U.S. Department of Agriculture
2026 Conference Transparency Report
(July 2025 - June 2026)

Conference Name	City	State/Country	Start Date	End Date	Procurement Contract	USDA Agency	USDA Participants	Total Costs
Agribusiness Trade Mission							**426**	**$466,955.00**
	Santo Domingo	Dominican Republic	**7/14/2025**	7/17/2025	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	FAS	193	$197,135.00
	Taipei	Taiwan	**9/29/2025**	10/1/2025	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	FAS	233	$269,820.00
Agricultural Outlook Forum							**3,590**	**$419,124.00**
	Arlington	VA	**2/19/2026**	2/20/2026	**Yes, competitively awarded**	ARS	35	$39,397.00
						ERS	36	$13,045.00
						NASS	1	$0.00
						NIFA	4	$3,812.00
						OCE	3,514	$362,870.00
Codex Committee on Food Hygiene							**13**	**$454,470.37**
	Nashville	TN	**12/13/2025**	12/19/2025	**Yes, competitively awarded**	USCO	13	$454,470.37
Codex Committee on Residues of Veterinary Drugs in Foods							**5**	**$563,264.00**
	Minneapolis	MN	**3/20/2026**	3/28/2026	**Yes, competitively awarded**	USCO	5	$563,264.00
Global Attaché Conference							**62**	**$66,551.00**
	Washington	DC	**7/7/2025**	7/11/2025	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	FAS	62	$66,551.00
International Plant and Animal Genome Conference							**66**	**$169,261.00**
	San Diego	CA	**1/9/2026**	1/14/2026	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	ARS	65	$168,033.00
						NIFA	1	$1,228.00
Leadership Meeting							**78**	**$121,641.00**
	Tucson	AZ	**4/7/2026**	4/10/2026	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	NRCS	78	$121,641.00
Locally Employed Staff Tour Conference							**15**	**$72,174.00**
	Washington	DC	**7/7/2025**	7/11/2025	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	FAS	15	$72,174.00
Locally Employed Staff Training							**14**	**$56,996.00**
	Washington	DC	**8/12/2025**	8/15/2025	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	FAS	14	$56,996.00
National Frontline Supervisor Conference							**203**	**$289,497.00**
	Dallas	TX	**5/12/2026**	5/14/2026	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	FSIS	203	$289,497.00
Reverse Trade Mission Summer Fancy Food Show							**113**	**$381,818.00**
	Miami	FL	**9/8/2025**	9/13/2025	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	FAS	113	$381,818.00
Society for Range Management Annual Meeting							**34**	**$76,126.00**
	Monterey	CA	**2/7/2026**	2/11/2026	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	ARS	34	$76,126.00
State Directors Summit							**74**	**$171,456.00**
	Washington	DC	**12/8/2025**	12/12/2025	**Yes, competitively awarded**	RD	74	$171,456.00

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Water and Environmental Program Planning and Training Meeting							**58**	**$96,881.00**
	Boston	MA	**6/22/2026**	6/26/2026	**Yes, competitively awarded**	RD	24	$51,385.00
	Lexington	KY	**6/22/2026**	6/26/2026	**No, expenses were for travel, fees, or below micro-purchase limit**	RD	34	$45,496.00
Grand Total							**4,751**	**$3,406,214.37**

U.S. Department of Agriculture Agencies and Staff Offices:
ARS - Agricultural Research Service
ERS - Economic Research Service
FAS - Foreign Agricultural Service
FSIS - Food Safety and Inspection Service
NASS - National Agricultural Statistics Service
NIFA - National Institute of Food and Agriculture
NRCS - Natural Resources Conservation Service
OCE - Office of the Chief Economist
RD - Rural Development
USCO - U.S. Codex Office