#### Costs

- All standard UNL financial rules and regulations will apply.
- All budget categories and amounts must be <u>directly</u> related to the research project funded as per the final revised/approved proposal.
- Salary and benefits are allowed for nontenure-track faculty appointments provided a clear description of the role and responsibilities directly associated with the research is provided in the budget justification.



#### Costs

No facilities and administrative
(F&A) costs will be charged to these
grants because F&A was already
charged on funding provided by the
Nebraska Public Power District (NPPD)
to the University of Nebraska-Lincoln
(UNL).



### **Costs - Allowable**

- Personal Services
  - Graduate students, hourly help and post doctoral positions (post docs)
  - Benefits
- Non-personal Services
  - Operating Expenses / Services
  - Supplies and Materials
  - Travel (no foreign travel)
  - Capital Expenses (equipment as per definition)



#### Costs - Not Allowable

- To replace current funding
- Tenured/tenure-track faculty salaries
- Existing or new staff positions
- Remodeling, renovation or construction
- Recruitment or start-up packages for new hires



#### Costs - Not Allowable

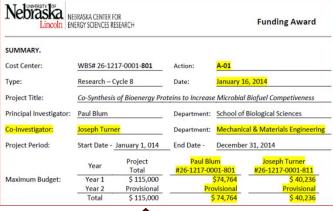
- Supplies for general purposes, which include but are not limited to desktop computers, laptop computers, other electronic devices, printers, software, and related accessories; and general office supplies not exclusive to this project.
- Foreign travel or costs associated with foreign travel, such as conference registrations or fees.



## **Budget and Budget Justification**

 The <u>maximum amount</u> available is identified in SAP in the "Plan" column on the line, "Total Direct Costs."

Cost	Elements	Plan
	511000 Planned Faculty Salaries	67,000.00
*	Faculty Salaries	67,000.00
	515000 Plan Other Acad Sal	0
	515210 Graduate Assistants	0
*	Other Academic Salaries & Wages	0
* *	Total Salaries & Wages	67,000.00
	519000 Planned Benefits	28,344.00
*	Planned Benefits	28,344.00
* *	Total Benefits	28,344.00
* * *	Total Personal Services	95,344.00
	520000 Plan Tot Operate Exp	1,000.00
*	Operating Expenses/Services	1,000.00
	530000 Plan Sup & Materials	18,656.00
	533100 Research and Lab Supplies	0
*	Operating Supplies	18,656.00
* *	Total Operating & Supplies	19,656.00
* * *	Total Non-Personal Services	19,656.00
* * * *	Total Direct Costs	115,000.00
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	58,000 Indirect Cost Charges	0
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# SAP Account(s) Monitoring

- Monitor and prepare financial report first week of each month
- PI to spend within budgeted categories
- PI to spend only on his/her portion of project
- Foreign travel restricted in SAP
- Call us if unsure about expenditure
- Overspending not allowed

