2011 FSA Customer Calendar (February)

2011	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
					31	1	2
Jan	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	31	1	2	3	4	5	6
Feb	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	28	1	2	3	4	5	6
Mar	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	28	29	30	31	1	2	3
Apr	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	25	26	27	28	29	30	1
May	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
	30	31	1	2	3	4	5
Jun	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	27	28	29	30	1	2	3
Jul	**4**	5	6	7	8	9	10
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Aug	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	29	30	31	1	2	3	4
Sep	**5**	6	7	8	9	10	11
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	26	27	28	29	30	1	2
Oct	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	31	1	2	3	4	5	6
Nov	7	8	9	10	**11**	12	13
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	**24**	25	26	27
	28	29	30	1	2	3	4
Dec	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	26	27	28	29	30	31	

CRP General Signup:
March 14 through April 15 – CRP General Signup Period.

Asparagus Loss Assistance Payments (ALAP):
April 8 – Final date to apply for ALAP payments.

2009 Supplemental Revenue Assistance Program (SURE):
July 29 – Final signup date for 2009 SURE.

DCP/ACRE:
June 1 – Final signup date for 2011 Direct and Counter-Cyclical Payments (DCP) and Average Crop Revenue Election (ACRE) Program.

Livestock Indemnity Program and/or Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honey Bees, and Farm-Raised Fish Program:
File Notice of Loss within 30 days of when loss is apparent, File Application for Payment by Jan 30 of following year.

Commodity Loans & LDPs:
Wool & Mohair - Jan. 31
Unshorn Pelts (LDPs) - 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 Grains for Grain - May 31
Small Grains for Grazing - 15 days prior to grazing
Small Grains 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.

Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP):
Eligible producers must apply for coverage and pay the applicable service fees by the application closing date. Must have NAP coverage on all noninsurable crops to be eligible for supplemental disaster assistance programs.
Application Closing Dates:
September 1 - aquaculture, canola, Christmas trees, nursery crops, turf grass sod, and all small grain crops, except oats.
December 1 - all grasses, alfalfa, apricots, asparagus, blueberries, caneberries, cherries, clover, grapes, lespedeza, 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.
NAP Service Fees:
- $250 per crop; $750 per county; $1,875 per producer for all counties.

Payment Limitations:
For wheat, corn, cotton, grain sorghum, barley, oats, soybeans, and minor oilseeds:
Direct - $40,000
Counter-Cyclical - $65,000
ACRE - $65,000 plus any Direct payment reduction.

Loan Deficiency Payments and Marketing Gains - No Limit

Conservation Reserve Program: $50,000

Emergency Conservation Program: $200,000

Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program: $100,000

Supplemental Revenue Assistance Program, Livestock Indemnity Program, Livestock Forage Program, and Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honey Bees and Farm-Raised Fish - $100,000

Tree Assistance Program - $100,000

Maximum Farm Loan Amount:
Direct Farm Ownership - $300,000
Direct Farm Operating - $300,000
Direct Conservation Loan - $300,000
Guaranteed Farm Operating and Farm Ownership - $1,119,000
Guaranteed Conservation Loan - $1,119,000
Rural Youth Loan - $5,000

Risk Management Protection Requirement:
Must purchase crop insurance on insurable crops and NAP coverage on non-insurable crops to remain eligible for supplemental disaster assistance programs.

FSA Offices Closed:
Dec. 31, 2010 – New Years
Jan. 17 - Martin Luther King Jr.
Feb. 21 - President's Day
May 30 - Memorial Day
July 4 - Independence Day
Sept. 5 - Labor Day
Oct. 10 - Columbus Day
Nov. 11 - Veterans Day
Nov. 24 – Thanksgiving
Dec. 26 – Christmas
Jan. 2, 2012 – New Years

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On-Going Programs:
✓Farm Storage Facility Loans
✓Milk Income Loss Contract Program
✓Livestock Indemnity Program
✓Continuous Conservation Reserve Program
✓Conservation Loan s
✓Direct & Guaranteed Operating and Ownership Farm Loans
✓Rural Youth Loans (10-20 yr old)
✓Beginning Farmer & Socially Disadvantaged (SDA) Farm Loans
✓Beginning Farmer and SDA Down Payment Loans
✓Emergency Loans- Producers have eight months from the date of a disaster declaration to apply for loans to help cover production and physical losses.

Websites:
FSA - www.fsa.usda.gov
Kansas FSA - www.fsa.usda.gov/ks
On-Line Services -www.fsa.usda.gov – then click on Online Services on top menu bar
USDA - www.usda.gov

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