## 2018 Federal Research Funding

### Kentucky’s 6th District

Federal funding provides support for researchers and trainees who conduct biological and biomedical research in this district.

### National Institutes of Health (NIH)
- NIH is the nation’s primary funder of biomedical research, leading to advances in scientific knowledge, better health, and economic growth.
- **Total Funding:** $138M
- **Research Sites:** 10

### National Science Foundation (NSF)
- NSF is the only federal agency that supports research and education across all scientific disciplines, underwriting scientific training and promoting discovery.
- **Total Funding:** $26.4M
- **Research Sites:** 7

### U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)
- The USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture funds competitive grants for nutritional and agricultural research, bringing cutting-edge science to complex agricultural challenges.
- **Total Funding:** $32.5M
- **Research Sites:** 4

### U.S. Department of Energy (DOE)
- The DOE Office of Science is the nation’s largest funder of basic physical sciences research and manages 10 national laboratories that provide scientists with cutting-edge facilities.
- **Total Funding:** $2.12M
- **Research Sites:** 2