OPPORTUNITIES
For farm, food, and forest businesses in Tennessee

SERVICES
- Connect you to resources
- Offer ideas for innovation
- Facilitate relationships

POSSIBILITIES
The Business Development Team will consult with you to help you start or grow your business.

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We Consult With:

AGRICULTURAL PROCESSORS
FARMERS
FOOD MANUFACTURERS
FOREST BUSINESSES
TECHNICAL INNOVATORS

TDA's Business Development Team was a tremendous asset when we decided to start a value-added business on our farm. An Ag Enterprise Fund grant gave us the opportunity to move from a volatile milk market commodity pricing to capturing retail dollars, which increased our farm income and created jobs.

— Brian & Morgan Flowers

TENNESSEE AGRICULTURE

LET'S GROW

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YOUR BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY AWAITS

financial assistance
“The Tennessee Department of Agriculture has been a resource for Knockout Firewood in multiple ways. We have received Agricultural Enterprise Fund grant support, professional connections, and industry advice. We plan to continue working with the department for years to come.”
- Kyle Orr
Knockout Firewood

technical & industry support
“The Business Development Team has assisted us with opportunities to position and showcase our products to local and regional retailers. The tradeshows and other local events have enabled us to market our products to prospective customers and buyers.”
- Joe Bond
Smokin Joe’s Food Products

ideas for innovation
“The Business Development team has been instrumental in almost all of our progress as a business. We are glad to have them as a resource for us.”
- Joe Riddle
Edgefield Prime Meat Company

industry development
“TDA’s Business Development team and the Tennessee Agricultural Enhancement Program have been instrumental in the growth of our agribusiness and the growth of our industry. Their advice and approach as a business partner has focused our investment and growth on long term success.”
- Rick Riddle
The Winery at Seven Springs Farm

marketing & promotions
“TDA’s Business Development team confirmed that we were working with a top-tier professional agency.”
- Danielle Ontiveros
Grab the Gold, Inc.

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