

**Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration and Related Agencies**

<b>Project Title</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Intended Recipient</b>	<b>Project Location</b>	<b>Description</b>
Wyoming Animal Disease Research	\$500,000	University of Wyoming	Laramie, WY	The Wyoming Wildlife/Livestock Disease Research Partnership at the University of Wyoming utilizes state personnel and facilities to identify funding sources, enhance wildlife and livestock disease research in the state, and understand, manage, control and preempt diseases that may impact wildlife, livestock, or humans. Wildlife diseases of local and national importance identified as priorities for research by the Partnership include chronic wasting disease, brucellosis, and pasteurellosis pneumonia.
Property Transfer to the Medicine Bow Conservation District	\$0 (Report Language Authorization)	Medicine Bow Conservation District	Medicine Bow, WY	The Medicine Bow Conservation District seeks to acquire title and make improvements to the existing office they currently share with the Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) in Medicine Bow, Wyoming. The subcommittee is requested to include legislative language transferring title of the building from NRCS to the Conservation District.
Tri-State Predator Control Program (WY, ID, MT)	\$2,300,000	Department of Agriculture—APHIS—Wildlife Services	States of Wyoming, Idaho and Montana	Wildlife Services' activities in the three states have increased dramatically due to assisting the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) with conflict situations involving federally listed species. In particular, the USFWS has requested the assistance of Wildlife Services to remove nuisance wolves and grizzly bears that pose a threat to human safety, or that have demonstrated repeat depredation on livestock. With progress of delisting grizzly bear and gray wolf in the Greater Yellowstone Area, wildlife management challenges have increased.
Greater Yellowstone Interagency Brucellosis Committee	\$2,225,000	Approximately 15 State and Federal agencies participate in the program	Greater Yellowstone Area in Wyoming, Idaho and Montana	The States of Wyoming, Idaho and Montana are required to manage brucellosis-infected wildlife to prevent the spread of the disease to non-infected wildlife, cattle, or domestic bison. Federal cooperation is required to fully utilize the states' efforts. Fifteen Federal and State agencies coordinate wildlife and livestock management planning to prevent the spread of brucellosis and work toward its eventual eradication.