



Availability of Low-Interest Emergency Loans for Producers Affected by Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza Quarantine

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The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) extends much-needed emergency credit to producers recovering from natural disasters and, in this case, quarantines through [emergency loans](#). Emergency loans can be used to meet various needs including the replacement of essential items such as equipment or livestock, reorganization of a farming operation or the refinance of certain debts. FSA will review the loans based on the extent of losses, security available and repayment ability.

State: Minnesota

Triggering Disaster Event: March 25, 2022 and continuing due to damage and losses caused by the Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza Quarantine imposed by the Minnesota Board of Animal Health.

Application Deadline: March 6, 2023

Primary Counties Eligible:

Anoka Rice	Crow Wing	Meeker
Becker Stearns	Dakota	Morrison
Benton Swift	Dodge	Mower
Big Stone Todd	Grant	Otter Tail
Blue Earth Waseca	Kandiyohi	Polk

Carver Medicine	Lac Qui Parle	Renville	Yellow
Chisago	Le Sueur		
Clay	Lyon		

Contiguous Areas also Eligible: Minnesota:

Aitkin Sherburne	Hubbard	Norman	
Brown Sibley	Isanti	Olmsted	
Cass Steele	Kanabec	Pennington	
Chippewa Stevens	Lincoln	Pine	
Clearwater Traverse	McLeod	Pipestone	
Douglas Wadena	Mahnomen	Pope	
Faribault Washington	Marshall	Ramsey	
Fillmore Watsonwan	Martin	Red Lake	
Freeborn Wilkin	Mille Lacs	Redwood	
Goodhue	Murray	Scott	Wright

Hennepin

Nicollet

Iowa: Howard, Mitchell and Worth

North Dakota: Cass, Grand Forks, Richland and Traill

South Dakota: Deuel, Grant and Roberts

Wisconsin: Burnett, Pierce and Polk

More Resources

On farmers.gov, the [Disaster Assistance Discovery Tool](#), [Disaster Assistance-at-a-Glance fact sheet](#), and [Farm Loan Discovery Tool](#) can help you determine program or loan options. To file a Notice of Loss or to ask questions about available programs, contact your local [USDA Service Center](#).

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