

# Research Fund-raiser Planned

During the past year, the Hereford Youth Foundation of America (HYFA) developed a research division (Hereford Research Foundation [HRF]) that will raise funds in order to support breed improvement projects outside the scope of the AHA budget.

The HRF has already supported the heterosis research projects and has also helped set the ground work for a new GrowSafe system that is being built at Olsen Ranch, Harrisburg, Neb. This feedlot will allow the AHA to collect feed intake data on larger groups of progeny of some of the most influential young sires of the breed.



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To support these projects and others, HRF will host an online auction through *BuyHereford.com*. The auction will end July 13 at 8 p.m. CDT.

This auction is made possible by both consignors and the Wendt Group, the organization that manages *BuyHereford.com*. The HRF board would like to thank everyone who is making this auction possible.

A list of consignors include Holden Herefords, Valier, Mont.; Cooper Herefords, Willow Creek, Mont.; Knoll Crest Farms, Red House, Va.; Beef Resources Partnership, Tabor, Iowa; Topp Herefords, Grace City, N.D.; Lowderman Cattle Co., Macomb, Ill.;

Sandhill Farms, Haviland, Kan.; Gallagher, Kansas City, Mo.; Sullivan Supply, Dunlap, Iowa; Janey Hrutkay, *sementanks.com*; Food Animal Vet Clinic, Renneselaer, Ind.; Green River Embryo Transfer Center, Bowling Green, Ky.; Rausch Herefords, Hoven, S.D.; AHA; Trans Ova Genetics, Sioux Center, Iowa; Genex Hawkeye West, Billings, Mont.; and Mill Creek Ranch, Alma, Kan. See Pages 170-171 for a list of offerings.

In addition to this auction, contributions to the HRF can be made by contacting Jack Ward at [jward@hereford.org](mailto:jward@hereford.org) or 816-842-3757 or by mailing a contribution to 1501 Wyandotte St., Kansas City, MO 64108. **HW**