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Emmet-Charlevoix County FSA Updates

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2012 DATES TO REMEMBER

The following are important deadline dates for producers for the 2012 crop year:

- **September 30th** - Deadline to apply for Milk Income Loss Contract Program (MILC)
 - **September 30th** - Deadline to apply for Non-Insurable Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) Policies for winter wheat, rye, and all hay forages
 - **October 8th** - Columbus Day Holiday – Office closed
 - **October 20th** - Deadline to report prevented planted wheat for 2013 crop year
 - **November 1st** – Deadline to submit MILC production evidence
 - **November 12th** - Veterans Day Holiday – Office closed
 - **November 15th** - Deadline to certify fall-seeded small grains, including winter wheat AND perennial forage (alfalfa and alfalfa mix)
 - **November 20th** - Deadline to apply for NAP Policies for all fruit and vegetable perennial crops
 - **November 22nd** - Thanksgiving Holiday – Office closed
 - **December 1st** - Deadline to apply for NAP Policies for honey and maple sap
 - **December 25th** - Christmas Holiday – Office Closed
 - **January 1st** - New Year's Day Holiday – Office Closed
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New 2013 Crop Reporting Deadline for Wheat and Hay!

Fall seeded wheat, small grain and forage crops must be reported at your local FSA office by **November 15, 2012**. Prevented planting on wheat must be reported by October 20, 2012. Please mark your calendars!

Production Evidence Deadlines for MILC

Final production evidence for program payments **MUST** be received in the applicable County Office by **COB, November 1, 2012**.

If not previously submitted, all production evidence for milk produced during the months of October, 2008 through September, 2012 must be received in the office by this date if a producer wishes to receive any payments that were available during these months.

IRS FORM 1099-G AND 1099-MISC REPORTING

Beginning with calendar year 2012 IRS reporting, Kansas City will be issuing only one IRS Form 1099-G and/or one IRS Form 1099-MISC to each multi-county producer whose total reportable payment for each tax identification number are equal to or greater than \$600.00. This is a change from receiving one 1099 from each county.

Also beginning with calendar year 2012 IRS reporting, Kansas City will no longer generate and mail IRS Form 1099-G and/or IRS Form 1099-MISC to producers if the total of reportable payments for each tax identification number is LESS THAN \$600.00.

Producers receiving less than \$600.00 in combined payments need to consult a tax advisor to determine if these payments must be reported on their tax return.

FARM CHANGES

If you have any farm changes, now is the time to come into our office to make those changes. Changes include: Purchase of new ground, new ground being rented, change in operator, LLC's is being formed, change in ownership, estates, etc.

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