



Food and Ag Development Centers **FLOCKING GOOD FARMS** *GTA SUCCESS STORY*

The Project

Flocking Good Farms, LLC, a family-run poultry farm near Big Sandy, Montana, run by Joe Ostrom and Carissa Bergren. The farm has taken a major step forward in its mission to deliver ethically raised, pasture-raised poultry products. With the help of a \$25,000 Growth Through Agriculture grant, the farm has begun transforming its ambitious vision into a thriving operation.

The grant provided the critical boost needed to launch the farm's infrastructure and processing expansion, including initial investments in a Mobile Slaughter Unit (MSU) and essential farm systems.

These upgrades have already improved operational efficiency and strengthened the farm's ability to meet growing local demand for non-GMO, soy-free, and corn-free poultry to reduce potential exposure to food allergens.

Flocking Good Farms' focus on regenerative agriculture, animal welfare, and transparency continues to set it apart in the local food economy. The funding has also helped lay the groundwork for future vertical integration and community-focused initiatives, including a CSA program accessible to SNAP EBT participants.

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Thanks to this strategic investment, Flocking Good Farms is on track to become a regional leader in sustainable poultry production, proving that small farms can make a big impact when given the right tools to grow.

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