Federal funding provides support for researchers and trainees who conduct biological and biomedical research in this district.

### National Institutes of Health (NIH)
- **Funding**: $752M
- **Research Sites**: 56
- NIH is the nation’s primary funder of biomedical research, leading to advances in scientific knowledge, better health, and economic growth.

### National Science Foundation (NSF)
- **Funding**: $112M
- **Research Sites**: 16
- NSF is the only federal agency that supports research and education across all scientific disciplines, underwriting scientific training and promoting discovery.

### U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)*
- **Funding**: $51.2M*
- **Research Sites**: 8*
- The USDA National Institute of Food and Agriculture funds competitive grants for nutritional and agricultural research, bringing cutting-edge science to complex challenges.

### U.S. Department of Energy (DOE)
- **Funding**: $7.68M
- **Research Sites**: 2
- The DOE Office of Science is the nation’s largest funder of basic physical sciences research and manages 10 national laboratories that provide scientists with cutting-edge facilities.

*2019 USDA NIFA funding data was unavailable as of January 31, 2020. USDA data is for FY 2018.