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Dear Extension Researchers,

The New Hampshire Vegetable & Berry Growers Association invites you to submit proposals for research on topics of interest to New Hampshire vegetable and small fruit growers. The NHVBGA will entertain grant proposals with funding requests on a per project basis. The amount of funding awarded will be determined by the Board of Directors and appropriated as seen fit from the research fund, not to exceed \$1,500.00. The board reserves the right to fund all, part, or none of the dollar amount requested. Please respond with a one page description of the project, with a simple budget indicating how much grant money you are requesting.

Please email your proposal to nhvbga@gmail.com

Proposals should be received by January 30th, 2025

Award letters will be announced by March 1st, 2025

We also ask that you submit a brief report summarizing your methods and results. These reports are due by December 31, 2025. You may also have the opportunity to present your findings at the NHVBGA Annual Meeting held in early March. Topics of interest from our board of directors and members include, but are not limited to:

- Variety trials (field, high tunnel, greenhouse production)
- Pesticide efficacy studies
- Biological and organic pesticide efficacy studies
- Small fruit production systems and varieties
- Small fruit pests and diseases
- New and challenging pests & diseases for growers
- Cover crop and soil health studies
- Irrigation and drought stress

If you have questions, please contact the NHVBGA at nhvbga@gmail.com

Sincerely,

Kyle Lacasse

President

New Hampshire Vegetable & Berry Growers Association