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Subject: Re: Regional review of renewals of NRSP 3 and 10

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Thanks Rick. My directors did not have any specific comments or concerns about either project's proposal or budget request. They thought NRSP 3 was still doing a good job in an important research support area and the current level of funding should continue. NRSP 10 is doing critical database development and maintenance that supports improvement of many crops and needs to continue adding species as proposed. They are curious about the project's long range plans, if it will continue to expand or level off, but support another 5 years of expansion.

Thanks. Eric

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