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## Park County FSA Updates

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## 2014 and 2015 ARC-PLC Enrollment Deadline is Sept. 30

Enrollment into the Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) and Price Loss Coverage (PLC) programs for 2014 and 2015 began June 17, 2015, and will end Sept. 30, 2015. For ARC-CO and PLC, the contract enrollment must be completed by those producers with an interest in the base acres of the farm. Contract enrollment is a separate process from program election which was completed earlier this year. Contact your local FSA office to schedule an appointment to enroll your farms into ARC or PLC by the deadline of **Sept. 30, 2015**.

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## Ongoing Notice of Loss Filing Requirements

### *NAP - Non-Insured Crop Disaster Assistance Program:*

The CCC-576, Notice of Loss, documents a producer's loss or damage to a crop or commodity due to an eligible cause of loss, as well as failed acreage and prevented planting. A CCC-576, Notice of Loss must be provided for prevented planting claims, within 15 calendar days after the final planting date established for the crop, and for low yield claims, the earlier of:

- 15 calendar days after the disaster occurrence or date of loss or damage to the crop first becomes apparent
- 15 calendar days after the normal harvest date established for the crop.

Timely filing a Notice of Loss is required for all crops including grasses. For losses on crops covered by the Non-Insured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) and crop insurance, you must file a CCC-576, Notice of Loss, in the FSA County Office by the dates previously mentioned. An acreage report must be on file prior to the Notice of Loss being filed.

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## Youth Loans Are Available

FSA makes loans to youth in rural communities who want to start learning the business of agriculture. This program is designed to provide start-up funds to establish and operate income-producing projects of modest size in connection with participation in 4-H clubs, FFA and similar agriculturally focused organizations.

These projects are designed to be part of an organized and supervised work program. The Youth will plan and operate their projects

with the help of an adult or project advisor.

To qualify for a loan the youth must:

- Be a citizen of the United States or a permanent resident.
- Be at least 10 years old, but not yet 21.
- Live in a rural community. Be capable of planning, managing and operating the project with guidance.

These loans may be used to finance nearly any agriculturally based, income-producing project. Some common projects include:

- Raising and breeding livestock
- Growing fruits or vegetables for resale
- Growing flowers or plants for resale
- Producing field crops.

If this program interests you please contact Kathy Palazzolo, Farm Loan Officer at 307-754-9411

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