



# Utah Food Security Processing Grant Ranking Criteria

The Utah Department of Agriculture and Food

- \_\_\_\_/5      Applicant provided quotes for equipment provided, requests are reasonable
- \_\_\_\_/10      Agricultural Sector: These Areas are Worth Additional Points
- Meats & Poultry
  - Fruits & Vegetables
- \_\_\_\_/10      Cost-matching funds provided by the applicant
- 50% or greater cost-match = 10 pts
- \_\_\_\_/15      Project timeline - how quickly will the project be implemented and begin having an impact on food security?
- Within 6 months = 10 pts
  - 6 months to one year = 5 pts
- \_\_\_\_/15      Percentage of ingredients sourced from Utah-grown/raised products
- 51-70% = 5 pts
  - 71-85% = 10 pts
  - 86-100% = 15 pts
- \_\_\_\_/15      Applicant has a viable business plan/business model and is not reliant on ongoing grant funding
- \_\_\_\_/30      Grant impact on applicant's processing and/or storage capacity and impact on the overall food supply chain in Utah

**\_\_\_\_/ 100 Total Points Possible**