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**Agriculture and Natural Resources** helped 12,000 farmers and landowners in the 2012 historic drought apply for water-supply cost-shares that saved livestock and crops and helped keep consumer food prices low.

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Over two years, **Business Development** generated \$2.5 billion in economic impact and helped clients increase sales by \$986 million, gain \$857 million in government contracts, and create or retain 32,961 jobs.

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**MU Extension** is the University of Missouri's higher education classroom for more than 1 million rural and urban citizens in Missouri's 114 counties and the City of St Louis.

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**Nursing Outreach** enhanced the competency of 2,694 health care providers to provide high-quality, safe and effective care to Missouri citizens.

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**Engineering Continuing Education** student interns show industries how to reduce energy use, cut waste and conserve water. Since 2008, companies have saved more than \$1 million.

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**4-H Center for Youth Development** reaches 282,000 youths, ages 5 to 18. 4-H'ers are 70 percent more likely to go to college than non-4-H peers, increasing their lifetime earnings by more than \$2.01 million each.

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**County Extension Council** members in every county serve as liaisons between citizens' needs and MU Extension's program capability. More than 2,000 elected and appointed Missourians serve on county councils.

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**The Fire and Rescue Training Institute** annually trains more than 17,000 fire and emergency service personnel, preparing them to save property and lives.

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**Community Development** helped communities acquire \$10.8 million in grants and other resources and helped create 43 new nonprofit organizations.

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**A Partnership** with the City of St. Louis and city neighborhoods provided a way for low-income residents in a "food desert" to access healthy produce through the St. Louis Healthy Corner Store Project.

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