

Regular Minutes of the State Committee (STC) meeting held on February 14, 2012, in the STO, Raleigh, NC. The meeting was called to order at 8:00 am.

STATE COMMITTEE: T. Pender Sharp III, Chairman, Thomas O. Gilmore, Sr. and John E. Ashe, Jr.

STAFF: Aaron A. Martin, State Executive Director, Cindy Kernodle, Executive Officer, Mike Eaves, Cindy Robbins, Eddie Woodhouse, Alicia Bridges, Mike Huskey, Victor Youngblood, Tommy McLamb, Tim Jones, Ralph Price, and Susan Woodall

Approval of Minutes

The STC reviewed and approved the Regular Session minutes for January 10, 2012.

Review FSA-958's, Work Schedule Log

The STC Chairperson reviewed and approved FSA-958's, Work Schedule Log for PP 04 for the STC.

The SED reviewed and approved FSA-958, Work Schedule Log for PP 04 for the STC Chairperson.

Review Travel Vouchers

The STC Chairperson reviewed and approved the Travel Voucher for STC Member John Ashe for January 9th and 10th.

The SED reviewed and approved the Travel Voucher for the STC Chairperson for January 9th and 10th.

Follow Up on Confidential Financial Disclosure Report

STC members submitted OGE Form 450, Confidential Financial Disclosure Report, in accordance with Notice PM-2787. The reports will be forward to: USDA-Farm, Conservation, and Rural Programs Branch, Office of Ethics.

Review COC Advisor Recommendations

COC Advisors were approved by the STC as recommended by COC's in accordance with 16-AO, paragraph 156 C. The effective date of their appointment is March 1, 2012.

COC Member Resignation – Beaufort-Hyde County

The STC accepted the resignation of Beaufort-Hyde COC Member, Steve Griffin. Mr. Griffin accepted a functional position at the State level with a commodity organization. It was a conflict of interest for him to continue serving on the COC.

Public Affairs and Outreach

Public Affairs and Outreach Director Eddie Woodhouse stated he was glad to see Tom Gilmore back in the State Office. Mr. Gilmore was missed in January.

OUTREACH:

- 1) SED Martin and Outreach Director Woodhouse supported outreach partner Operation Spring Plant's annual conference, held in Cary on January 6th and 7th. (photo of Aaron providing Welcome Remarks)
- 2) Eddie will support Minority Landowner Magazine's annual conference at Briar Creek Embassy Suites Hotel February 24th and 25th.

PUBLIC AFFAIRS:

- 1) Copies of Weekly Report provided
- 2) Major National Communication Call upcoming. Use of new media guidelines to be discussed. STC encouraged to submit comments/questions.
- 3) Media release concerning Conservation Sign-up provided
- 4) Newspaper articles on COC election results (hand-out)
- 5) Office Consolidation Public Meetings pictures provided
- 6) Congressional letters concerning Office Consolidation Public Meetings copies provided
- 7) Office Consolidation Public Meeting newspaper articles provided

General Updates on Farm Loan Issues

General update on FLP issues as follows:

Funding:

<u>Direct</u>	<u>As of 01/06/2012</u>	<u>As of 02/10/12</u>
OL	49 loans \$4,573,430	118 loans \$ 9,404,600
FO	3 loans \$ 480,000	8 loans \$ 1,689,000
EM	4 loan \$ 338,300	12 loans \$ 942,400
CL	0	
TOTALS	56 loans \$5,391,730	138 loans \$12,036,000

<u>Guaranteed</u>		
OL	11 loans \$ 1,843,520	22 loans \$ 2,535,143
FO	<u>20 loans \$10,313,511</u>	<u>29 loans \$16,111,011</u>
TOTALS	31 loans \$12,157,031	51 loans \$18,646,154

Current backlog:

<u>Type</u>	<u># of Loans</u>	<u>Total \$</u>
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(There are no loans on the backlog list currently.)

Funding is available for all loan types & categories.

Goals for 2012 are as follows:

	<u>Goal</u>	<u>Currently As of 1/31/2012</u>
1. First Year Delinquency	10.8%	20.7%
2. Average Processing Times for Direct Loans	30 days	26 days
3. Average Processing Times for Guaranteed Loans	10 days	9 days
4. Lending to Beginning Farmers & Ranchers	40.4%	39.1%
5. Lending to Socially Disadvantaged Farmers & Ranchers	17.4%	11.7%
6. Direct Loan Delinquency Rate	10.3%	15.7%
7. Guaranteed Loan Delinquency Rate	2.00%	2.14%
8. Special Servicing Processing Times	60%	78%

FLOT's – Currently we have 4. 1 of the initial 5 resigned as of Friday, 2/10/12. Cecelia Edge is receiving loan approval authority & chattel appraisal authority effective 2/14/12. Mary Ann Norman has passed 3 docket reviews & has submitted her 4th one. Dock Jones & Kim Whaley have completed the Modules & Module tests & plan to take the comprehensive in mid-March.

Review Revised Crop Reporting Dates for 2012 and 2013

Recently FSA and RMA have agreed to have common crop reporting dates that can be used by both agencies. This change will take place on July 1, 2012. The current summer seeded crop reporting date for North Carolina is June 30, 2012. The STC and SED have determined that a request shall be submitted to WDC inquiring that summer seeded crops be reported by July 15, 2012. This date is used by South Carolina as well.

Review Late-Filed 2011 DCP Request – Duplin County

At the request of the Duplin County COC, the STC reviewed a producers request to sign up 2011 DCP for 4 farms that were not enrolled timely. The STC in accordance with par. 445.5 determined there were no meritorious reasons that prohibited the applicant to timely enroll in DCP.

CRP General Signup 43

A general signup has been announced and will be held from March 12 through April 6, 2012. North Carolina has 10,729.5 CRP acres expiring September 30, 2012, which will be eligible to be offered. All offers will be evaluated competitively at the national level and will be ranked by the Environmental Benefits Index (EBI) scoring. The EBI cutoff score will be determined by the Secretary of Agriculture after the signup ends. A Fact Sheet was provided to the STC.

Emergency Conservation Program (ECP)

Funding has been received for all counties requesting ECP for damage due to Hurricane Irene in August, 2011. Funds were requested in the amount of \$5,205,000. Funding received equaled \$3,263,000 or 63 percent. This funding was provided for counties receiving major disaster declarations pursuant to the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (Pub. L. 93-288), as amended (Stafford Act).

Funding was received for Rutherford County due to a tornado on January 11, 2012, in the amount of \$30,000.

Emergency Forestry Restoration Program (EFRP)

EFRP funding has been received for counties receiving major disaster declarations pursuant to the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (Pub. L. 93-288), as amended (Stafford Act), due to tornado damage in NC on April 16, 2011, and Hurricane Irene on August 27, 2011. Requests were made in the amount of \$1,718,500 and funding received equaled \$1,060,000 or 62 percent.

It was noted that Caldwell, Jackson and Person Counties did not receive major disaster declarations; therefore, funding was not received for these three counties through the Stafford Act. Approval was given to implement EFRP; funding is still pending.

National Crop Table Prices and Yields for 2010 SURE and 2012 NAP

In accordance with Parts 3 & 5 of 1-SURE and Part 3 of 1-NAP, the STC reconsidered all the rates and yields that had been established on November 3, 2011, for SURE and NAP. This additional consideration was because some of the rates and yields had been questioned by County Offices. Further research provided additional data that was more applicable (NC specific) than the original source data used which was based on national prices and yields. Thus, the committee determined that some previously established rates and yields were unrepresentative of the values applicable to certain crops. Revisions were approved as shown in the highlighted areas of the following table. Data to support each of these revisions is filed in the folder titled "NAP/SURE Yields & Prices (Revised 2/14/2012)." All other established rates and yields (not highlighted) were affirmed as originally determined on November 3, 2011.

Once the NCT is updated with these revisions, then 2010 SURE application processing may be resumed. Also, 2012 NCT for NAP should be updated accordingly and approved for NAP purposes.

Crop	Irrigated	Non-Irrigated	\$	Remarks
Alfalfa fg		3.2 ton	\$155.00	NASS
Apples FH	476 bu	476 bu	\$11.59	NASS
PR	476 bu	476 bu	\$5.0189	NASS
Artichokes		5.38 ton	\$1350.00	NASS
Asparagus	29 cwt	29 cwt	\$114.00	NASS
Barley (fg)		2.0 ton	\$91.50	NASS/ORS
Beans				
Baby Lima	30 (carton) 100	30 (carton) 76	\$52.00-15.60 ctn	ORS
Butter	30 (carton) 100	30 (carton) 76	\$63.34-19.00 ctn	ORS
Cranberry	32 (carton) 107	32 (carton) 81	\$63.34-19.00 ctn	ORS
Green FH	49 (carton) 163	49 (carton) 124	\$30.00- 9.00 ctn	RMA NASS
PR	50 (carton) 5 tons	3.05 tons	\$30.00- 300.00 tn	
Large Lima	35-ewt 117 ctns	21-ewt- 70 ctns	\$63.34- 19.00 ctn	ORS
Pole	38-ewt 126 ctns	21-ewt 70 ctns	\$52.00 15.60 ctn	ORS
White Runner	46-ewt 153 ctns	33-ewt 110 ctns	\$52.20 15.66 ctn	Ylds sim areas
Wax	36.09-ewt- 120 ctns	27.07-ewt 90 ctns	\$52.00 15.60 ctn	Ylds sim areas
Beets	209.4 cwt	174.42 cwt	\$42.10	Similar areas
Blueberries	33334 lbs disregard	1938 lbs disregard	\$1.78—disregard	NASS/Local Market
Highbush	33334 lbs 5239	1938 lbs 5239	\$1.78	NASS/Local Market
Lowbush	33334 lbs 5239	1938 lbs 5239	\$1.78	NASS/Local Market
Rabbiteye	33334 lbs 5239	1938 lbs 5239	\$1.78	NASS/Local Market
Broccoli		71.38 cwt	\$37.90	NASS
Brussel Sprts		10500 lb	\$0.33	ORS
Cabbage				
Choy	210 cwt	163.5 cwt	\$16.90 10.50	ORS NASS
Hybrid	250 cwt	207 cwt	\$16.90 10.50	ORS NASS
Napa	343 cwt 270	158 cwt	\$16.90 10.50	ORS NASS
Red	207 cwt 270	207 cwt	\$16.90 10.50	ORS NASS
Savoy				
Caneberries				
Arapaho	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 167.00	NASS/NASS

<i>Black</i>	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 167.00	NASS/NASS
<i>Raspberries</i>	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 167.00	NASS/NASS
<i>Boysenberries</i>	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 167.00	NASS/NASS
<i>Chester</i>	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 167.00	NASS/NASS
<i>Evergreen</i>	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 167.00	NASS/NASS
<i>Blackberries</i>	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 167.00	NASS/NASS
<i>Kiowa/Ouachita</i>	116 cwt 78.40	116 cwt 78.40	\$267.00 167.00	ORS NASS
<i>Kotata</i>	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 167.00	NASS/NASS
<i>Navaho (NAV)</i>	116 cwt 78.40	116 cwt 78.40	\$267.00 167.00	ORS NASS
<i>Red Raspberries</i>	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 167.00	NASS/NASS
<i>Triple Crown</i>	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 78.40	Set 2/14/12 167.00	NASS/NASS
<i>Natchez (NAT)</i>	116 cwt 78.40	116 cwt 78.40	\$267.00 167.00	ORS NASS
Canola <i>Fall SD</i>		1713 lbs	Could not change in NCT \$0.20	NASS
Cantaloupe	252 cwt	252 cwt	\$16.70	NASS
Carrots				
<i>Hybrid</i>	335 cwt	335 cwt	\$26.20	NASS
Cauliflower	100 cwt	80 cwt	\$39.60	
Celery	712 cwt	712 cwt	\$19.70	NASS
Chinese Bittermelons	120 cwt		\$38.67	ORS
Christmas Trees <i>Frasier Fir</i> <i>Blue Spruce</i> <i>Norway Spruce</i> <i>White Pine</i> <i>Concolor Fir</i> <i>Canaan Fir</i> <i>Norman Fir</i> <i>White Pine Nor</i>			Graduated Price Codes 01 \$1.42 02 \$2.50 03 \$4.50 04 \$11.00 05 \$14.50 06 \$16.00 07 \$18.50 SED \$0.38	
Clover <i>Crimson SD</i>	No records (shell doc)	540 lbs	\$0.7800	ORS

Corn				
<i>Sweet</i>	105 cwt	100 cwt	\$21.00	NASS
<i>Pop</i>		2870 lbs	\$0.10	ORS
<i>Tropical (fg)</i>		16.2 ton	\$27.72	ORS
Crustacean				
<i>Crayfish</i>			\$3.5	NIFA/CSREES
<i>Prawns</i>			\$8.00	NIFA/CSREES
Cucumbers				
<i>Common FH</i>	115 cwt	110 cwt 77	22.80 17.50	NASS
<i>Pickling FH</i>	113 cwt 11310 lbs	89.3 cwt 8930 lbs	22.80 17.50 0.1425	NASS
<i>PR</i>				
<i>English FH</i>	250 cwt 115 9000 lbs	250 cwt 77 6030 lbs	22.80 17.50 0.1425	NASS
<i>PR</i>				
Eggplants				
<i>Cherry</i>	140 cwt	89 cwt	\$43.38	ORS
<i>European</i>	143.78	90.35 cwt	\$43.38	ORS
<i>Oriental</i>	150 cwt	91.7 cwt	\$43.78	ORS
Finfish				
<i>Channel Catfish</i>			\$0.0750	NIFA/CSREES
<i>Flounder</i>			\$3.5000	NIFA/CSREES
<i>Lg Mouth Bass</i>			\$0.7500	ORS
<i>Perch</i>				
<i>Trout</i>			\$0.0950	NIFA/CSREES
<i>Striped Bass</i>			\$1.3500	NIFA/CSREES
Greens				
<i>Collard</i>	138.55 cwt	71 cwt	\$31.64	ORS
<i>Cressie</i>	100 cwt	100 cwt	\$48.00	ORS
<i>Turnip</i>	120 cwt	94.5 cwt	\$43.20	ORS
<i>Shanghi bok choy</i>	80 cwt	69.6 cwt	\$24.00	ORS
<i>Chinese Mustard</i>	88 cwt	75 cwt	\$38.00	Similar area
<i>Common Kale</i>	115 cwt	100 cwt	\$39.64	Similar area
<i>Hybrid Mustard</i>	132 cwt	100 cwt	\$48.00	ORS
<i>Leaf Spinach</i>	85 cwt	70 cwt	\$48.12	ORS
<i>Open pollinated Mustard</i>	86 cwt	86 cwt	\$38.00	ORS
<i>Rape</i>	104 cwt	90 cwt	\$67.73	ORS

<i>Vine spinach</i>	56.79 cwt	28.06 cwt	\$38.00	Similar area
Grapes				
<i>Barberas BAR (pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Cabernet CAB(pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Cabernet Sauvignon CBS (pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Carignane CAR (pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Catawba CAT (pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Chambourcin CMB (pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Chancellor CHN (pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Chardonnay CHA (pr)</i>		3.14 ton	\$1146	ORS
<i>Concord CON(fh) (pr)</i>		4.76 ton 2.67 ton	\$1480 \$545	ORS NASS
<i>Cynthiana CYT (pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Einsett EIN (pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Grenache GRE (pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Himrod (fh) (pr)</i>		4.76 ton 2.67 ton	\$1480 \$1250	ORS NASS
<i>Malbec MAL (pr)</i>	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1235	ORS
<i>Marsanne MRS (pr)</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
<i>Mataro/Mouvedre MAT</i>		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS

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Merlot MRT (pr)		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
Merlot MER (pr)		3.14 ton	\$1635.00	ORS
Muscadine MUS (fh) (pr)	3.20 ton 3.20 ton	2.67 ton 2.90 ton	\$1250 \$535	NASS RMA
Niagara NIA (pr)		7.00 ton	\$1250	ORS
Norton NOR (pr)		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
Petita Vardot PEV (pr)	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1195	ORS
Pinot Gris PGR	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1569	ORS
Pinot Noir PNO (pr)	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1569	ORS
Reliance REL (fh) (pr)		2.67 ton 2.67 ton	\$2730 \$1100	NASS
Riesling RIE (pr)	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1285	ORS
Sauvignon Blanc/ Fume Blanc SAB (pr)	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1673	ORS
Semillon SEM (pr)	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1195	ORS
Seyval SEY (pr)	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1195	ORS
Syrah SYR (pr)	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1750	ORS
Tannant TAN (pr)		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
Traminette TRA (pr)	4.76 ton	4.76 ton	\$850	ORS
Vidal Blanc				

VDB (pr)		2.67 ton	\$1100	ORS
Vignoles VIG (pr)	4.76 ton	4.76 ton	\$1177	ORS
Voignier VOI (pr)	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1650	ORS
White Riesling	3.14 ton	3.14 ton	\$1195	ORS
Zinfandel ZIN (pr)		2.67 ton	\$1100	NASS
Grasses				
FG – All types		2.0 ton	91.50	NASS (Marsha data)
SOD FTA			0.99	ORS
CEN			0.99	ORS
BCS			0.90	ORS
BCM			0.90	ORS
BGH			0.90	ORS
BCR			7.00	ORS
BLK			0.99	ORS
ZOY			1.62	ORS
STA			1.62	ORS
Seed - FTA		----- 300#	----- 0.99	NASS
Honey TB		49 lbs	\$2.52	NASS (Marsha data)
Honeydew	218 cwt	218 cwt	\$15.50	NASS
Kenaf				
Kor Golden Melon				
	157.73 cwt	157.73 cwt	\$20.99	
Leeks	11.33 ton	9.85 ton	\$493.66	ORS
Lespedeza SD		300 lbs	\$1.76	Similar areas
Lettuce				
Bib	233 cwt	233 cwt	\$38.40	Sim areas
Boston	365 cwt	365 cwt	\$23.80	Sim areas
Crisphead/ Iceberg	365 cwt	365 cwt	\$23.80	Sim area
Leaf	233 cwt	233 cwt	\$38.40	NASS
Romaine	315 cwt	315 cwt	\$24.30	NASS
Millet fg COM gr/sd		2.0 tons 1000 lbs	\$91.50 \$0.1105	NASS/ORS ORS
Mixed Forage All types – fg		2.0 ton	\$91.50	NASS/ORS
Mollusk				
Clams,			\$0.1500	ORS

<i>Growout</i>				
<i>Clams Nursery/Raceway</i>			\$0.1500	ORS
<i>Oysters</i>				
Oats (fg)		2.5 ton	\$100.00 91.50	NASS/ORS
Okra	65 cwt	42 cwt	\$84.00	Similar areas
Onions				
<i>Green</i>	207 cwt	180 cwt	\$75.63	ORS
<i>Red</i>	489 cwt	489 cwt	\$21.60	ORS
<i>Sweet</i>	212.40	168.23 cwt	\$21.90	ORS
<i>Yellow</i>	276 cwt	240 cwt	\$21.60	ORS
Peaches				
<i>Cling FH</i>		134 bu	\$18.75	NASS (US)
<i>Freestone FH</i>		134 bu	\$18.75	NASS (US)
Peanuts				
<i>NP (lbs)</i>	2800 NASS	RMA yields used for GP for founties with RMA coverage for NP. Counties with NP and/or GP peanut producers use adjoining county. All other counties use avg of RMA Tyld	0.24/# NASS	RMA NASS
<i>GP (lbs)</i>	2800 NASS		0.24/# NASS	NASS
Pears				
<i>Asian FH</i>	4.80 ton	3.80 ton	\$711	ORS
Peas				
<i>English FH</i>	32 cwt 41 cwt	20 cwt 20 cwt	\$79.77 \$15.00	ORS
<i>PR</i>				
<i>Blackeye</i>	24 cwt	19 cwt	\$63.13	ORS
<i>Cow</i>	18 cwt	10.5 cwt	\$63.13	ORS
<i>Crowder</i>	20 cwt	14.5 cwt	\$63.13	ORS
<i>Purple Hull</i>	19.75 cwt	14.42 cwt	\$63.13	ORS
<i>Snap</i>	40 cwt	31 cwt	\$17.00	ORS
<i>Snow</i>	25.3 cwt	22 cwt	\$100	ORS
<i>Sugar</i>	30 cwt	24 cwt	\$77.50	ORS
Pecans <i>Imp</i>		8.2 8.0	\$240 \$750 158.00	Need to research

<i>Native</i>				NASS
Peppers				
<i>Green</i>	270 cwt		\$40.50 32.00	NASS
<i>FH</i>	270 cwt		----- 32.00	NASS
<i>PR</i>				
<i>Anaheim</i>	160 cwt	160 cwt	\$24.00 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>Banana</i>	90 cwt	28 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>FH</i>	90 cwt	28 cwt	----- 30.10	NASS
<i>PR</i>				
<i>Cayene</i>	90 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	NASS
<i>FH</i>	90 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>PR</i>				
<i>Cubanells</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>Green Chili</i>	200 cwt	200 cwt	----- 30.10	NASS
<i>FH</i>	200 cwt	200 cwt	\$30.10	ORS NASS
<i>PR</i>				
<i>Habanero</i>	200 cwt	200 cwt	\$30.10	ORS
<i>FH</i>				
<i>Hot Cherry</i>	100 cwt	100 cwt	----- 30.10	NASS
<i>FH</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>PR</i>				
<i>Italian</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>Jalapeno</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>FH</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	----- 30.10	NASS
<i>PR</i>				
<i>Long Johns</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>Mini</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>Oriental Sweet</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>Pimento</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>Oblano (new)</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>Red</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
<i>Serrano (new)</i>	100 cwt	40 cwt	\$81.05 30.10	ORS NASS
Plums	3.0 ton	3.0 ton	\$386	ORS
Potatoes				
<i>Fingerling</i>		195 cwt	10.60 cwt	RMA override NASS
<i>Irish</i>		195 cwt	10.60 cwt	NASS
<i>Red</i>		195 cwt	10.60 cwt	NASS
<i>Russet</i>		195 cwt	10.60 cwt	NASS
<i>Whites</i>		195 cwt	10.60 cwt	NASS
<i>Yellow</i>		195 cwt	10.60 cwt	NASS
Pumpkins				
<i>Cushaw</i>	115.92 cwt	100.8 cwt	\$11.00	Similar area/NASS

<i>Ghost</i>	138 cwt	120 cwt	\$11.00	Similar area/NASS
<i>Howden</i>	210 cwt	126 cwt	\$11.00	ORS
<i>Jack-O-Lantern</i>	210 cwt	121.8 cwt	\$11.00	ORS
<i>Mammoth</i>	210 cwt	182.7 cwt	\$11.00	ORS
<i>Mini</i>	115 cwt	100 cwt	\$11.00	ORS
<i>Sugar</i>	155.25 cwt	155.25 cwt	\$11.00	ORS/NASS
Radish				
<i>Chinese</i>	92 cwt	92 cwt	\$18.00	ORS
<i>Daikon</i>	92 cwt	92 cwt	\$18.00	ORS
<i>Hybrid</i>	92 cwt	92 cwt	\$18.00	ORS
<i>Korean</i>	92 cwt	92 cwt	\$18.00	ORS
Rutabaga		245 cwt	\$32.00	ORS
Rye forage		2.0 ton	\$91.50	NASS/ORS
Sorghum, Dual 0052 <i>sg fg</i>		2.0 ton	\$91.50	NASS/ORS
Sorghum Forage 0050 <i>ml fg</i>		2.0 ton	\$91.50	NASS/ORS
Soybeans Forage grain		2.0 ton	\$91.50	NASS/ORS
Sprite Melons	225 cwt		\$26.67	ORS
Squash				
<i>Acorn</i>	107 cwt	100 cwt	\$32.00	NASS
<i>Butternut</i>	107 cwt	100 cwt	\$32.00	NASS
<i>Crookneck</i>	107 cwt	100 cwt	\$32.00	NASS
<i>Spaghetti</i>	107 cwt	100 cwt	\$32.00	NASS
<i>Summer</i>	107 cwt	100 cwt	\$32.00	NASS
<i>Sunburst (new)</i>	107 cwt	100 cwt	\$32.00	NASS
<i>Winter</i>	107 cwt	100 cwt	\$32.00	NASS
<i>Zucchini</i>	107 cwt	100 cwt	\$57.83 32.00	NASS
Strawberries	122 cwt	120 cwt	\$135.00	NASS
Sunflowers				
<i>Non</i>		1465 lbs	\$0.27	NASS
<i>Oil</i>		1563 lbs	\$0.1380	NASS
Sweet Potato All types		196 cwt	\$18.10	NASS
Tomatillos	119.6 cwt	104 cwt	\$32.15	Similar areas
Tomatoes				
<i>Cherry</i>	163 cwt	71.31 cwt	\$66.52	Similar areas
<i>Grape</i>	163 cwt	71.31 cwt	\$66.52	Similar areas

<i>Green</i>	330 cwt	110 cwt	\$31.00	Similar areas
<i>Hybrid</i>	330 cwt	110 cwt	\$31.00	Similar areas
<i>Plum</i>	330 cwt	110 cwt	\$31.00	Similar areas
<i>Yellow</i>	330 cwt	110 cwt	\$31.00	Similar areas
Triticale <i>gr</i>		42 bu 2.0 ton	\$4.35 \$100.00 91.50	NASS/ORS
<i>fg</i>				
Turnips	110 cwt	70 cwt	\$68.00	ORS
Watermelons				
<i>Common</i>	350	220 cwt	\$10.00	NASS
<i>Jubilee</i>	350	220 cwt	\$10.00	NASS
<i>Icebox/Sugar Babies</i>	350 cwt	220 cwt	\$10.00	NASS
<i>Seedless</i>	350 cwt	220 cwt	\$10.00	NASS
<i>Striped</i>	350 cwt	220 cwt	\$10.00	NASS
Wheat <i>fg</i>		2.0 ton	\$91.50	NASS/ORS

Request to Waive late Reporting Fees for SURE Purposes

The STC established the following policy on late-filed crop reports for 2010 SURE. The North Carolina STC determined that County offices should follow this guidance when accepting late-filed acreage reports for 2010 SURE purposes. RMA data may be used as evidence to accept a late-filed FSA-578 when physical evidence of the crop does not exist, according to Handbook 2-CP (rev. 15) paragraph 21A. This includes prevented planted acres. In these situations, the STC has determined that the late-filed fees will not be assessed. No field visit will be required. If RMA data does not exist, provisions of 2-CP must be followed. If the producer failed to report prevented planted acres to either FSA or RMA in 2010, these reports should not be accepted.

Review COC Established Maximum Average Loss Levels Based on the other County Losses

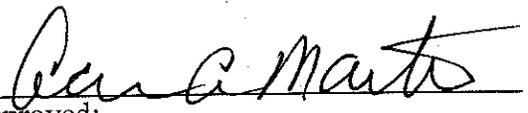
The STC reviewed and approved the attached COC established maximum average loss levels. (See attachment 1)

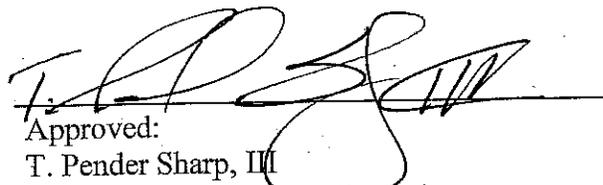
2011 Grazing Loss - NAP – Person & Haywood Counties

The STC concurred with the Person and Haywood COC's 2011 Grazing Loss levels for NAP.

The meeting adjourned at 4:00 pm on February 14, 2012.

The next scheduled meeting of the FSA STC will be on March 13, 2012.


Approved:
Aaron A. Martin
Secretary


Approved:
T. Pender Sharp, III
Chairperson, FSA State Committee

2010 & 2011 COC-Established Maximum Average Loss Levels Based on Other County Losses

County	Crop	Unit of Measure	Practice (IR/NI)	Intended Use	STC Established County Yield	Maximum Average Loss Level (Average County Yield Produced Based On Other County Or Area Losses)	Percent Maximum Loss 1 Minus (Average County Yield Divided By the STC Established Yield)	Approval/Disapproval
2010 Brunswick	Oats	Bu	NI	Gr	*53 bu	34 bu	65%	
	Wheat	Bu	NI	Gr	*41 bu	27 bu	65%	
	FCFB	Lbs	NI		*1932	1256 lbs	65%	
	Soy beans	Bu	NI	Gr	*22	14 bu	65%	
2010 Cabarrus	Corn	Bu	NI	Gr	*92	60 bu	65%	
	Grass	Ton	NI	Fg	2 ton	3.1 ton	0%	
	UPCN Cotton	Bale	NI		847 lbs	785	7.32%	
	Oats	Bu	NI	Gr	80	55.0	31.25%	
2010 Mecklenburg	Soy Beans	Bu	NI	Gr	31	21.0	32.25%	
	Wheat	Bu	NI	Gr	49	36	26.53%	
	Corn	Bu	NI	Gr	117	64	45.3%	
	Wheat	Bu	NI	Gr	49.0	46.0	6.12%	
2010 Mecklenburg	Soy beans	Bu	NI	Gr	31.0	25.0	19.35%	
	Corn	Bu	NI	Gr	117	68	41.88%	
	Fescue	Ton	NI	Fg	1.81 ton	2.87 ton	0%	

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Duplin (Cont.)	Peppers /Grn	Cwt	NI	Fh	50.83 cwt	30.50 cwt	60%	
	Peppers /Hab	Cwt	NI	Fh	80.00 cwt	48.00 cwt	60%	
	Peppers /Htc	Cwt	NI	Fh	57.75 cwt	34.65 cwt	60%	
	Peppers /Ban	Cwt	NI	Fh	66.80 cwt	40.08 cwt	60%	
	Peppers /Ana	Cwt	NI	Fh	60.00 cwt	36.00 cwt	60%	
	Peppers /Jal	Cwt	NI	Fh	60.00 cwt	36.00 cwt	60%	
	Peas/ Eng	Cwt	NI	Fh	20.00 cwt	12.00 cwt	60%	
	Peas/ Phi	Cwt	NI	Fh	14.42 cwt	8.65 cwt	60%	
	Peas/ Cow	Cwt	NI	Fh	10.50 cwt	6.30 cwt	60%	
	Greens/ Tur.	Cwt	NI	Fh	94.68 cwt	56.81 cwt	60%	
	Greens/ Rap.	Cwt	NI	Fh	75.00 cwt	45.00 cwt	60%	
	Greens/ Leaf	Cwt	NI	Fh	28.00 cwt	16.80 cwt	60%	
	Greens/ Hyb.	Cwt	NI	Fh	14.00 cwt	8.40 cwt	60%	

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2010 Duplin (Cont.)	Grapes/Mus.	Tons	NI	Fh	3.29 tons	1.97 tons	60%	
	Grapes/Mus.	Tons	NI	Pr	3.29 tons	1.97 tons	60%	
	Cucmb/Pkl.	Lbs	NI	Pr	5825 lbs	3495 lbs	60%	
	Cucmb/Pkl.	Cwt	NI	Fh	70.35 cwt	42.21 cwt	60%	
	Cucmb/Com	Cwt	NI	Fh	73.01 cwt	43.81 cwt	60%	
	Corn/Swt	Cwt	NI	Fh	43.53 cwt	26.12 cwt	60%	
	Cantalp	Cwt	NI	Fh	56.00 cwt	36.60 cwt	60%	
	Cabb/Nap	Cwt	NI	Fh	158 cwt	94.80 cwt	60%	
	Cabb/Hyb	Cwt	NI	Fh	230 cwt	138 cwt	60%	
	Beans/Green	Cwt	NI	Fh	20.83 cwt	12.50 cwt	60%	
	Beans/But	Cwt	NI	Fh	21.72 cwt	13.03 cwt	60%	
	Soybns/Com	Bu	NI	Gr	31 bu	18.60 bu	60%	
	Corn/Yellow	Bu	NI	Gr	117 bu	70.20 bu	60%	
	Grass/All	Tons	NI	Fg	2.99 tons	1.79 tons	60%	

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2010 Rockingham	Oats	Bu	NI	Gr	80	75	6%	
	Corn	Bu	NI	Gr	117	80	32%	
	Grass	Ton	NI	Fg	1.97	1.38	30%	
2010 Rowan	Corn	Bu	NI	Gr	117.0 Bu	89 bu	24%	
	Corn	Ton	NI	Fg	16.67 tons	14 ton	16%	
	Wheat	Bu	NI	Gr	49.0 bu	46.50 bu	5%	
	All hay	Ton	NI	Fg	2.23	2.2	0%	
	Barley	Bu	NI	Gr	71	84	0%	
	Oats	Bu	NI	Gr	80	79	0%	
	YSB	Bu	NI	Gr	31	36	0%	
2010 Sampson	UPCN	Lbs	NI		847	1272	0%	
	Squash Acn/Sp Butt	Cwt	IR	Fh	89.97	35.99	40%	
	Squash Acn/Sp Butt	Cwt	NI	Fh	39.43	15.77	40%	
	Squash Sum & Zuc	Cwt	IR	Fh	103.33	41.33	40%	
	Squash Zuc (Plantin g Period 01)	Cwt	NI	Fh	34.48	13.79	40%	

Squash Sum & Zuc	Cwt	NI	Fh	34.44	13.78	40%
Peas /Phi	Cwt	IR	Fh	19.75	7.90	40%
Peas /Phi	Cwt	NI	Fh	14.42	5.77	40%
Wmeln/ Seed	Cwt	IR	Fh	350	140	40%
Wmeln /Seed	Cwt	NI	Fh	142.89	57.16	40%
Wmeln /Com	Cwt	IR	Fh	350	140	40%
Wmeln /Com	Cwt	NI	Fh	190	76	40%
Cucmb /PKI	Lbs	IR	Fh	8333	3333.2	40%
Cucmb /PKI	Lbs	NI	Fh	5825	2330	40%
Cucmb /Eng	Cwt	NI	Fh	73.01	29.2	40%
Millet	Lbs	NI	Gr	1000	400	40%
Rye	Bu	NI	Gr	30	12	40%
Rye	Ton	NI	Fg	2.93	1.17	40%
Millet	Ton	NI	Fg	2.93	1.17	40%
Grass Bcs & FTA	Ton	NI	Fg	2.93	1.17	40%
Oats /Wintr	Ton	NI	Fg	2.93	1.17	40%