Resources for Local Farmers & Food Makers

If you have any suggested additions or edits, please email us at info@millcityfarmersmarket.org

Funding
GRANTS
● Mill City Farmers Market Next Stage Grant*
● Compeer Financial Grants
● Lakewinds Organic Field Fund
● MDA AGRI grants*
● MDA Specialty Crop Block
● Minnesota Organic Certification and Transition Cost Share Program
● Wisconsin Organic Certification Cost Share Program
● Other MDA grants and loans
● SARE Farmer Rancher Grant
● The Fruit Guys
● Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP)

FARMER HARDSHIP RELIEF
● MDA Disaster Recovery Loan
● MDA Farm and Rural Helpline

LOANS
● MDA Agricultural Microloan (for members of “Protected Groups” eg. non-white, woman, disabled)
● MDA Low Interest Loans
● Compeer
● Women Venture*
● City of Mpls Homegrown Small Business Fund*
● FSA Loans

INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES
● Gopher Angels*

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Technical Assistance / Business Coaching
● Community Economic Development Associates (CEDA)*
● Latino Economic Development Center*
● Maker to Market*
● Food Makers Academy*
● Northside Economic Opportunity Network*
*Available for non-farmers