Program Participants

Aeros Cultured Oyster Co Inc
Baywater Group Inc
Big A's Oysters
Blue Island Shellfish Farms Co Inc
Conscience Point Shellfish Hatchery
Cornell Oysters Inc.
Davy Jones Landing LLC
Dock to Dish Inc.
Dune Fishery LLC (dba Toasted Oysters)
Eastern Bays Co
Excelsior Fish Corp
Finger Lakes Fish Inc.
Fishers Island Oyster Farm
Founders Oyster Farm LLC
Great Gun Shellfish
Hampton Oyster Company LLC
Harbor Lights Oyster Co., LLC
Harvest Moon Shellfish Co., LLC
Hudson Valley Fish Farms
Invictus Oyster Company LLC

Little Ram Oyster Co.
Multi Aquaculture Systems Inc
Neguntatogue Oyster Project, The
Noank Aquaculture Cooperative (NAC)
North Fork Big Oyster Corp
Oysterponds Shellfish Co
Peconic Gold Oysters Inc
Pops Pond Fish Farms
Sag Harbor Bay Farm LLC
Scrimshaw Enterprises LLC
Shellworks LLC
Sheltered Oyster Company LLC (The)
Southold Bay Oysters LLC
Stein Seafoods LLC
Thatch Island Oyster Farms
Violet Cove Oysters
Widow's Hole Oyster Company
WROC, LLC
Yennicott Oysters LLC
GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

COOPERATIVE MARKETING GRANTS

• Specifically for producers/farmers
• Round 3
• Create packaging and point of sale materials
• Funds distributed on reimbursement basis
• Materials produced will use the NYS Grown & Certified logo according to specific usage and style guidelines
• Projects must lead to long-term exposure of the NYS G&C brand to the consumer
GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

Infrastructure, Technology, Research and Development Grant

• $5.8 Million a year for 5 years for projects that:
  • invest in critical farm infrastructure;
  • adopt state-of-the-art practices;
  • purchase innovative technology or equipment;
  • conduct cutting edge research to aid in the development of new products to meet consumer demand marketed under the New York State Grown & Certified program.

• nyfvi.org/grownandcertified/ to sign up for alerts
GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

USDA Northeast Regional Food Business Center

- Business Builder Awards up to $100,000 for producers, includes aquaculture and wild-caught industries. (NASDA Foundation)

USDA Resilient Food Systems Infrastructure Grant Program

- Capital Infrastructure awards $100,000 - $3,000,000
- Equipment Only awards up to $100,000
- Aquaculture is eligible
- Meat and Poultry not eligible
- [https://agriculture.ny.gov/resilient-food-systems-infrastructure-program](https://agriculture.ny.gov/resilient-food-systems-infrastructure-program)
Certified.NY.Gov

- All farms, processors, and retail/wholesale participants are listed on the Certified.NY.Gov website.
- Redesigned in 2023
- Updated as applications are approved.
NYS GROWN & CERTIFIED APPLICATIONS

Certified.ny.gov/get-certified

• Seafood/Aquaculture fillable and PDF applications
• Supporting documentation must be emailed separately.
• All federal, state, and local permitting and reporting requirements must be kept up to date.
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