Creating a Stronger Minnesota through Education and Research

University of Minnesota Extension discovers science-based solutions, delivers practical education, and engages Minnesotans to build a better future.

Extension connects the University and Minnesota

TOGETHER we create a better world through:

- Healthy FOOD
- Thriving YOUTH
- Vibrant COMMUNITIES
- Cleaner WATER
- Stronger FAMILIES

Federal, state and county funding for Extension

- FEDERAL $10.4 million
- COUNTY GOVERNMENT $14.4 million
- STATE $27.3 million
- GRANTS, GIFTS & OTHER $16.1 million

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA EXTENSION MISSION Making a difference by connecting community needs and University resources to address critical issues in Minnesota.
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DISCOVERING SOLUTIONS TO TODAY’S PROBLEMS

- Pollinator health
- Invasive species: aquatic and terrestrial
- Farm productivity and efficiency
- Cleaner, safer water supply
- Climate change adaptation
- Farm bill decision-making
- Safe, healthy and affordable food
- Rural and community leadership

PARTNERSHIPS CREATE POSITIVE IMPACT

**Federal investments**, including United States Department of Agriculture, fund multi-state research and education

**State investments** are leveraged through collaborations with Minnesota state departments including agriculture, natural resources, health, human services, pollution control and tourism

**County investments** ensure that 4-H and other programs are delivered locally

**Hundreds of organizations and agencies** expand the reach, delivering education created by Extension across Minnesota, the nation and the world

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA EXTENSION FACULTY IN:

- College of Food, Agricultural and Natural Resource Sciences
- College of Veterinary Medicine
- College of Education and Human Development
- Hubert H. Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs
- College of Design
- University of Minnesota – Crookston, Duluth, Morris and Rochester

ENGAGING MINNESOTANS TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

65% of 800 staff work in greater MN
700,000 participants in programs
35,000 volunteers
1,000 community board members

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