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CONFERENCE NAME	AGENCY	LOCATION	START DATE	END DATE	USDA PARTICIPANTS	TOTAL COSTS	PROCUREMENT CONTRACT
2012 NASP/NACS ZONE MEETING	RD	GREENVILLE, SC	2/9/2012	2/10/2012	46	\$14,639.39	N
AGRICULTURAL AND APPLIED ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION	ERS	PITTSBURGH, PA	7/24/2011	7/26/2011	88	\$59,415.40	NONE
AGRICULTURAL OUTLOOK FORUM	MULTIPLE AGENCIES	ARLINGTON, VA	2/23/2012	2/24/2012	794	\$136,126.00	YES. SOLE SOURCE.
AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH SERVICE FOOD INSPECTION SERVICE FOOD SAFETY WORKSHOP	ARS	SHEPHERDSTOWN, WV	1/18/2012	1/20/2012	52	\$25,879.32	N/A
ALABAMA STATE MEETING	RD	ORANGE BEACH, AL	9/20/2011	9/23/2011	91	\$41,917.92	Y
ALASKA FORUM ON THE ENVIRONMENT	FS	ANCHORAGE, AK	2/5/2012	2/11/2012	8	\$11,751.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
ALL DISTRICT CONSERVATIONIST MEETING	NRCS	COLORADO SPRINGS, CO	4/30/2012	5/2/2012	66	\$29,846.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
ALTERNATIVES TO METHYL BROMIDE CONFERENCE	ARS	SAN DIEGO, CA	10/31/2011	11/3/2011	14	\$13,311.99	N/A
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR CEREAL CHEMISTS ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL MEETING	ARS	PALM SPRINGS, CA	10/16/2011	10/19/2011	22	\$31,271.86	N/A
AMERICAN BEE RESEARCH CONFERENCE	ARS	GREENBELT, MD	2/6/2012	2/10/2012	6	\$10,287.14	N/A
AMERICAN BEEKEEPING FEDERATION CONFERENCE AND TRADESHOW	ARS	LAS VEGAS, NV	1/10/2012	1/14/2012	9	\$10,540.71	N/A
AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY NATIONAL MEETING AND EXPOSITION	ARS	DENVER, CO	8/28/2011	9/1/2011	33	\$35,674.21	N/A
AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY NATIONAL MEETING AND EXPOSITION	ARS	SAN DIEGO, CA	3/25/2012	3/29/2012	15	\$26,621.04	N/A
AMERICAN COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE	FNS	COSTA MESA, CA	5/4/2012	5/9/2012	34	\$46,181.06	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
AMERICAN DAIRY SCIENCE ASSOCIATION AND THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF ANIMAL SCIENCE JOINT ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	NEW ORLEANS, LA	7/10/2011	7/14/2011	54	\$64,993.04	N/A
AMERICAN DIETETIC ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE	FNS	SAN DIEGO, CA	9/24/2011	9/27/2011	24	\$39,472.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
AMERICAN GEOPHYSICAL UNION	ARS	SAN FRANCISCO, CA	12/5/2011	12/9/2011	41	\$51,832.16	N/A
AMERICAN GEOPHYSICAL UNION CHAPMAN CONFERENCE ON REMOTE SENSING OF THE TERRESTRIAL WATERCYCLE	ARS	KONA, HI	2/19/2012	2/22/2012	8	\$12,375.34	N/A
AMERICAN HONEY PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION CONVENTION	ARS	PHOENIX, AZ	1/5/2012	1/6/2012	12	\$11,307.52	N/A
AMERICAN INDIAN SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING SOCIETY CONFERENCE	FS	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	11/10/2011	11/12/2011	1	\$477.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
AMERICAN INDIAN SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING SOCIETY CONFERENCE	NRCS	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	11/10/2011	11/12/2011	15	\$13,854.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
AMERICAN INDIAN SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING SOCIETY CONFERENCE	OAO	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	11/10/2011	11/12/2011	1	\$1,568.65	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
AMERICAN METEOROLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	NEW ORLEANS, LA	1/22/2012	1/26/2012	7	\$10,141.51	N/A
AMERICAN MOSQUITO CONTROL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	AUSTIN, TX	2/26/2012	3/1/2012	13	\$16,954.21	N/A
AMERICAN PEANUT RESEARCH AND EDUCATION SOCIETY CONFERENCE	ARS	SAN ANTONIO, TX	7/11/2011	7/14/2011	12	\$10,264.40	N/A
AMERICAN PHYTOPATHOLOGICAL SOCIETY AND INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE PLANT PROTECTION SCIENCES JOINT MEETING	ARS	HONOLULU, HI	8/6/2011	8/10/2011	98	\$173,608.77	N/A
AMERICAN PUBLIC HUMAN SERVICES ASSOCIATION AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM DIRECTORS CONFERENCE	FNS	COLUMBUS, OH	10/9/2011	10/12/2011	10	\$10,629.01	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR MICROBIOLOGY GENERAL MEETING	ARS	SAN FRANCISCO COUNTY, CA	6/16/2012	6/19/2012	37	\$62,723.88	N/A
AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR VIROLOGY ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	7/16/2011	7/20/2011	19	\$19,240.35	N/A
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF AGRICULTURAL AND BIOLOGICAL ENGINEERS ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	LOUISVILLE, KY	8/7/2011	8/10/2011	60	\$46,815.66	N/A
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF AGRONOMY, CROP SCIENCE SOCIETY OF AMERICAN, SOIL SCIENCE SOCIETY OF AMERICA INTERNATIONAL ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	SAN ANTONIO, TX	10/16/2011	10/19/2011	265	\$355,195.22	N/A
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF HORTICULTURE SCIENCE ANNUAL CONFERENCE	ARS	WAIKOLOA, HI	9/25/2011	9/28/2011	53	\$73,364.70	N/A
AQUACULTURE AMERICA CONFERENCE	ARS	LAS VEGAS, NV	2/29/2012	3/2/2012	23	\$18,700.24	N/A
ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF INDUSTRIAL CROPS MEETING	ARS	FARGO, ND	9/11/2011	9/14/2011	16	\$11,301.90	N/A
BEAN IMPROVEMENT COOPERATIVE AND NORTH AMERICAN PEA IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION BIENNIAL CONFERENCE	ARS	SAN JUAN, PR	10/30/2011	11/4/2011	9	\$15,130.36	N/A
BELTWISE COTTON CONFERENCE	AMS	ORLANDO, FL	1/3/2012	1/6/2012	1	\$1,211.05	
BELTWISE COTTON CONFERENCE	ARS	ORLANDO, FL	1/3/2012	1/6/2012	77	\$74,681.57	N/A

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BIOFACH	FAS	NUREMBERG, DNK	2/13/2012	2/16/2012	4	\$11,385.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
BI-REGIONAL SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION PROGRAM INTEGRITY CONFERENCE	FNS	PROVIDENCE, RI	4/24/2012	4/26/2012	31	\$26,286.52	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
BI-REGIONAL SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION PROGRAM INTEGRITY CONFERENCE	FNS	DENVER, CO	6/11/2012	6/15/2012	9	\$13,453.04	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
BLACKS IN GOVERNMENT	RD	BOSTON, MA	8/21/2011	8/25/2011	9	\$21,840.35	N
BOSTON SEAFOOD SHOW	FAS	BOSTON, MA	3/13/2012	3/15/2012	10	\$26,164.99	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
BRAZILIAN AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH CORPORATION WORKSHOP	ARS	FT. COLLINS, CO	12/5/2011	12/6/2011	26	\$11,099.96	N/A
CA ASSOCIATION OF RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICTS CONFERENCE	NRCS	STOCKTON, CA	11/8/2011	11/11/2011	44	\$30,298.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
CENTRAL PLANT BOARD MEETING	APHIS	TRAVERSE CITY, MI	6/3/2012	6/7/2012	17	\$24,307.25	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES, OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT
CHILD AND ADULT CARE FOOD PROGRAM NATIONAL PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE	FNS	AUSTIN, TX	4/9/2012	4/13/2012	19	\$22,009.76	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
CHINA SYMPOSIUM	FAS	DES MOINES, IA	2/15/2012	2/17/2012	8	\$70,447.94	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
CITRUS HEALTH RESEARCH ANNUAL FORUM	ARS	DENVER, CO	10/4/2011	10/6/2011	9	\$12,569.83	N/A
CITRUS HEALTH RESEARCH FORUM	APHIS	DENVER, CO	10/4/2011	10/6/2011	20	\$22,908.43	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT
CITRUS HEALTH RESEARCH FORUM	NIFA	DENVER, CO	10/4/2011	10/6/2011	1	\$1,427.14	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
CODEX ASIA SANITARY PHYTOSANITARY WORKSHOP	FAS	BANGKOK, THA	1/31/2012	2/2/2012	8	\$17,447.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
COMMODITY PROCUREMENT INDUSTRY MEETING	AMS	WASHINGTON, DC	4/18/2012	4/20/2012	55	\$14,572.68	
COMMUNITY FACILITIES CONFERENCE	RD	DEADWOOD, SD	8/22/2011	8/26/2011	44	\$20,039.76	N
CONFERENCE OF RESEARCH WORKERS IN ANIMAL DISEASES CONTRACTING OFFICER REPRESENTATIVE COURSE	ARS	CHICAGO, IL	12/4/2011	12/6/2011	18	\$13,687.75	N/A
CONTRACTING OFFICER REPRESENTATIVE COURSE	NRCS	HATO REY, PR	6/18/2012	6/22/2012	22	\$17,801.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT PEST SURVEY PLANNING WORKSHOP	APHIS	MIAMI, FL	1/31/2012	2/2/2012	9	\$13,451.63	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
CORN AND SORGHUM AND SOYBEAN SEED RESEARCH CONFERENCE	ARS	CHICAGO, IL	12/6/2011	12/9/2011	24	\$17,896.58	N/A
CORN UTILIZATION AND TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE	ARS	INDIANAPOLIS, IN	6/4/2012	6/6/2012	17	\$11,830.63	N/A
COST DATA TEAM MEETING	NRCS	DES MOINES, IA	5/21/2012	5/25/2012	22	\$30,368.80	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
CT/RI FALL ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY SYMPOSIUM TOUR	NRCS	PROVIDENCE, RI	10/3/2011	10/7/2011	30	\$29,732.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
CULTURAL TRANSFORMATION	RD	MITCHELL, SD	9/19/2011	9/20/2011	63	\$21,123.71	N
DIVERSITY DAY CELEBRATION	NRCS	WITCHITA, KS	10/4/2011	10/4/2011	250	\$20,250.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
EASTERN PLANT BOARD	APHIS	BURLINGTON, VT	4/16/2012	4/19/2012	22	\$24,349.35	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES, OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT
ECOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA MEETING	ARS	AUSTIN, TX	8/8/2011	8/12/2011	19	\$17,007.66	N/A
ELECTRONIC BENEFITS TRANSFER NEXT GENERATION CONFERENCE	FNS	CLEARWATER, FL	11/6/2011	11/12/2011	16	\$18,863.99	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	RENO, NV	11/13/2011	11/16/2011	134	\$179,933.46	N/A
ENTOMOLOGY SOCIETY OF AMERICA	APHIS	RENO, NV	11/12/2011	11/17/2011	26	\$55,004.98	EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL AND REGISTRATION ONLY
EUROPEAN GRAPEVINE MOTH TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP MEETING	APHIS	SACRAMENTO, CA	12/13/2011	12/15/2011	20	\$20,000.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT
EUROPEAN UNION CONSOLIDATED MEETINGS FOR GRAIN AND FEED, BIOFUELS, BIOTECH, AND OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS REPORTS	FAS	BUDAPEST, HUN	3/12/2012	3/15/2012	19	\$26,242.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
EUROPIC 2012 CONFERENCE	ARS	SAINT RAPHAEL, FRA	6/3/2012	6/7/2012	4	\$12,974.94	N/A
EXCELLENCE IN GOVERNMENT EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT FELLOWS PROGRAM	OCIO	NORFOLK, VA	10/17/2011	10/20/2011	1	\$10,584.00	
EXPERIMENTAL BIOLOGY CONFERENCE	FNS	SAN DIEGO, CA	4/21/2012	4/25/2012	7	\$14,364.61	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
FARM-TO-SCHOOL AND SCHOOL FOOD FOCUS CONFERENCE	FNS	CHICAGO, IL	5/1/2012	5/5/2012	10	\$12,465.58	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
FEDERAL EMPLOYED WOMEN CONFERENCE	RD	PHILADELPHIA, PA	7/17/2011	7/22/2011	7	\$18,037.92	N
FEDERAL EXECUTIVE BOARD (FEB) EXECUTIVE FORUM	RD	BRANSON, MO	8/10/2011	8/12/2011	21	\$10,198.51	N
FEDERAL GRAIN ADVISORY COMMITTEE	GIPSA	PORTLAND, OR	12/5/2011	12/8/2011	9	\$28,626.60	
FEDERAL GRAIN INSPECTION MANAGERS CONFERENCE	GIPSA	KANSAS CITY, MO	3/18/2012	3/23/2012	16	\$10,854.24	
FEDERAL LAB CONSORTIUM FAR WEST MEETING	ARS	MONTEREY, CA	8/29/2011	9/1/2011	12	\$14,105.11	N/A
FOREST PRODUCTS SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE	FS	WASHINGTON, DC	6/3/2012	6/5/2012	12	\$20,058.09	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION SMARTPAY TRAINING CONFERENCE	ARS	LAS VEGAS, NV	8/16/2011	8/18/2011	13	\$10,513.73	N/A
GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISORS	NRCS	BRASELTON, GA	1/6/2012	1/8/2012	47	\$21,073.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.

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GULFOOD	FAS	DUBAI, UMI	2/19/2012	2/22/2012	5	\$16,488.45	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
ICMI ACCE CONFERENCE	OCFO	SEATTLE, WA	5/7/2012	5/10/2012	3	\$10,727.00	YES. SOLE SOURCE.
IMPLEMENTATION OF NORTH CENTRAL WETLANDS CONSERVATION INITIATIVE MEETING	NRCS	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	3/19/2012	3/20/2012	14	\$11,175.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
INDIANA ASSOCIATION OF SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICTS CONFERENCE	NRCS	INDIANAPOLIS, IN	1/9/2012	1/10/2012	71	\$24,556.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
INDIANA LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM WASHINGTON DC TRIP	NRCS	WASHINGTON, DC	5/6/2012	5/10/2012	9	\$17,212.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
INSTITUTE OF FOOD TECHNOLOGIST CONFERENCE	FNS	LAS VEGAS, NV	6/22/2012	7/2/2012	2	\$8,478.08	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
INSTITUTE OF FOOD TECHNOLOGIST CONFERENCE	FSIS	LAS VEGAS, NV	6/22/2012	7/2/2012	1	\$3,450.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
INSTITUTE OF FOOD TECHNOLOGIST CONFERENCE	NIFA	LAS VEGAS, NV	6/22/2012	7/2/2012	2	\$3,325.43	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
INSTITUTE OF FOOD TECHNOLOGISTS ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	LAS VEGAS, NV	6/25/2012	6/28/2012	38	\$51,722.20	N/A
INTERAGENCY CONFERENCE ON RESEARCH IN THE WATERSHEDS	ARS	FAIRBANKS, AK	9/26/2011	9/30/2011	10	\$14,279.25	N/A
INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR FOOD PROTECTION ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	MILWAUKEE, WI	7/31/2011	8/3/2011	21	\$18,703.13	N/A
INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON TRICHINELLOSIS	ARS	CHANGCHUN, CHN	8/1/2011	8/6/2011	4	\$13,516.93	N/A
INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON INVERTEBRATE PATHOLOGY AND MICROBIAL CONTROL	ARS	HALIFAX, CAN	8/7/2011	8/11/2011	7	\$12,358.54	N/A
INTERNATIONAL FOOD AID AND DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE	FAS	KANSAS CITY, MO	5/4/2012	5/10/2012	12	\$19,583.75	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
INTERNATIONAL FOOD AID AND DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE	OSEC	KANSAS CITY, MO	5/4/2012	5/10/2012	1	\$950.39	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
INTERNATIONAL PLANT AND ANIMAL GENOME CONFERENCE	ARS	SAN DIEGO, CA	1/14/2012	1/18/2012	154	\$178,283.77	N/A
INTERNATIONAL PLANT GROWTH PROMOTING RHIZOBACTERIA WORKSHOP	ARS	MEDELLIN, COL	6/3/2012	6/8/2012	3	\$10,602.23	N/A
INTERNATIONAL PLANT PROTECTION CONVENTION (ADDED AN ADDITIONAL ATTENDEE FOR A TOTAL OF 2)	APHIS	ROME, ITA	10/2/2011	10/8/2011	2	\$12,491.37	NO EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT
INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF CHEMICAL ECOLOGY ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	BURNABY, CAN	7/23/2011	7/29/2011	6	\$14,621.32	N/A
INTERNATIONAL SUNFLOWER CONFERENCE	ARS	MAR DEL PLATA, ARG	2/27/2012	3/1/2012	7	\$11,115.37	N/A
INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON BIOLOGICAL CONTROL OF WEEDS	ARS	WAIKOLOA, HI	9/11/2011	9/16/2011	19	\$43,008.89	N/A
INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON EROSION AND LANDSCAPE EVOLUTION AND ASSOCIATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENGINEERING GEOLOGISTS JOINT MEETING	ARS	ANCHORAGE, AK	9/18/2011	9/24/2011	18	\$31,306.87	N/A
INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON MOLECULAR BREEDING OF FORAGE AND TURF	ARS	SALT LAKE CITY, UT	6/4/2012	6/7/2012	17	\$12,680.99	N/A
INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON VACCINIUM AND OTHER SUPERFRUITS	ARS	MAASTRICHT, HOL	6/17/2012	6/22/2012	4	\$13,113.67	N/A
INTERNATIONAL WEED SCIENCE CONGRESS	ARS	HANGZHOU, CHN	6/17/2012	6/22/2012	6	\$14,521.90	N/A
INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON CAMPYLOBACTER, HELICOBACTER AND RELATED ORGANISMS	ARS	VANCOUVER, CAN	8/28/2011	9/2/2011	5	\$12,062.09	N/A
IRRIGATION SHOW AND IRRIGATION CONFERENCE	ARS	SAN DIEGO, CA	11/6/2011	11/8/2011	8	\$13,239.47	N/A
JOINT MEETING OF SOUTHEASTERN AND SOUTHWESTERN BRANCHES OF THE ENTOMOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA	ARS	LITTLE ROCK, AR	3/4/2012	3/7/2012	22	\$18,746.04	N/A
LIVESTOCK INSECT WORKERS' CONFERENCE	ARS	KALISPELL, MT	6/24/2012	6/27/2012	6	\$10,098.42	N/A
LOUISIANA CONSERVATION DISTRICT CONFERENCE	NRCS	LAFAYETTE, LA	1/11/2012	1/13/2012	52	\$20,388.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
MANAGING WILDLIFE HAZARDS AT AIRPORTS	APHIS	KANAS CITY, MO	10/18/2011	10/20/2011	15	\$15,410.49	
MARKET ADMINISTRATOR CONFERENCE	AMS	MEMPHIS, TN	8/23/2011	8/26/2011	14	\$15,835.96	
MEAT AND POULTRY INSPECTION SEMINAR	FSIS	MAYAGUEZ, PR	6/3/2012	6/23/2012	3	\$21,900.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
METHYL BROMIDE ALTERNATIVES CONFERENCE	APHIS	SAN DIEGO, CA	10/31/2011	11/2/2011	9	\$19,700.00	EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL AND REGISTRATION ONLY
MICROSOFT'S TECHED NORTH AMERICA CONF	OCIO	ORLANDO, FL	6/11/2012	6/14/2012	4	\$14,470.00	
MIDWEST STATE DIRECTOR MEETING	RD	FRENCH LICK, IN	8/7/2011	8/12/2011	10	\$10,513.54	N
MIDWEST STATE DIRECTORS ANNUAL CONFERENCE	RD	CHICAGO, IL	1/9/2012	1/13/2012	25	\$23,189.19	N
MOUNTAIN PLAINS REGIONAL CONSULTANTS STATE AGENCY CONFERENCE	FNS	SALT LAKE CITY, UT	10/17/2011	10/20/2011	12	\$12,071.95	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
MOUNTAIN PLAINS/MID-WEST REGION SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM WOMEN, INFANTS, AND CHILDREN PROGRAM INTEGRITY CONFERENCE	FNS	DENVER, CO	6/11/2012	6/15/2012	14	\$23,978.43	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
MOUNTAIN PLAINS/MID-WEST REGION SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM WOMEN, INFANTS, AND CHILDREN PROGRAM INTEGRITY CONFERENCE	OSEC	DENVER, CO	6/11/2012	6/15/2012	1	\$1,077.85	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.

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NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS MEETING	NRCS	LAS VEGAS, NV	1/29/2012	2/1/2012	26	\$27,766.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CREDIT SPECIALIST CONVENTION	RD	DETROIT, MI	6/15/2012	6/21/2012	59	\$61,294.42	N
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAMS ON INDIAN RESERVATIONS CONFERENCE	FNS	NIAGARA FALLS, NY	6/21/2012	6/29/2012	17	\$25,621.22	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONAL CATTLEMEN'S BEEF ASSOCIATION CATTLE INDUSTRY ANNUAL CONVENTION	ARS	NASHVILLE, TN	2/1/2012	2/4/2012	15	\$10,504.91	N/A
NATIONAL EXTENSION AND RESEARCH ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS CONFERENCE	NIFA	MORGANTOWN, WV	5/20/2012	5/22/2012	16	\$10,844.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELLNESS CONFERENCE	FS	BALTIMORE, MD	11/1/2011	11/4/2011	27	\$50,567.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF AGRONOMIC RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM ON GUT MICROBIOLOGY	ARS	CLERMONT-FERRAND, FRA	6/17/2012	6/20/2012	4	\$13,485.39	N/A
NATIONAL NUTRIENT DATABANK CONFERENCE	ARS	HOUSTON, TX	3/25/2012	3/28/2012	9	\$11,091.98	N/A
NATIONAL NUTRIENT DATABANK CONFERENCE	FNS	HOUSTON, TX	3/25/2012	3/28/2012	2	\$2,434.74	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONAL OUTREACH AND STRATEGIC TEAM MEETING	NRCS	HANOVER, MD	10/3/2011	10/7/2011	23	\$26,966.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
NATIONAL PLANT DIAGNOSTIC NETWORK	APHIS	BERKLEY, CA	11/6/2011	11/10/2011	6	\$14,700.00	EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL AND REGISTRATION ONLY
NATIONAL PLANT DIAGNOSTIC NETWORK	NIFA	BERKLEY, CA	11/6/2011	11/10/2011	1	\$785.48	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONAL PLANT GERMPLASM SYSTEM CURATORS WORKSHOP	ARS	SPOKANE, WA	6/5/2012	6/7/2012	44	\$42,429.28	N/A
NATIONAL RURAL WATER MEETINGEXPO	RD	LOUISVILLE, KY	10/3/2011	10/7/2011	9	\$10,534.63	N
NATIONAL SOCIETY OF AMERICAN FORESTERS	FS	HONOLULU, HI	10/31/2011	11/12/2011	300	\$95,106.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONAL SUMMIT ON INCREASING THE ADOPTION OF AGRICULTURAL DRAINAGE AND WATER MANAGMENT FOR CONSERVATION BENEFITS	NRCS	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	10/11/2011	10/13/2011	52	\$39,825.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONAL WILD TURKEY FEDERATION CONVENTION	FS	NASHVILLE, TN	2/7/2012	2/12/2012	25	\$23,965.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONAL WOMEN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN'S TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE	FNS	PITTSBURG, PA	9/19/2011	9/23/2011	22	\$33,861.39	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONAL WOMEN, INFANTS, AND CHILDREN ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE	FNS	DENVER, CO	5/17/2012	5/23/2012	10	\$13,794.19	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONAL WOMEN, INFANTS, AND CHILDREN ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE	OSEC	DENVER, CO	5/17/2012	5/23/2012	1	\$830.08	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NATIONALIZATION CONSERVATION PRACTICE DOCUMENTS TEAM MEETING	NRCS	RALEIGH, NC	10/24/2011	10/28/2011	16	\$18,071.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
NATURAL PRODUCTS EXPO WEST	AMS	ANAHEIM, CA	3/5/2012	3/10/2012	2	\$4,378.36	
NATURAL PRODUCTS EXPO WEST	FAS	ANAHEIM, CA	3/5/2012	3/10/2012	10	\$18,754.46	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
ND ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS MEETING	NRCS	BISMARCK, ND	11/20/2011	11/22/2011	64	\$15,885.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NORTH AMERICA PLANT PROTECTION ORGANIZATION ANNUAL MEETING	APHIS	MERIDIA, MX	10/14/2011	10/21/2011	17	\$44,333.78	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL
NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICTS MEETING	NRCS	GREENSBORO, NC	1/8/2012	1/11/2012	60	\$19,585.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NORTH CENTRAL REGIONAL SOIL SURVEY CONFERENCE	NRCS	LINCOLN, NE	6/4/2012	6/7/2012	27	\$19,175.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
NORTHEAST REGIONAL COOPERATIVE SOIL SURVEY CONFERENCE	NRCS	ORONO, ME	6/18/2012	6/21/2012	23	\$17,384.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NORTHEAST REGIONAL MEETING	FSIS	LANCASTER, PA	4/16/2012	4/20/2012	39	\$28,596.20	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
NORTHERN BORDER PORTS CONFERENCE	APHIS	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	6/4/2012	6/8/2012	9	\$13,051.63	
ORACLE CONFERENCE	AMS	SAN FRANCISCO, CA	10/1/2011	10/7/2011	1	\$4,253.00	
ORACLE CONFERENCE	OCFO	SAN FRANCISCO, CA	10/1/2011	10/7/2011	3	\$10,755.57	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
PHYTOCHEMICAL SOCIETY OF NORTH AMERICA	ARS	WAIKOLOA, HI	12/9/2011	12/18/2011	8	\$14,691.71	N/A
PLANT AND ANIMAL GENOME MEETINGS	NIFA	SAN DIEGO, CA	1/11/2012	1/19/2012	6	\$11,176.09	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
PLANT BIOLOGY 2011	ARS	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	8/6/2011	8/10/2011	29	\$32,829.27	N/A
PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION BOARD MEETING	AMS	BELTSVILLE, MD	4/24/2012	4/27/2012	12	\$11,151.25	
POULTRY SCIENCE ASSOCIATION, AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF AVIAN PATHOLOGISTS, AMERICAN VETERINARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION JOINT MEETING	ARS	ST. LOUIS, MO	7/16/2011	7/19/2011	52	\$50,967.56	N/A
QUARTERLY TECHNICAL SERVICES DIVISION BRANCH CHIEF MEETING	OCIO	SAN ANTONIO, TX	11/28/2011	12/2/2011	10	\$17,295.00	
RABIES IN THE AMERICAS	APHIS	SAN JUAN, PR	10/15/2011	10/22/2011	4	\$11,742.65	
REGIONAL CONSERVATIONISTS MEETING	NRCS	MINNEAPOLIS, MN	1/19/2012	1/20/2012	26	\$26,623.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
REGIONAL CONSERVATIONISTS MEETING	NRCS	ATLANTA, GA	1/17/2012	1/18/2012	33	\$31,465.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.

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CONFERENCE NAME	AGENCY	LOCATION	START DATE	END DATE	USDA PARTICIPANTS	TOTAL COSTS	PROCUREMENT CONTRACT
REGIONAL CONSERVATIONISTS MEETING	NRCS	SALT LAKE CITY, UT	1/11/2012	1/12/2012	20	\$19,668.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
RESIDENTIAL LIVING/CENTER STANDARDS OFFICER CONFERENCE	FS	LAYTON, UT	2/27/2012	3/2/2012	18	\$24,334.46	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
ROLE AND STRUCTURE OF ENGINEERING SERVICE PROJECT TEAM MEETING	NRCS	FORT WORTH, TX	11/14/2011	11/17/2011	14	\$20,375.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
RRHA CONFERENCE	RD	INDIANAPOLIS, IN	10/12/2011	10/13/2011	23	\$15,254.04	N
SCLEROTINIA INITIATIVE ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	BLOOMINGTON, MN	1/18/2012	1/20/2012	18	\$11,493.42	N/A
SOCIETY FOR RANGE MANAGEMENT ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	SPOKANE, WA	1/29/2012	2/3/2012	58	\$54,878.91	N/A
SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT MEETING	NRCS	LAKE OZARK, MO	11/20/2011	11/28/2011	70	\$24,010.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION SOCIETY ANNUAL CONFERENCE	ARS	WASHINGTON, DC	7/17/2011	7/20/2011	30	\$29,153.44	N/A
SOUTH REGIONAL SOIL SURVEY CONFERENCE	NRCS	BOWLING GREEN, KY	5/21/2012	5/25/2012	30	\$24,671.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
SOUTHEAST REGIONAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE CONFERENCE	FSIS	SAVANNAH, GA	1/5/2012	1/7/2012	33	\$27,893.09	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
SOUTHEAST REGIONAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE CONFERENCE	RMA	SAVANNAH, GA	1/5/2012	1/7/2012	1	\$593.72	NO
SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENTISTS, AMERICAN SOCIETY OF AGRONOMY AND AMERICAN SOCIETY OF HORTICULTURAL SCIENCE JOINT ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	BIRMINGHAM, AL	2/4/2012	2/7/2012	27	\$15,555.48	N/A
SOUTHERN PLANT BOARD	APHIS	SAN ANTONIO, TX	4/15/2012	4/18/2012	18	\$28,868.89	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES, OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT
SOUTHWEST REGIONAL MEETING	FSIS	BLOOMINGDALE, MN	6/25/2012	6/29/2012	36	\$32,088.42	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
SOYBEAN BREEDERS/ENTOMOLOGISTS WORKSHOP	ARS	ST. LOUIS, MO	2/27/2012	2/29/2012	25	\$13,305.95	N/A
STRATEGIC PLANNING CONFERENCE	FSA	ATLANTA, GA	10/31/2011	11/4/2011	187	\$226,778.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
TEXAS SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT DIRECTORS MEETING	NRCS	SAN ANTONIO, TX	10/24/2011	10/26/2011	65	\$36,391.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
THE DAWN PAKISTAN AGRIEXPO	FAS	KARACHI, PAK	2/11/2012	2/12/2012	5	\$12,208.46	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
THE SPONSORS ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE	FNS	MEMPHIS, TN	9/18/2011	9/23/2011	8	\$12,478.31	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
TO BRIDGE A GAP CONFERENCE	FS	DURANT, OK	4/2/2012	4/5/2012	49	\$36,167.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
TRANSPORTATION RESEARCH BOARD 2012 ANNUAL MEETING	AMS	WASHINGTON, DC	1/22/2012	1/26/2012	5	\$11,308.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT
UNITED STATES ANIMAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION MEETING	APHIS	BUFFALO, NY	9/29/2011	10/5/2011	125	\$213,136.00	NO
UNITED STATES-AFGHANISTAN-PAKISTAN TRILATERAL FOOD SECURITY WORKING GROUP	ARS	DUBAI, UAE	9/24/2011	9/29/2011	4	\$12,932.42	N/A
USDA ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON BIOTECHNOLOGY AND 21ST CENTURY AGRICULTURE	ARS	WASHINGTON, DC	3/4/2012	3/6/2012	13	\$10,168.61	N/A
USDA AGRICULTURE AIR QUALITY TASK FORCE	NRCS	PHOENIX, AZ	2/2/2012	2/9/2012	40	\$53,860.00	YES. COMPETITIVELY AWARDED.
USDA/STATE AGENCY SCHOOL NUTRITION ASSOCIATION BIENNIAL CONFERENCE	FNS	WILLIAMSBURG, VA	11/28/2011	12/1/2011	21	\$15,627.01	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
WASHINGTON ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS MEETING	NRCS	CLE ELUM, WA	11/28/2011	12/1/2011	30	\$23,130.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
WEED SCIENCE SOCIETY OF AMERICA ANNUAL MEETING	ARS	WAIKOLOA, HI	2/6/2012	2/9/2012	15	\$25,378.53	N/A
WESTERN PLANT BOARD	APHIS	BOZEMAN, MT	5/14/2012	5/17/2012	15	\$25,007.07	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT
WESTERN REGIONAL COOPERATIVE SOIL SURVEY CONFERENCE	NRCS	DAVIS, CA	6/25/2012	6/29/2012	31	\$27,961.00	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
WINTER FANCY FOOD SHOW	FAS	FRESNO, CA	1/17/2012	1/18/2012	7	\$14,531.33	NO. EXPENSES ARE FOR TRAVEL, FEES OR BELOW MICROPURCHASE LIMIT.
WORLD CONGRESS ON IN VITRO BIOLOGY	ARS	BELLEVUE, WA	6/3/2012	6/8/2012	11	\$11,585.59	N/A
TOTAL					6,129	5,531,146	