



United States  
Department of  
Agriculture

**Rural Business Development Grant  
Georgia Fiscal Year 2017 Recipients**

<b>Recipient</b>	<b>Purpose</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Augusta Technical College	Assist with the purchase of simulator equipment for the Medical Assisting Program at the McDuffie and Burke County campuses.	\$16,945
City of Abbeville	Structural upgrades at the farmers market facility serving Wilcox County.	\$97,680
City of Toccoa	Assist with funding for renovations to a historic theatre to attract downtown business.	\$49,999
Coastal Pines Technical College	Assist with funding to purchase equipment for the Diesel Technology Program.	\$79,900
Coastal Regional Commission	Opportunity Grant to update HVAC in regional commission facility for business growth.	\$76,000
Downtown Development Authority City of Tifton	Purchase and install lighting system for downtown businesses.	\$59,754
East Baker Historical Society	Purchase Commercial kitchen equipment of the small business incubator kitchen.	\$75,000
Meriwether County Board of Commissioners	Assist with funding of project for parking and pedestrian walkway enhancements in downtown Greenville, Georgia.	\$61,724
Oconee Fall Line Technical College	Assist with funding for classroom renovations for the Transportation Program and Commercial Driver's License program.	\$99,000
Ogeechee Technical College	Assist with funding of purchase of Commercial Truck for the Commercial Truck Driving Certificate program.	\$99,999
Seven Rivers RC&D	Assist with purchase of dewatering equipment for the emerging pomegranate industry.	\$99,000
South GA Technical College	Assist with purchase of heavy duty commercial truck cabs and chassis for the Electrical Line Worker Training Program.	\$99,999
<b>TOTAL GEORGIA RBDG AWARDS FY2017</b>		<b>\$ 915,000</b>

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