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A Montana State University research project on the blood vessels of animal kidneys has received renewed support from a grant by the National Advisory Council of the Public Health Service.

The $4,618 grant permits continuation of study begun a year ago by Dr. E. W. Pfeiffer, associate professor of zoology and Ronald K. Plakke, zoology graduate assistant.

The project, "Anatomy of the Vertebrate Renal Medullary Circulation," involves a detailed study of the circulation of the opossum, pig, beaver and Asiatic rodents, Dr. Pfeiffer said.

The vessels being studied are important in the way the kidney functions but they have never been described well. Dr. Pfeiffer hopes the project will provide an understanding of lower animals which will help explain the functions of the kidneys in all animals including man.

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