

Illinois

Farm Service Agency Office Structure March 2007



Purpose

- The reason for this gathering is to discuss the future of the Farm Service Agency throughout the state of Illinois
- Feedback is welcome by submitting it in written form after the presentation

Field Office Restructuring

Administrator Communications

- Agriculture and Appropriation Committees-January '06
- FSA State Leadership January '06
- Employee Organizations January '06
- Memo to SED's January 13, 2006
- Testimony March 9, 2006

Field Office Restructuring

Field Office Review Process

- State review committees established
- Restructuring recommendations submitted to DAFO
- Administrator/DAFO communicates State plans to Congress
- Approved plans sent to States
- Public hearings within 30 days of approval
- Final recommendations to DAFO
- Congressional notification
- Physical closure after 120 day notification





PAYMENTS



The Illinois USDA Farm Service Agency delivered \$1,997,501,409 in payments and loans to Illinois farmers and ranchers during Fiscal Year 2005.

These payments are a continuation of new or enhanced programs created by the 2002 Farm Bill or from programs created by special authority of Congress.

Illinois Cropland Statistics

CLU Acres 31,432,169

Crop Land Acres 24,340,358

CLU Count 1,790,111

CLU Average 17.56 Acres

CRP Acres 1,019,357.16

CRP Count 161,096

CRP Average 6.33 Acres

of 1099's 151,381

1099 Payments \$1,728,355,440.90

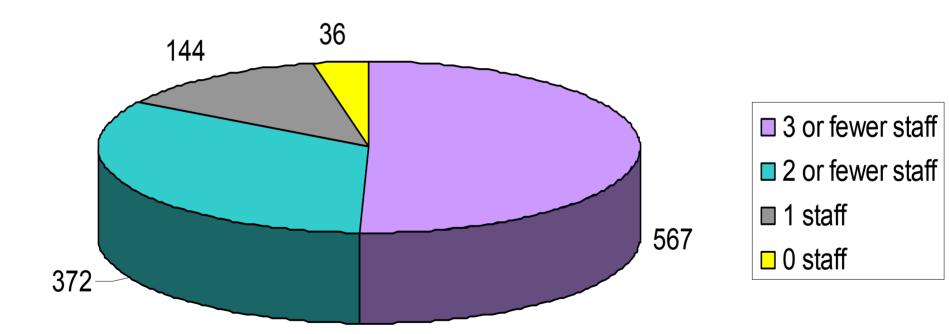
Average 1099 Payments \$11,417.25



FSA Facts

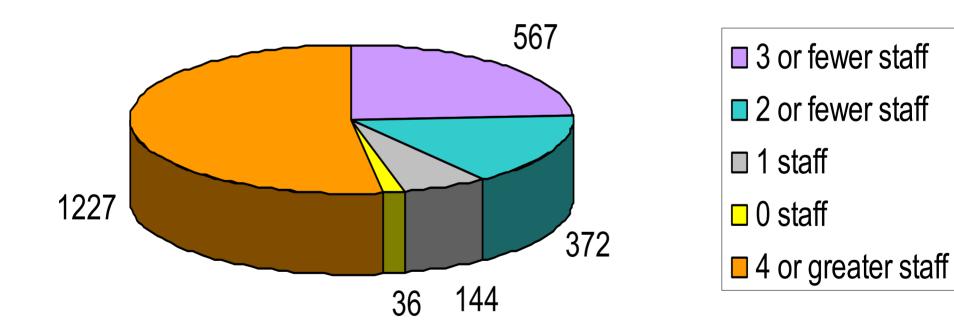
- There are 2,346 service centers nationwide
- 93 are located in Illinois
- 8 service centers in the state serve two or more counties

Nationwide County Offices with 3 or Less on Staff



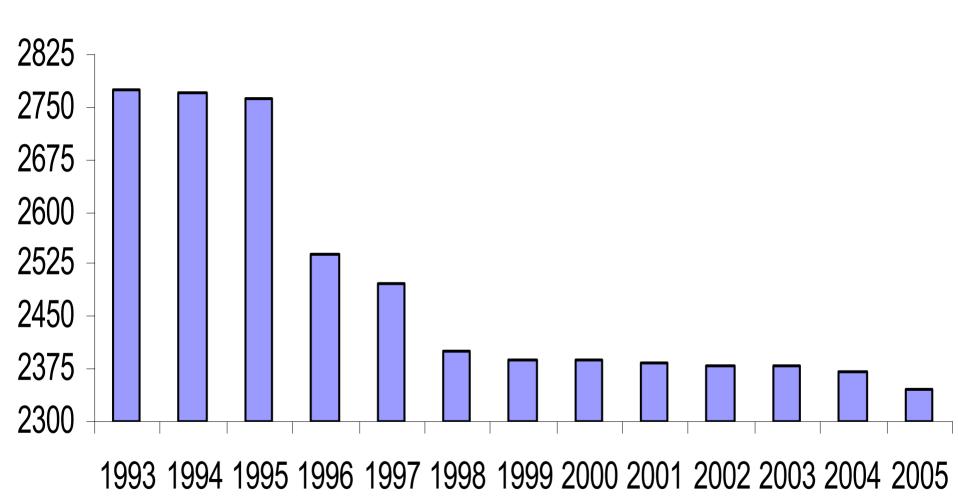
^{*}There are 1119 out of 2346 locations that meet this criteria

Nationwide FSA County Office Employee Breakdown



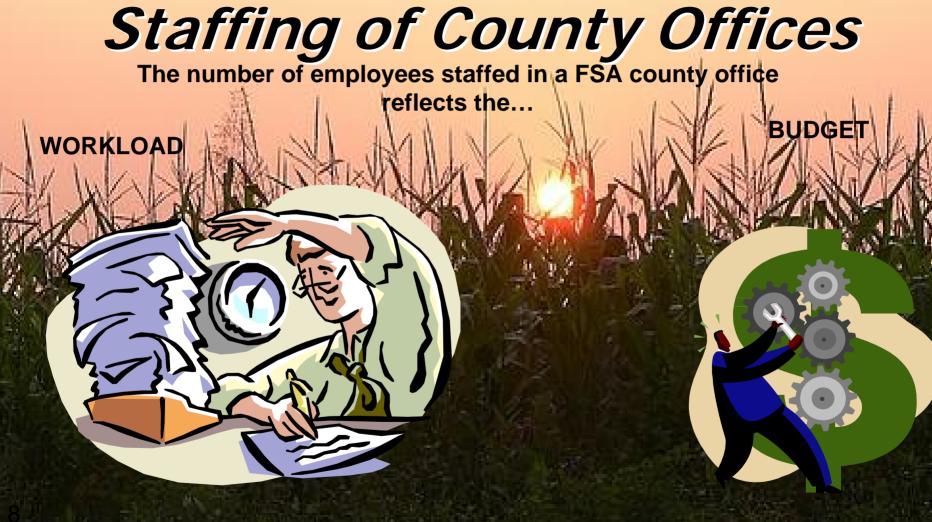
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Total Open Offices

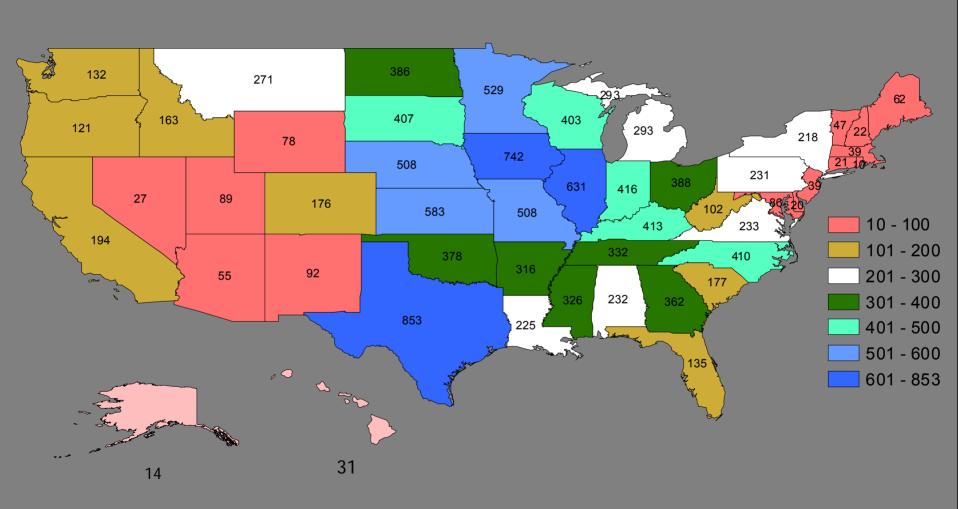


Fiscal Year

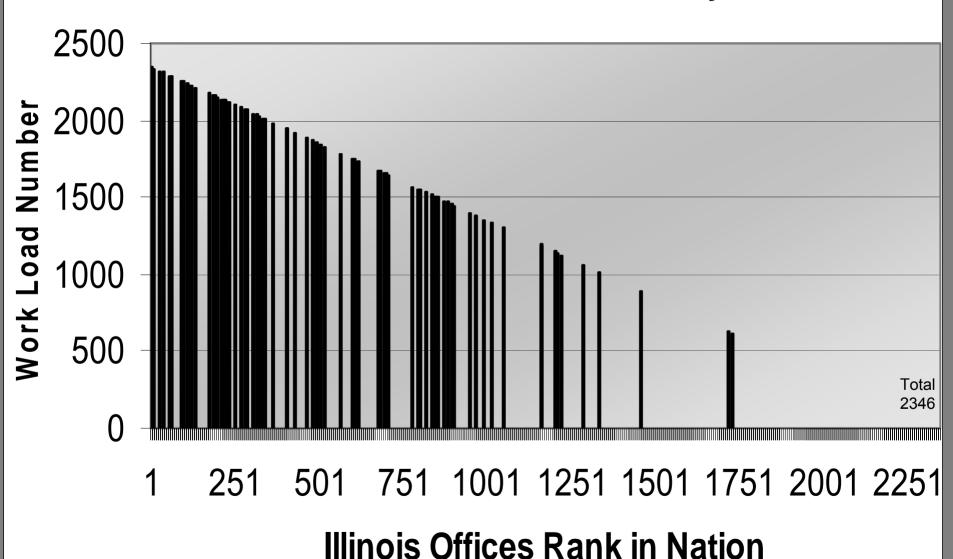




DAFO Ceiling 2005

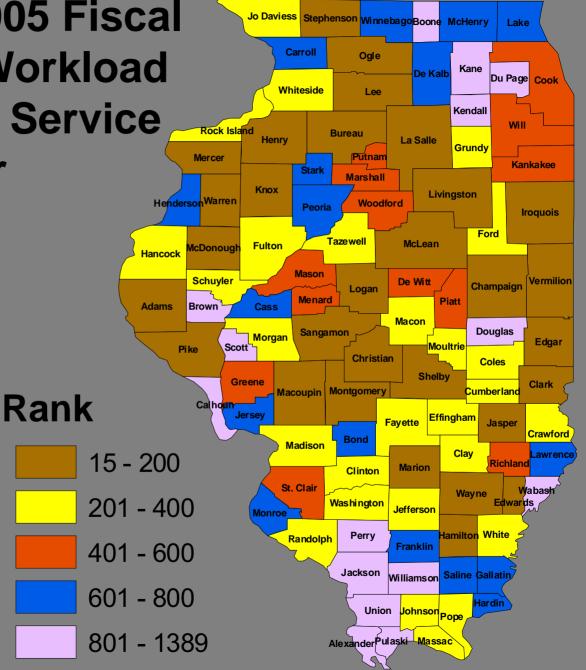


Work Load Rank Preliminary2006

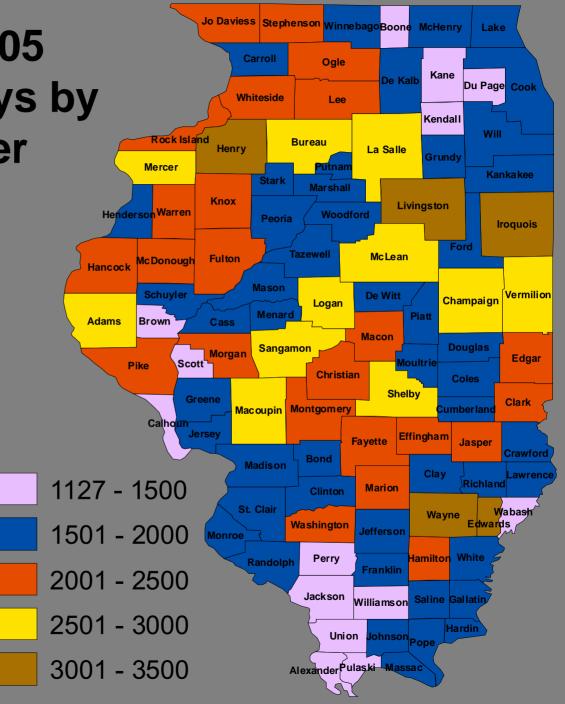


Nation Wide 2005 Fiscal Year Normal Workload Days Rank by Service Center

29 Counties in Top 1/8 of Nation



Fiscal Year 2005
Normal Work Days by
Service Center



Jo Daviess Stephenson Winnebago McHenry Lake Carroll Ogle **Staff Number Per Office** Kane De Kalb Du Page Cook Whiteside Lee Minus Farm Loan Kendall Rock Island Henry Will Bureau La Salle Grundy Mercer Putnam Kankakee Stark Marshall Knox Livingston Hen<mark>derson</mark> Warren Woodford Peoria Iroquois Ford Tazewell McLean Fulton McDonough Hancock Mason Schuyler Champaign Vermilion De Witt Logan Menard Adams Cass Brown Macon Douglas Sangamon Morgan Edgar Moultrie Scott Christian Coles Shelby Greene Clark Macoupin Montgomery Cumberlan **IL-COF** Calhoun Jersey Effingham Favette Crawford Jasper **STAFF Bond** Madison 3 Richland Lawrence

4

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6

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Marion

Jefferson

Franklin

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Union Johnson Pope

Alexander Pulaski Massac

Wayne

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Saline Gallatin

Hardin

Wabash

Edwards

Clinton

Perry

Jackson

Washington

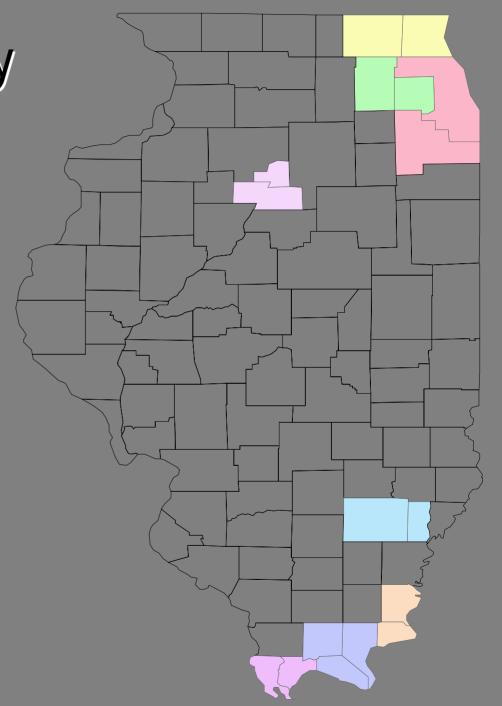
St. Clair

Randolph

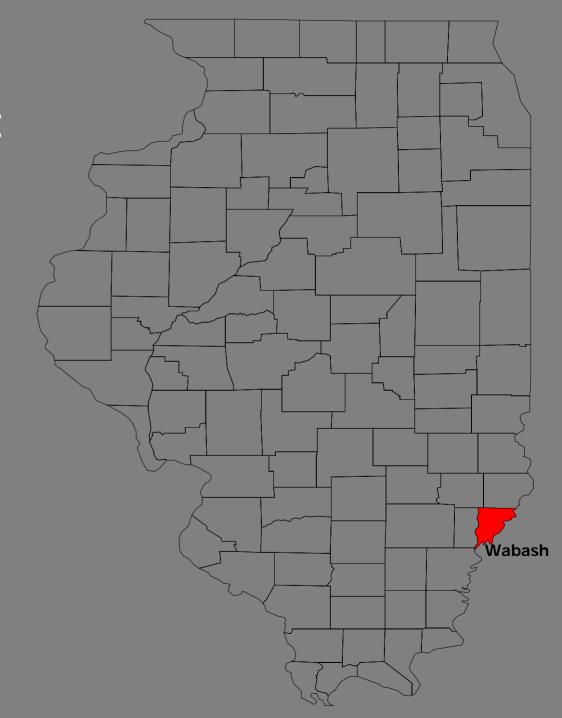
Monroe

Combined County
Service Centers

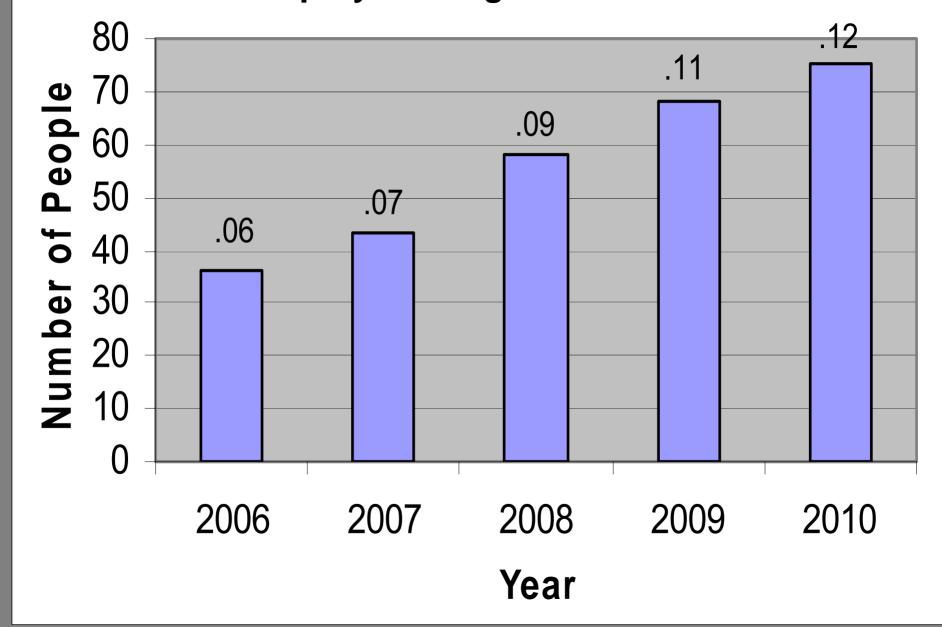
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Counties without NRCS Present

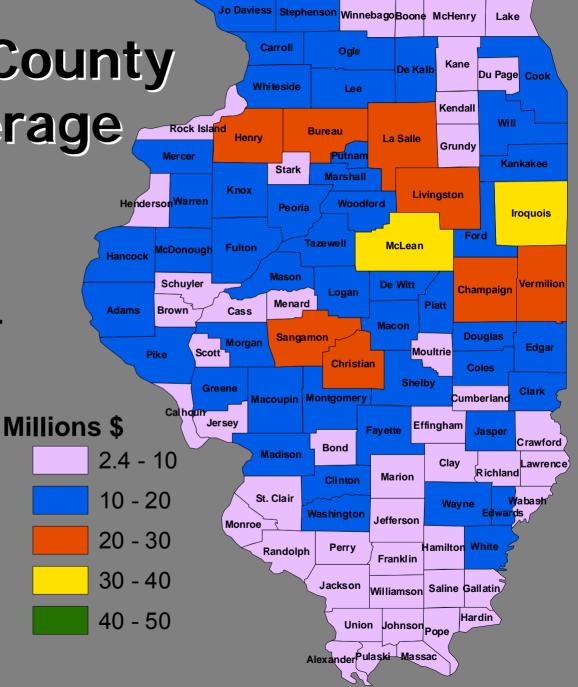


IL FSA Employees Eligible For Retirement



\$\$\$ Paid in County
5 year Average

\$ 1.2 Billion Average / Year over 5 years



\$\$ Paid by Service Center 5 Year Average

5 Year Average

1099 Payments

Millions

2.3 - 2.5

2.5 - 5.0

5.0 - 7.5

7.5 - 10

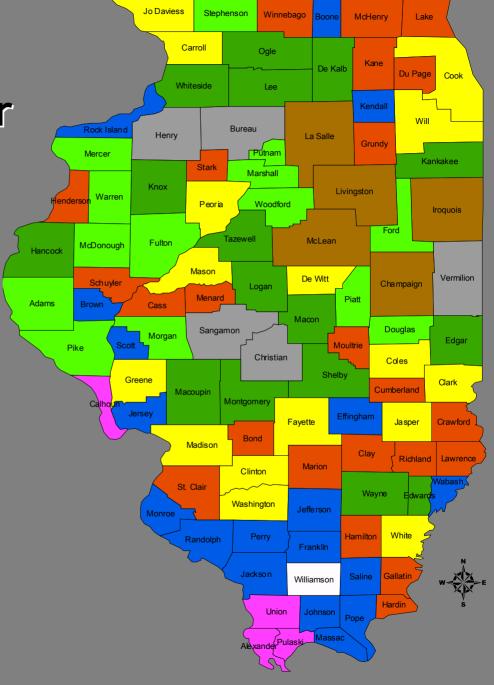
10 - 12.5

12.5 - 15

15 - 20

20 - 25

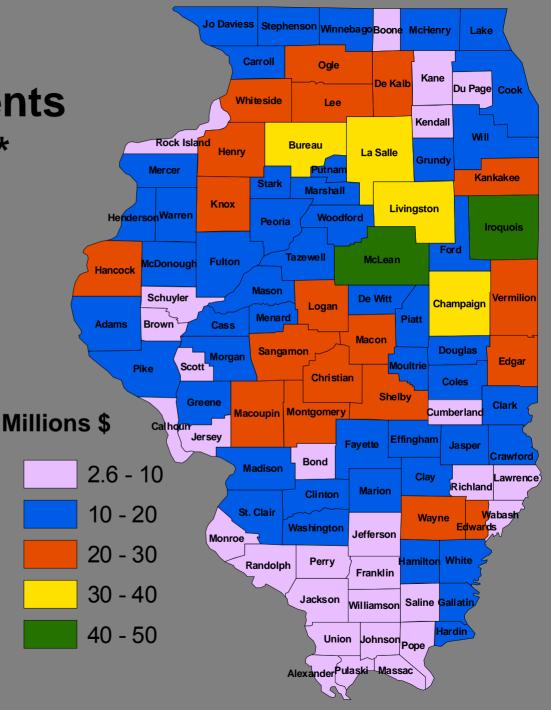
25 - 35



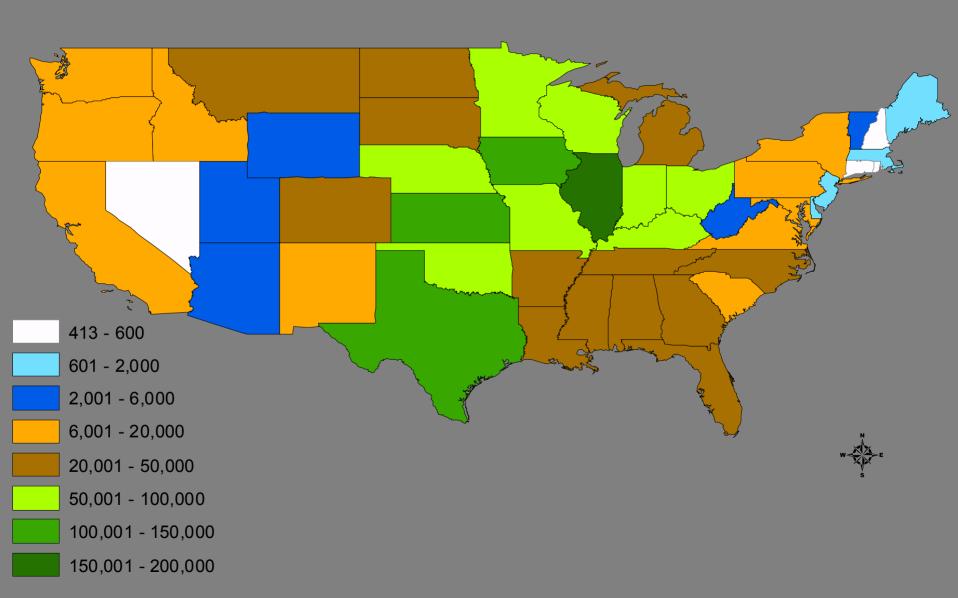
FY 05
Program Payments
by Counties**

1.57 Billion \$

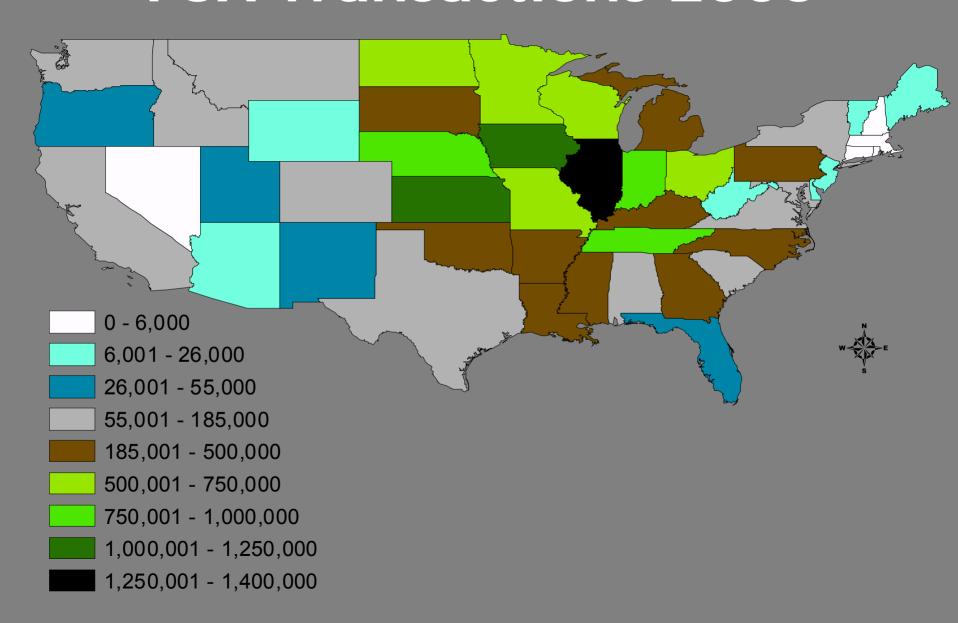
Does not include farm loans, commodity loans, or adjustments, from previous programs



FSA 1099's 2005

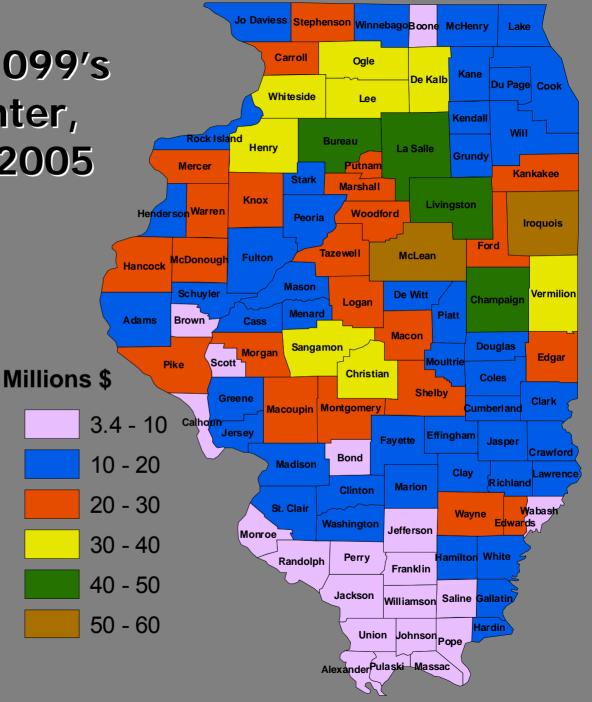


FSA Transactions 2005



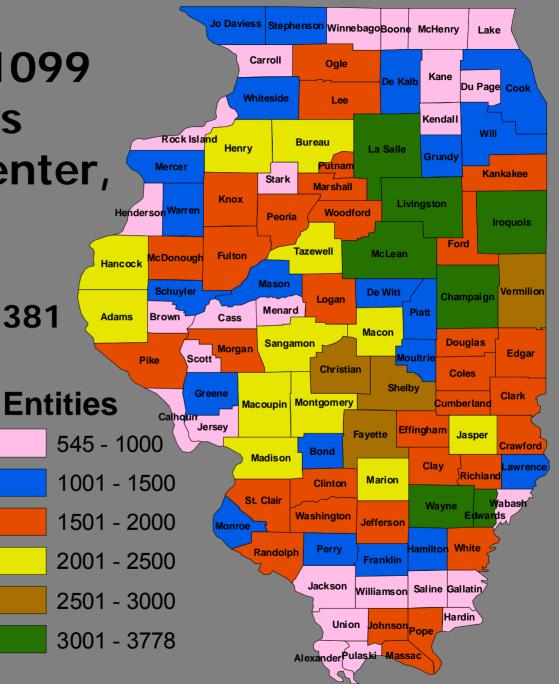
Net Payments 1099's by Service Center, Calendar Year 2005

\$ 1.8 Billion CY 05



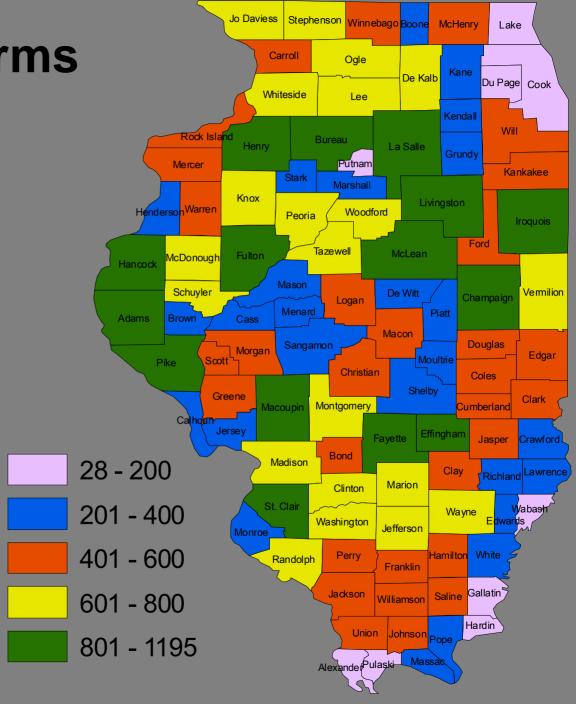
Number of 1099
Payments
by Service Center,
2005

#1099's in IL - 151,381



Number of Farms 50 Acres or Greater

IL Ag Stats 2004

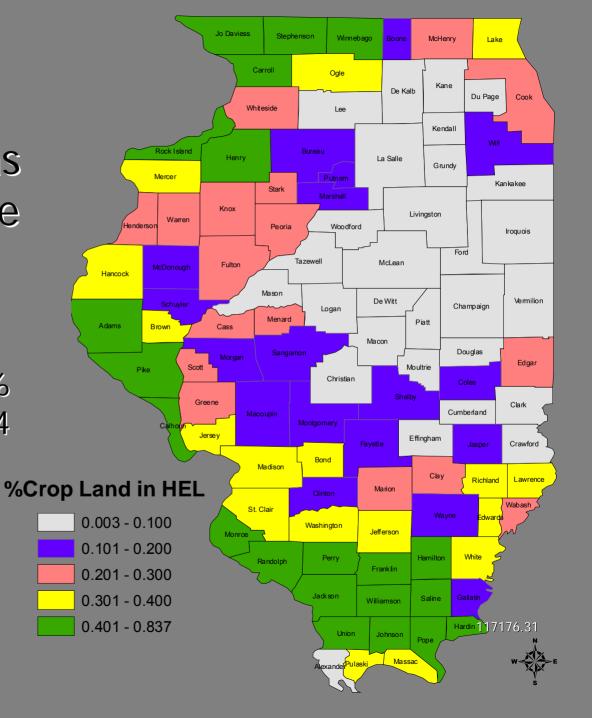


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Percent of Crop Land as Highly Erodable (HEL)

HEL / Crop Land = % 40244 / 117176 = .34

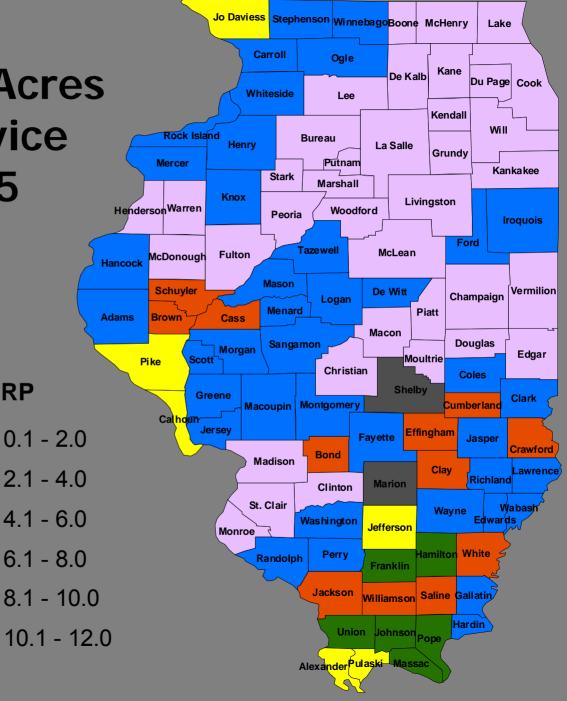


Percent of CLU Acres in CRP by Service Center, 2005

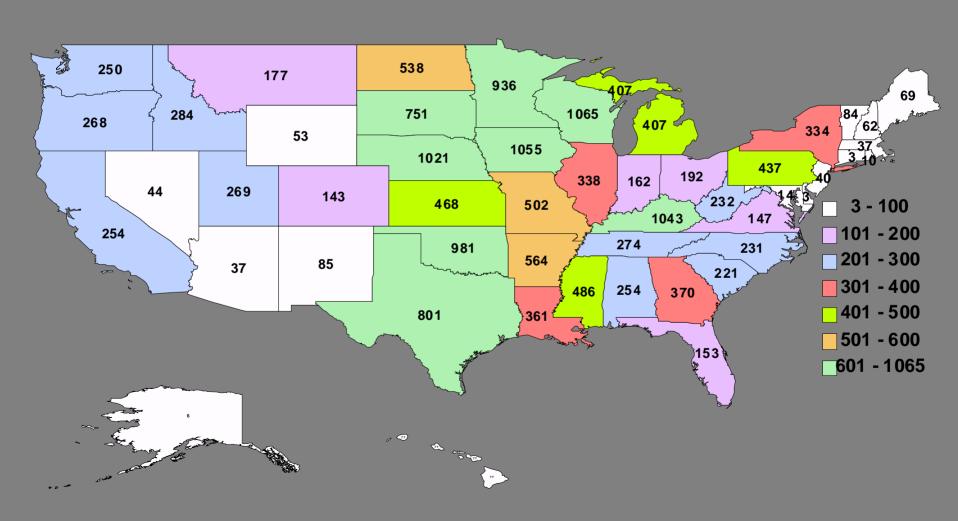
% CRP

*Determined from Crop Land Only

1 Million CRP Acres

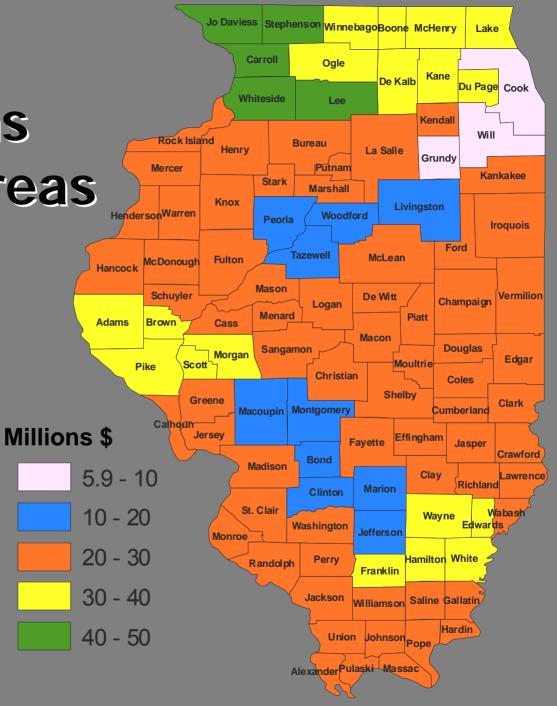


First Year Loans Made in 2005

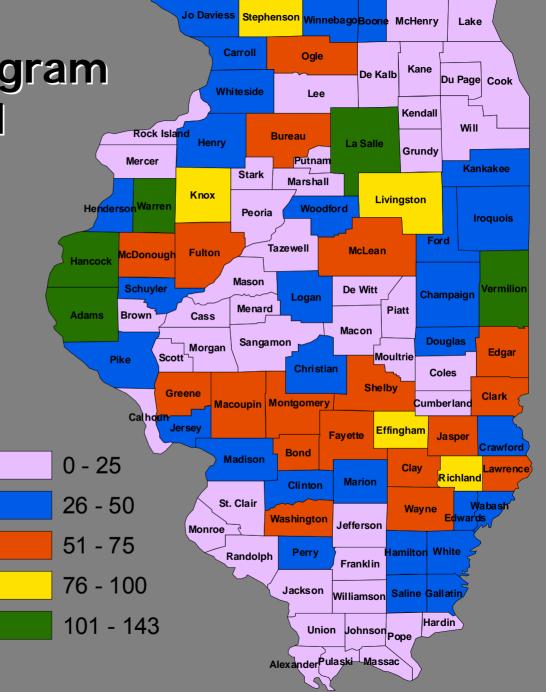


Farm Loans
By Service Areas
8-17-06

Current
Illinois Loans
\$555,728,280



Farm Loan Program
Case Load
2005



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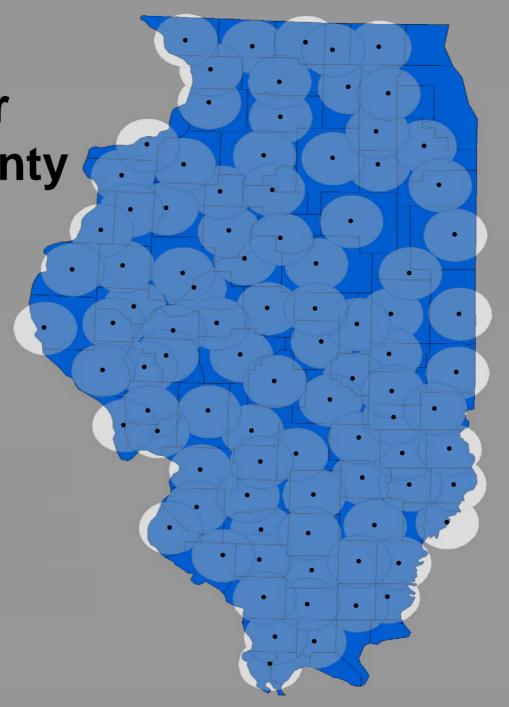
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30 Mile Diameter
Buffer around County
Offices

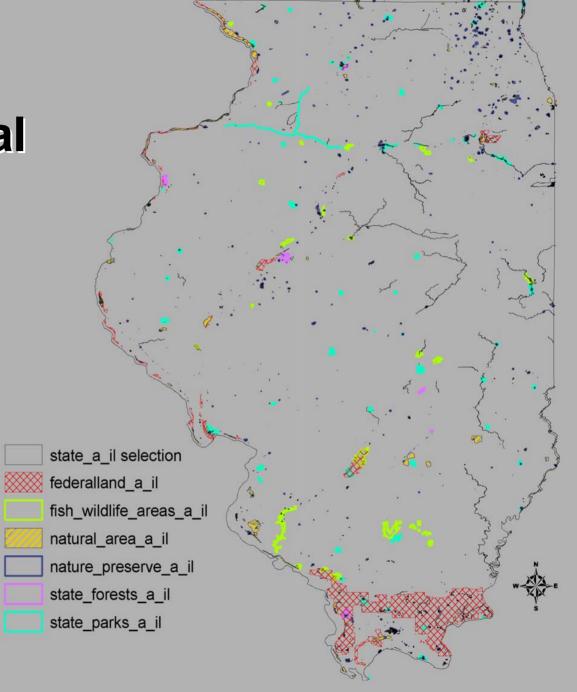
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IL State Recreational Areas





FSA Programs Benefit Everyone

- > Producers
- **>**Consumers
- **>**Economy
- > Agri-business
- >Rural Towns



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