



SCIDF

2019 ANNUAL REPORT



THE FUND

Saskatchewan Chicken Industry Development Fund (SCIDF) was created in 1999. The purpose of the fund is to develop the chicken industry through research and development and promotion. SCIDF is run by a separate committee of Chicken Farmers of Saskatchewan (CFS) members who determine where and to whom the funds should be allocated. To date the SCIDF committee has helped fund over 30 research projects, many of which are housed at the University of Saskatchewan, it's also donated to various non-profit organizations throughout our province.

THE COMMITTEE

The SCIDF fund is managed and operated by a jointly elected and appointed sub-committee under CFS, the following were it's 2019 Committee members: **Patrick Keet (Chair), Rudy Martinka (Vice-Chair), Nelson Keet, Henry Van Ee (CFS Board Representative), and Glenn O'Hara (AAFC representative).**

This past year SCIDF provided total funding in the amount of \$473,327. This amount included \$422,546 towards research projects and poultry extension. The remaining \$82,291 went towards promotional projects, scholarships and expenses. The Chicken Farmers of Saskatchewan continues to be a national leader in advancing poultry research and development in Canada.

REVIEW OF SCIDF RESEARCH PROJECTS 2019

Research Projects Continuing in 2019*

Dr. Gomis - Delivery of CpG ODN motifs - \$40,000.00

Dr. Koester - Glowing Bacteria to Monitor and Control Salmonella in Poultry, \$20,000 over 3 years.

Dr. Gomis - Control of variant Infectious Bursal Disease Virus (IBDV) infections in the broiler chicken industry in Saskatchewan, \$120,000 over 3 years.

Dr. Gomis - Control of Avian Reovirus infections in the broiler chicken industry in Saskatchewan, \$120,000 over 3 years.

Dr. Dar - In ovo and post hatch characterization of non-antibiotic alternatives to antibiotics for control of bacterial infections in chickens, \$60,000 over 4 years

Dr. Gomis - Control of Necrotic Enteritis in the broiler chicken industry in Saskatchewan, \$120,000 over 4 years.

Dr. Sharif - Towards Control of Avian Influenza Virus Transmission, \$45,000 over 4 years.

Dr. Wang - On-farm trials to validate encapsulated essential oils to control necrotic enteritis in broilers, \$25,400 over 2 years.

Dr. White - Use of emerging technology to detect and predict antimicrobial resistance in the Saskatchewan food supply, \$36,000 over 3 years.

*See financial report for payment commitments for future years.

LEADERS IN RESEARCH



SCIDF plays an important role in poultry research.

The following projects were finalized in 2019:

SCHWEAN-LARDNER

Assessing on-farm euthanasia in poultry.

- \$60,000 total funding

DAR

Optimization (standardization) of proven in ovo effective non-antibiotic agents for control of yolk sac infection and mortality in young broiler.

- \$80,000 total funding

KOESTER

In ovo vaccination platform to reduce salmonella and campylobacter bacteria in poultry.

-\$60,000.00 total funding

REVIEW OF SCIDF PROMOTIONAL PROJECTS 2019

Promotional Activities

Agriculture in the Classroom - \$30,000

Farm and Food Care Membership - \$21,000

FFCSK Chef Tour - \$7,500

FFCSK Taste of Sask - \$2,500

Chicken Month - \$3000

Conferences - \$7400

Foodbank Donation - \$8,300

Sponsorships & memberships - \$16,368

Scholarships - \$6000



PUBLIC TRUST



Since more and more people have not grown up on a farm, it's not surprising they want more information about farming! These are some of the events supported in 2019 with the focus on education, awareness and building public trust.

TASTE OF SASK

SAVE ON FOODS
"MEET THE FARMER"

FARM TO FORK
TOUR

CHICKEN MONTH

AG IN THE
CLASSROOM

AG EXPERIENCE

YORKTON
HARVEST
SHOWDOWN

CULINARY CAMPS

AGRIBITION

BREAKFAST AT
THE BARN

SASKATCHEWAN CHICKEN INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT FUND BUDGET - 2020

<u>2020 SCIDF Budget</u>		
	2020	2019
INCOME		
Quota Fees	0	420000
Investment Income (3.0% return on 14.5M)	435000	420000
TOTAL	\$435,000	\$840,000
SCIDF EXPENSES		
Administration Salary	26800	0
Administration Benefits	5855	0
Audit Fees	5000	5000
Bank Charges:	1500	0
Meeting Expense	2000	0
Fund Management Fee	95000	95000
Committee Member Per Diems & Stipends	20000	20000
Committee Member Travel and Meal Expense	4000	4000
Research Funding Commitments	202512	194700
Expected New Research Projects	50000	50000
Expected New Communication Events/Projects	25000	25000
U of S Poultry Extension	136828	147000
Farm and Food Care Saskatchewan	30000	30000
Agriculture in the Classroom	30000	30000
Saskatoon Food Bank	15000	10000
Scholarships	6000	6000
Promotions	42000	42000
TOTAL	\$697,495	\$658,700
Surplus (Deficit)	-\$262,495	\$181,300

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