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UDAF Announces Food Security Processing Grant Recipients

Taylorville, UT — The Utah Department of Agriculture and Food (UDAF) announces that the following recipients have been approved to receive funding under the 2023 Utah Food Security Processing Grant Program:

Mountainland Apples
Heber Valley Meat
Springville Meat Co.
Cache Valley Custom Meats
Uintah Packing Company
Sunbow Distributing
Bingham's Custom Meats
Premium Meat Company
Farm Creek Meats, LLC.
Ashton Farms Custom Meats
Fowers Fruit Ranch
Beehive Pack LLC.
Monsons Quality Meat Processing
Bell Mont Meats
Hollow Tree Honey
Circle V Meat Inc.
Davis Custom Meat Processing
Prime Cuts Meat Processing
Wall Brothers Orchards
Cache Canning Co.
Solstice Spices

During the 2023 Legislative Session, UDAF was appropriated \$1,000,000 by the Utah Legislature to provide grants to small meat, poultry, and fruit and vegetable processors to make immediate impacts to processing capacity to improve local food security.

In total, UDAF received 89 applications with over \$10 million in requests. The department will continue to work with the legislature and hope to make this a continuing grant program that will strengthen food security for the people of Utah.

For more information on the grant and to view application requirements, visit <https://aq.utah.gov/foodsecuritygrant/>.

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