

PROGRAM DEADLINES

COC Election -

November 3 - ballots mailed to voters
December 4 - final date to return ballots

October 1 through June 1 -

Signup for 2007 Direct and Counter-Cyclical Program (DCP), without a fee.

November 10 - CRP Emergency grazing ends for approved counties. Remove livestock by 11th.

November 12 - CRP Managed grazing ends for applicable participants. Remove livestock by 13th.

Marketing Assistance Loans & Loan Deficiency Payments (LDPs) Final

- *Wool & Mohair-January 31
- *Unshorn Pelts (LDPs only)-Jan 31
- *Small Grains-March 31
- *Honey-March 31
- *Upland Cotton-May 31
- *Feed Grains-May 31
- *Soybeans/Minor Oilseeds-May 31

Acreage Certification Deadlines:

- *Small Grain for Grain-May 31
- *Small Grain for Grazing-15 days prior to grazing
- *Small Grain for Haying-15 days prior to haying
- *Spring Seeded Crops-August 1
- *CRP-August 1
- *NAP-August 1 or 15 days prior to the onset of harvest or grazing for all other crops.

Emergency Loans:

Producers have eight months from the date of a disaster declaration to apply for loans to help cover production and physical losses.

Graze-Out Payments:

Wheat, oats, barley, triticale requests taken between first mechanical harvest date set for crop by county committee and March 31.

Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP):

Eligible producers must apply for coverage and pay the applicable service fees by the application closing date. NAP Notice of Loss must be filed within 15 calendar days after the date the disaster condition occurred or damage to the crop becomes apparent.

NAP Application Closing Dates:

September 1 - Aquaculture, barley, canola, Christmas trees, nursery crops, rye, spelts, triticale, turf grass sod, and wheat.

December 1 - All grasses, alfalfa, apricots, asparagus, blueberries, caneberries (blackberries and raspberries), cherries, clover, grapes, lespedesa, honey, mixed forage, nectarines, oats, peaches, plums, strawberries, and vetch.

January 1 - Apples and pears.

March 15 - Coarse grains, vegetable and melon crops, amaranth, chestnuts, cotton, pecans, pumpkins, safflower, sesame, squash, and walnuts.

On-Going Program Signups:

- *Farm Storage Facility Loans
- *CRP Continuous Signup
- *Direct and Guaranteed Farm Loans
- *Rural Youth Loans (10-20 years old)
- *Beginning Farmer and Socially Disadvantaged (SDA) Farm Loans
- *Milk Income Loss Contract Extensions

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WEBSITES

- FSA - www.fsa.usda.gov
- Kansas FSA - www.fsa.usda.gov/ks
- USDA - www.usda.gov
- eForms - <http://forms.sc.egov.usda.gov/eforms/mainervlet>

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Kansas FSA Customer Calendar

October 2006

PROGRAM PAYMENT LIMITATIONS

For wheat, corn, cotton, grain sorghum, barley, oats, soybeans, and minor oilseeds:

Direct Payments - \$40,000
Counter-cyclical Payments - \$65,000
LDPs/Market Gains - \$75,000.

For Peanuts, wool, mohair, and honey:

Direct Payments - \$40,000
Counter-cyclical Payments - \$65,000
LDPs/Market Gains - \$75,000.

Conservation Reserve Program (CRP):

\$50,000

Emergency Conservation Program

\$200,000

Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP):

\$100,000

MAXIMUM FARM LOAN AMOUNT

Direct Farm Ownership - \$200,000
Direct Farm Operating - \$200,000
Guaranteed Farm Ownership - \$899,000
Guaranteed Farm Operating - \$899,000
Rural Youth Loan - \$5,000

FSA OFFICES CLOSED

- Jan. 2, 2006** - New Years
- Jan. 16, 2006** - Martin Luther King, Jr.
- Feb. 20, 2006** - President's Day
- May 29, 2006** - Memorial Day
- July 4, 2006** - Independence Day
- Sept. 4, 2006** - Labor Day
- Oct. 9, 2006** - Columbus Day
- Nov. 10, 2006** - Veteran's Day
- Nov. 23, 2006** - Thanksgiving
- Dec. 25, 2006** - Christmas
- Jan. 1, 2007** - New Years

Kansas Primary Nesting Season
April 15 - July 15

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