipment with an individual piece value less than $5000, i.e. six cattle collars at $1000 each are stilled considered to be supplies

**Equipment:** includes an item with a single piece value of $5000 or over

**Total:**

**Other funding sources (if any**): List any other funding sources that may be used for this work. List dollar amount available from these sources.

**Tuition and Fee Coverage Plan (if applicable):** Tuition and fee charges are not allowed as ARF budget items, but if you are including a graduate student assistantship in your budget, please indicate here how tuition and fees will be paid.

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Budget Comments:

* “Overhead” charges (facilities and administration) are not allowed.
* Other Payroll Expenses (OPE) are not considered to be “overhead” and should be shown if you are paying wages or salaries of any type.