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MEMORANDUM

TO: EQUINE FACULTY
College of Veterinary Medicine

FROM: Patrick Green, PhD
Associate Dean for Research and Graduate Studies

SUBJECT: CALL FOR EQUINE PROPOSALS - DEADLINE: JULY 11, 2016

GUIDELINES FOR SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS FOR EQUINE RESEARCH FUNDS

PURPOSE: The Ohio State Racing Commission (OSRC) has allocated money for high impact equine research to improve the health, wellness, performance, production, growth and development, and welfare of horses through innovative and collaborative research. Included in this, is to perform research that investigates the equine-human bond and the use of horses as companion animals, particularly as it relates to rehoming or finding new vocations for retired racehorses and unwanted horses.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES: The proposal must use the provided College application format (REVISED 12/15/15). Guidelines and template can be found at the following link on the Office of Research website http://www.vet.ohio-state.edu/311.htm. Original plus 3 copies of the proposal must be submitted on or prior to the above quoted deadline. An electronic version should also be sent to Morscher.1@osu.edu. There is a limit of one proposal submission per principal investigator for this competition. NOTE: Grants that do not follow the required college grant application format will not be reviewed.

BUDGET: A maximum total funding target of $20,000 (includes both direct and 10% indirect costs) per proposal. Resident Projects: Up to three $9,000 (total budget includes direct and 10% indirect costs) grants will be awarded to faculty initiated proposals where it is designated specifically for a resident thesis project. The resident must already be accepted in the College’s Graduate Program and be identified on the project. Do not budget for publication costs.

PROJECT TERMINATION: All proposals will be awarded for a maximum of two years. At the end of the award period, any residual funds will be remitted back to the main equine fund. Any extensions must be requested in writing to the CVM Office of Research and Graduate Studies.

REPORT REQUIREMENTS: A final/interim report is due annually and/or after termination of the project.

IACUC/CRAC APPROVAL: IACUC AND/OR CRAC APPROVAL MUST BE IN PLACE PRIOR TO AN ACCOUNT BEING ESTABLISHED ON AWARDED PROJECTS.

REMINDER: Each faculty member may be principal investigator of a maximum of two active intramurally-funded grants at any one time.