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FUNDS AVAILABLE TO HELP PRODUCE FARMERS IMPROVE FOOD SAFETY

SCDA ALLOCATES FEDERAL FUNDS FOR PRODUCE SAFETY, OTHER FARM SUPPORT

BY SCDA

The South Carolina Department of Agriculture (SCDA) is proud to announce the On-Farm Improvement Cost Share Program. Through USDA Specialty Crop Block Grant funding administered by SCDA, farmers who are covered by the Produce Safety Rule can receive reimbursements up to \$2,000 per year per farm for on-farm food safety improvements.

Examples of improvements that may be eligible for funding include handwashing stations, worker training resources and harvest bins. These measures help farms reduce the risk of foodborne illness in the fruits and vegetables they grow.

Our Produce Safety team recognizes that many South Carolina produce farms identify needed improvements but lack the money to implement changes. This program is designed to help farms make these improvements and comply with the requirements of the federal Produce Safety Rule.

“I hope South Carolina produce farmers will explore this opportunity to upgrade their food safety protections,” said South Carolina Commissioner of Agriculture Hugh Weathers.

“These cost-share grants are an excellent use of taxpayer funds, as they support farms that are already demonstrating a commitment to food safety.”

Funds are available on a first-come first-served basis until depleted. The deadline to apply for reimbursement for this cost share is August 1, 2022.

Please visit agriculture.sc.gov/grants to download the application, request an on-farm evaluation and learn about next steps.



Funding Available to Assist Farmers with Produce Safety Rule Compliance

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LEARN MORE AT agriculture.sc.gov/grants

In all, the South Carolina Department of Agriculture has allocated more than \$600,000 from the 2021 USDA Specialty Crop Block Grant Program to 12 projects to increase the competitiveness of specialty crops in South Carolina. Funded projects include research to improve strawberry, watermelon, and peach crops, and packaging for produce farmers. The full project list is online at ams.usda.gov/services/grants/scbgrp.

AGRICULTURE.SC.GOV/GRANTS

SCDA's grants webpage lists grant opportunities available to South Carolina farmers, including cost share programs for cold storage, GAP certification, water quality analysis, organic certification and attending trade shows and educational conferences. Agribusinesses and farms looking for business development support should also visit acre-sc.com to learn more about our Agribusiness Center for Research and Entrepreneurship (ACRE).

COMMISSIONER'S CORNER



HUGH E. WEATHERS

SOUTH CAROLINA COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

THE YEAR AHEAD

Welcome to 2022. Despite the stresses and pressures of COVID-19, 2021 was a very good year for many South Carolina farmers. I noted recently that we saw record peanut yields in South Carolina last year. Well, USDA NASS has now reported that South Carolina farmers saw record cotton yields, too. Production for 2021 is forecast at 410,000 bales, up 37 percent from 2020. Let's hope we can continue putting up good numbers next year.

The year 2022 is also looking big on the international trade front. USDA's Economic Research Service is projecting a record year for exports, with livestock, poultry, and dairy exports up, and all major commodities up except pork. As expected, China is expected to remain the largest U.S. agricultural market.

On the specialty crop side of things, I'm also feeling positive. I visited the New York Produce Show in mid-December, where I got the chance to speak with buyers and learn about some trends. Market Development Coordinator Katie Pfeiffer

was at the produce show representing the department, as was Ginny Gohagan, marketing director for South Carolina peaches, watermelons and seafood. World-class South Carolina producers like WP Rawl and Titan Farms had their own booths in the exhibit hall, and Lowcountry-based Heron Farms was also in attendance. Their salty little sea beans are getting a lot of attention nationally. Sam Norton, who founded the business with assistance from our Agribusiness Center for Research and Entrepreneurship (ACRE), was also named one of Forbes' 30 Under 30 in December.

With the new Omicron variant, it appears COVID-19 isn't done with us yet. But our South Carolina farmers will continue to find ways to innovate and grow food for the world. It will be a challenging year for some of our farmers with input costs having increased drastically since last year.

January is Meeting Season, of course, and I hope we will have a safe and successful start to the year.

And finally, congratulations to Roy Copelan, who retired at the end of 2021 after 51 years with the South Carolina Department of Agriculture.



UPCOMING EVENTS

USEF/USEA Stable View Aiken Opener Horse Trials

January 22 - 23 • 8 am - 5 pm
Dressage starts at 8:30 am; Show Jumping starts at 9:45 am; Cross-Country starts at 10:00 am. Sun: N/BN: Dressage starts at 8:30 am; Show Jumping starts at 9:45 am; Cross Country starts at 10:00 am. FREE for spectators!!

Stable View

151 Stable Drive, Aiken
484-356-3173 • secretary@stableviewfarm.com
stableviewfarm.com



Old Smokehouse Day at the L.W. Paul Living History Farm

January 22 • 9am - 12pm
Winter was the time of year for curing pork on the farm and a season when the family was dependent on home preserved foods during the cold winter months. Volunteers will demonstrate how foods were preserved and prepared on the farm during the early twentieth century in Horry County. Demonstrations will include smoking and salting meat, cooking on a wood stove, making lye soap, grinding grits, blacksmithing and other traditional farm activities. The L.W. Paul Living History Farm re-creates what life was like on the one-horse family farm in Horry County between the years of 1900 and 1955. This event is free and open to the public.

L. W. Paul Living History Farm
2279 Harris Shortcut Road, Conway
843-365-3596 • hcgmuseum@horrycounty.org



SC Agritourism Association Annual Conference

January 23 - 25
The conference includes two days touring outstanding agritourism farms and features fantastic educational speakers at each stop. You have the option to ride the bus or drive your own car. \$145 for SCAA members/\$190 for non-members.

Anderson, Greenville, & Oconee Counties

Contact: Jackie Moore
803-734-2144 • jmoore@scda.sc.gov
eventbrite.com/e/sc-agritourism-association-2022-annual-conference-tickets-200030625987



SC Cotton Growers Meeting

January 25 • 9 am - 3:30 pm
Registration opens at 8:15 am. A sponsored lunch will be provided. Trade show booths open at 8:30 am. Pesticide and CCA credits will be available to attendees.

Santee Conference Center

1737 Bass Drive/US-15, Santee
Contact: Katherine Helms
803-734-5229 • khelms@scda.sc.gov

Columbia Produce Safety Rule Grower Training

January 27 • 8:30 am - 5 pm
Fruit and vegetable growers and others interested in learning about produce safety, the Food Safety Modernization Act (FSMA) Produce Safety Rule, Good Agricultural Practices (GAPs), and co-management of natural resources and food safety. The PSA Grower Training Course is one way to satisfy the FSMA Produce Safety Rule requirement outlined in § 112.22(c) that requires 'At least one supervisor or responsible party for your farm must have successfully completed food safety training'. Registration Fees: \$20 in-state attendees / \$100 out-of-state attendees.

William Buddy Jennings SCDA Training Facility

350 Ballard Court, West Columbia
Contact: Brooke Horton
803-351-1244 • bhorton@scda.sc.gov
bit.ly/Jan27Cola

SC Peanut Growers Annual Meeting

January 27 • 9 am - 4 pm
Registration and trade show booths open at 8:30 am. A sponsored lunch will be provided.

Santee Conference Center

1737 Bass Drive/US-15, Santee
Contact: Marianne Catalano
803-734-0338 • mcatalano@scda.sc.gov

SALES & AUCTIONS

Claxton's Auction

January 8 & 15 • 11 am - 5 pm
Special Sale January 15 • 1 pm
Every Saturday. Equine, cows, sheep, goats, pigs, camelots, ratites, poultry, and small animals.
18627 Lowcountry Hwy, Ruffin
Contact: William Claxton
843-909-4285 • wlcjr@yahoo.com
facebook.com/ClaxtonAuctionCo

More Bull for Your Buck Sale

January 15 • 10 am - 3 pm
Selling 32 service aged, Red Angus bulls and 30 registered and commercial Red Angus heifers. Join us in person or online.

Bull Hill Red Angus Ranch

1986 Trinity Church Road, Gray Court
Contact: Bull Hill Ranch
864-981-2080 • bullhill2@prtcnet.com
bullhillredangusranch.com

Baxley Family Farms Annual Cattle Sale

January 15 • 12 pm
Angus, Sim-Angus, & Simmental cattle, 35 yearling bulls, 12 heifers w/calves by side, 30 open heifers ready to breed. Lunch at noon, sale begins at 1 pm.
Baxley Family Farms (cow barn)
1129 Altman Avenue, Georgetown
Contact: Lloyd Baxley
843-325-8821 • baxleyfamilyfarmsllc@yahoo.com

SCDA State Farmers Markets

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE FARMERS MARKET

3483 Charleston Highway
West Columbia, SC 29172
803-737-4664

GREENVILLE STATE FARMERS MARKET

1354 Rutherford Road
Greenville, SC 29609
864-244-4023

PEE DEE STATE FARMERS MARKET

2513 W. Lucas Street
Florence, SC 29501
843-665-5154

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- **Fax:** 803-734-0659

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JANUARY 11 • 12:00 PM

AQUACULTURE

BLUEGILL

50¢; Catfish, 75¢; Carp, \$12; Ft Tiger Bass, \$3; Lrgmth Bass & Trout, \$2; Minnows, \$20/lb; p-up/del Derek Long Newberry 803-944-3058

8-11" CARP

\$12 each; Bluegill, Redbreast, Shellcracker, \$65/100; 3-5" Chan Cats, \$60/100; Gambusia, \$40/100 Clay Chappell Richland 803-776-4923

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Ads are due by noon (12 pm) on the Tuesday after the latest published issue.

Any ads received after the deadline will be considered for a subsequent issue.

DEXTER CATTLE

cow, calves & bulls, \$200+ George Schwuchow Edgefield 843-607-4160

20 POLLED HRFRD BULLS

breeding exam checked, thick muscle, ready to breed, \$2700+ Norris Fowler Union 864-219-0182

REG BFMSTR BULLS

\$1500+; weanling hefrs, \$1200+ Joe Logan Greenwood 864-538-3003

LINE ONE HRFRD BULLS

12-24 m/o, \$1400-2500 Jim Drake Anderson 864-352-3774

BLK ANG YRLG

350-700 lbs, selling as breeding or beef, \$1.30/lb Rhett Coleman Dillon 843-845-7965

BLK ANG COMM COWS

12 head, some prs & some bred, \$1000-1200 each Annette Whitaker York 803-925-2129

REG RED ANG BULLS

exc perform, calving ease, & good dispo, \$2000+ Raymond Prescott Laurens 864-981-2080

BBU REG BFMSTR BULLS

BSE tested, \$2000+; yng bulls, \$1000+; bred cows, \$1800+ James Dyches York 803-230-4952

POLL BLK BFMSTR BULLS

12 m/o, \$1200; 24 m/o, \$1900; 12 m/o Ang/Bfmstr cross, \$1000 Gene Crim Calhoun 803-609-4571

2 BLK ANG OPEN HEFRS

reg, sired by SAV Rainfall & Quaker Hill Rampage, \$1500 each Michelle Shealy Saluda 803-480-0320

BLK HRFRD GELB X BULL

20 m/o, BSE, 1200 lb, \$1600; PB Blk Hrfrd bull, AI, 21 m/o, \$2000 Michael Bailey Lancaster 803-288-3108

ANG HEFRS

wormed, vac, on feed, \$375 ea Casey McCarty Newberry 803-924-5239

5 REG BULLS

Ang/Brahma cross, 17 m/o, ready for light serv, exc b'lines, docile, \$1600 each Steve Sease Anderson 864-304-6313

2 REG GELB BULLS

3 y/o, \$2500 each Mike Powell Abbeville 864-378-2271

POL HERFRD CALVES

9-10 m/o, 1 bull, 1 hefr, from reg stock, no papers, \$750 each Scott Hornsby Richland 803-530-8667

REG BLK ANG BULLS

\$2000+; open hefrs, reg & comm, \$750+; prs & bred cows, \$1500+ Marc Renwick Newberry 803-271-8691

REG BLK ANG

weaned rplcmnt hefrs, bred hefrs, proven foundation genetics, \$2000+ Walter Shealy Newberry 803-924-1000

REG BLK ANG BULLS

proven genetics, 15-24 m/o, low BW, exc feet & muscle, BSE, comp EPDs, perf info, \$3500+ Dixon Shealy Newberry 803-629-1174

BFMSTR BULLS

18 m/o PB red bull, \$1600; 4 yrlg bulls, \$1200 John Steele Lancaster 803-283-7720

BLK ANG BULL

10 m/o, FB, tame, \$950 L Gunter Lexington 803-532-7394

BLK ANG BULLS

yrlgs & 2 y/o, exc b'lines, good calving ease, \$1500+ Wesley Miller Lexington 803-917-1793

REG BLK ANG BULLS

24 m/o, exc b'lines, calving ease, gentle, \$1800 Tripp Hungerpiller Orangeburg 803-682-3324

4 BLK CROSSBRED HEFRS

ready to bred, 18-20 m/o, 900-1000 lbs, fully vac, \$1100 each Carl Myers Oconee 864-710-7269

REG BLK ANG BULLS

16-27 m/o, \$1500-3500; hefrs, cow calf prs, \$1500-2500, gentle, good EPDs Bobby Baker Lancaster 803-804-2230

3 BLK ANG HEFRS

18 m/o, \$1100; 15 m/o, \$1000; 14 m/o, \$900; 10 m/o Red Ang bull, \$800; 10 m/o Blk Ang/Char mix, \$800 Suzanne Reed Anderson 864-293-0363

2 YRLG BULLS

high qual, 1 Red Ang, 1 Gelb Balancer, \$2500 each Cody Clary Saluda 803-271-8455

2 BULLS

1 Hrfrd, 1 Ang, from the Yon Farm, both reg, \$4000 each Becky Boulware Chester 803-209-7535

REG BLK ANG BULL

B-9/29/20, sired by Select Sire SS Niagara Z29 & out of Yon Sarah D238, \$5000 obo Ann Bosert Florence 828-334-8153

REG BRANGUS

& Ultra Blk bulls, exc EPDs, \$2500+ John Harding York 803-242-3248

REG HRFRD BULLS

10-18 m/o, exc b'lines & dispo, sev AI sired, \$1250+ Donnie King Greenville 864-885-2119

12 M/O HEFRS

from AI sires, \$1200 Jason Nichols Saluda 864-992-2753

FARM EQUIPMENT

ADS MAY NOT BE SUBMITTED BY COMMERCIAL DEALERS. A CURRENT FARM TAG ISSUED BY THE SCDMV IS REQUIRED ON ALL FARM VEHICLES.

ROTARY CUTTER

Bush Hog brand 286, 6' cut, 3ph, Cat 1, GC, \$795 George Wiles Berkeley 843-312-9581

JD 4400 DSL COMBINE

w/duals, 913 platform, 444 corn hdr, shed kept, FR, \$10,000 Richard Rhode Dorchester 843-563-1411

'57 JD 420T

single frt whl, good for truck crop farming, EC, \$4650 Louis Ferringer Spartanburg 864-576-7105

FORD TRACTOR

Golden Jubilee, GRC, \$4000 Gordon Bowers Beaufort 843-521-7064

84" WOODS CUTTER

needs some work, \$200 Ken Hicks Anderson 864-940-4000

7700 JD COMBINE

GC, \$4000; 918 flex hdr finger p-up, \$3500 Glenn Fulmer Aiken 803-645-2831

'96 SUNDOWNER TRL

GN, SL, 1 owner, LN, shed kept, \$13,500 Dennis Ridley Laurens 864-871-2033

2 MM AVERY TRACTORS

shed kept, need tire repair & cranked, \$2200 Vance Clinkscales Anderson 864-225-6084

MORRA HAY RAKE

\$1200; disc mwr, \$3200; aerator, \$400; all in EC & dry stored Bob Morgan Dillon 843-845-7914

GILL ROLLOVER

\$1200 obo Josh Munn York 803-448-0692

'69 JD 4020

canopy, 1 hyd new clutch, \$15,000; JD 4240, cab, 2 hyd, \$21,000; E70B trackhoe, \$15,000, cash Daniel Sweat Saluda 864-980-5039

4x8 TRL

\$200; harrow, \$300; bush hog & hay rake, \$150 each; more Gary Seay Spartanburg 864-578-8214

2 GANG DISC PLOW

Massey, 3ph, GC, HD, \$575; trl, homemade from 50's truck, needs tires & work, rusty, \$250 Jim Atkinson Pickens 864-506-9050

JD 335 RND BALER

FR, shed kept, new belts, hoses, photos/video avail, del avail for fee, \$4500 Keith Bowers Aiken 803-640-8697

JD 5055E

4wd, 200 hrs, shed kept, LN, \$29,000; JD 3032E, \$19,500 both w/ltr & bucket Harvey Anderson Edgefield 706-831-9003

LIVESTOCK TRL

20' GN, butterfly gates, \$3500; GN horse trl, slide rear door, \$4500; 4x8 fuel trl, 150 gal, \$500 Robert Turner Orangeburg 803-596-6463

'74 JD 4030

GWC, all maint performed, \$9000 Jonathan White Florence 843-373-3712

METAL TRL

4'W, 10'L, needs tires, \$200 Dan Coward Dillon 843-472-8122

KMC 4R RIPPER PLNTR

w/JD 71 plntrs, \$5000 Jeffrey Gilmore Chesterfield 843-517-0315

466 JD HAY BALER

twine & net wrap, GC, \$9000 Christopher Derrick Edgefield 803-480-0465

16'x82" UTIL TRL

inside Tandem, HD ramp, all new tires/rims, deck, lights, paint, call/text, \$3000 Lewis Cadwallader Greenville 864-991-9288

3PT BALE SPEAR

\$100; dbl shovel plow, \$400; Bush Hog 7' fin mwr, \$900 Jim Hammett Spartanburg 864-357-1859

BARE ROOT TRNSPLNTR

or plug, w/barrel, Mechanical Transplanter Co mod 1000, light use, \$2500 obo John Mahon Chesterfield 843-910-7352

'62 CAST TRACTOR

w/narrow frt end, dsl, GRC, fully restored, 2 back remotes, 3ph, \$6000 Walt Teachman Anderson 864-356-1933

469 NH HAYBINE

& Intl hay rake, both usable, \$1150 obo for both Drake Kinley Anderson 864-353-9628

JD 520

PS, factory 3ph, runs & drives good, \$5800 Charles Horger Calhoun 803-707-1493

5' GILL BOX BLADE

\$500; old JD pull type 6' disc, \$360 Rickie Evans Chester 803-209-2714

'60 TD20 INTL DOZER

cranks & GRC, needs trans work, \$2500 Robert Bowers Lancaster 803-320-9370

DRAIN DITCHER

Ferguson mod B-11, cutting depth 12", head 18" dia, little use, \$1900 Fletcher Arant Saluda 803-206-3989

8N FORD TRACTOR

amp, oil gauge, PTO, 3ph, 4 spd, \$2900 obo Randy Carlson Bamberg 803-793-6701

SET OF 2R CULT

for a D14, D15 or D17 AC tractor, \$350 James Pruitt Spartanburg 864-316-0004

16' CATTLE TRL

w/cntr gate, tag-a-long, \$1800 Kenneth Lominack Union 864-426-5905

JD 5105

50 hp, 2wd, 1018 hrs, \$11,000 Robert Hurley Laurens 864-981-5352

IH 1020 HDR AUGER

15', \$400 Charles Nichols Saluda 864-445-8350

WOODMIZER EG 200 EDGER

15 hp, 3ph, elec controller, convert single ph to 3ph, \$15,000 Thomas Jackson Sumter 803-707-1061

INTL 4R & MF 4R CULTS

\$700 each; 20' folding scaffire, \$1800 Plato Kneeece Aiken 803-582-8665

OAK TRL

w/sides, hvy axle, good tires, needs work, \$145 Randy Orr Anderson 864-295-3736

SUBSOILER

3ph, \$250; 11' Cole corn plntr, kept dry, GC, \$400 Collie Knox Spartanburg 864-978-9840

KUHN PB HAY TEDDER

2 basket, GC, used last season, \$900 George McCoy Chesterfield 843-307-8866

BOBCAT SKIDSTEER 743B

2600 hrs, w/bucket, \$15,000 obo; 5x10 util trl, 24" pnl sides & tailgate, more, \$1650 obo Otis Hembre Spartanburg 864-316-1222

'45 FA C TRACTOR

& cult, good to restore, \$1500; Intl 430 sq baler, \$500 Jack Tinsley Pickens 864-843-6114

'52 FORD 8N

GC, \$3000; 9 shank chisel plow, \$650, calls only Jimmy Wilson Anderson 864-923-2348

'99 STOLL STOCK TRL

7x34, 1 owner, shed kept, \$8500 Pat Carmichael Marion 843-431-7307

GLEANER 330 CORN HDR

EC, \$2200 Bill Martin Anderson 864-314-3570

FARM LABOR

NOTICES ARE ACCEPTED FOR AGRICULTURAL WORK ONLY AND NOT FOR HOUSEWORK, NURSING, OR COMPANIONSHIP NEEDS.

TRACTOR WORK

light bush hogging
Glenn Goins
Lexington
803-381-8287

FORESTRY MULCHING SERV

underbrush mulching from timber land to pastures, backyards, lots, etc, insured
Dakota Hollman
Lexington
803-687-6382

ONSITE MOBILE WELDING

& fabrication, farm & hvy equip, fences, gates, etc
Garrett Stephens
Greenville
828-405-2176

TRACTOR WORK

frt end ldr, dirt blade, bush hog, chain saw trees, also backhoe work w/in 20 mi
David Wannamaker
Calhoun
803-682-2117

LIME SPREADING

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Drake Kinley
Anderson
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&/or fish truck delivery driver, work is mostly outdoors, good pay w/misc benefits
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Richland
803-776-4923

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all types, 50 yr exp
George Bush
Lexington
803-640-1949

LEXCO TACK CLEANING

leather bridles, saddles, harnesses & accessories, your place or mine
Laurie Knapp
Lexington
803-317-7613

FENCES INSTALLED

statewide, free est
Bruce Thomas
Dorchester
843-636-1699

DOZER/TRACKHOE WORK

build & repair ponds, demo, tree removal, land clearing, roads, free est
James Hughes
Greenwood
864-227-8257

PASTURE MGMT SERV

spray weeds, treat fire ants, fert & lime; plant pastures, Fescue, Ryegrass, Bermuda, Bahia
Kenny Mullis
Richland
803-331-6612

FARM LAND

FARM LAND MUST BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY THE OWNER, NOT AN AGENT. TRACTS MUST BE AT LEAST 5 ACRES UNDER CULTIVATION, TIMBER, OR PASTURE. OUT-OF-STATE OWNERS – NOT REAL ESTATE AGENTS – MAY NOW SUBMIT ADS FOR LAND IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

WANT FARM W/LVG QTR

5+A suitable for livestock, upstate counties, well/ septic, cash buyer under \$100,000
Susan Georgion
Chester
423-440-4196

WANT LAND TO LEASE

for hunting, Darlington, Lee, Kershaw, have equip to help repair & manage property
Ray Sealey
Darlington
843-409-1717

210A FAIRFIELD CO

17 y/o pines, horse creek, I-77, mm 38, new survey, no leases, fin poss, \$590,000
Terry Mills
York
803-322-4560

25+A LEASE

Cherokee Co, prev planted in soy beans, \$85/A
Buddy Kirby
Spartanburg
864-621-7142

GARDEN

ADS ARE NOT ACCEPTED FROM COMMERCIAL NURSERIES, WHICH HAVE ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000.

RABBITEYE BLUEBERRIES

\$2 each, ship min 15+ \$11 ship
Billy Eddins
Chesterfield
843-623-2427

FOX GRAPES

\$25; potted Egyptian onions, \$20
Francis Shiver
Kershaw
803-669-1979

3 GAL FIG TREES

\$15; Blueberry & Blkberry plants, 3 for \$20; Pomegranate, Honey Locust, Loquat, \$20
FC Noles
Barnwell
803-383-4066

FRESH PRODUCE

PRODUCE MUST BE RAW AND NON-PROCESSED. RAW MILK, BUTTER, AND CHEESE PRODUCTS MUST BE PERMITTED BY THE SC DEPT. OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL. AN EGG LICENSE IS NOT REQUIRED FOR ON-FARM POINTS OF SALE.

PECANS

will crack & shell your seedling or improved var pecans for 1/2 of the nuts
Wade ten Bensel
Lancaster
803-283-4631

COLLARDS

2 var, Old Time Blue & Georgia, \$10/peck; Broccoli, 2 var, Santee & Jacaranda, \$4/lb
Buddy Kirby
Spartanburg
864-621-7142

CHICKEN EGGS

farm fresh, \$2/dozen, \$3/1 1/2 dozen
Rose Roof
Lexington
803-315-7307

FREE RANGE EGGS

farm fresh, \$3/dozen
Debbie Norris
Lexington
803-622-0000

JERUSALEM ARTICHOKE

un-washed, no ship, \$4/lb
Lyman Fogle
Orangeburg
803-247-2098

JERUSALEM ARTICHOKE

\$3/lb
Gayle McAlhany
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GOATS / LLAMAS / SHEEP

KIKO BUCKS

comm grade, B-10/14-22/21, \$200-250; more
Jonathan Hardy
Richland
803-730-8551

1/2 BOER 1/2 MILK GOATS

B-11/27-28/20, billies, \$150 each; nannies, \$200 each
Philip Poole
Union
864-427-1589

ADULT RAMS

\$150
George Schwuchow
Edgefield
843-607-4160

NUBIAN DAPPLE BUCK

PB, \$350; NKR reg 100% NZ Kiko buck, \$500 & doe, \$300
Jacob Porter
Orangeburg
803-493-9104

KUNEKUNE PIGLETS

3 m/o, M/\$100, F/\$150; feeder males, \$75 each
Brad Jones
Florence
843-319-6428

LRG MEAT BILLY GOATS

corn & hay fed only, 2 y/o, \$250 & \$300
L Gunter
Lexington
803-532-7394

(4) 3 Y/O PYGMY BILLIES

proven breeders, \$200 each
Britton McCarter
York
704-913-6083

SPANISH/BRIAR

3 juvenile billies, B-Fall '20, \$75 each
Willie White
Lee
803-459-6633

2 BOER BILLIES

4 m/o, \$100 each
B Weatherford
Lee County
803-469-2056

FB BERKSHIRE

& Berkshire/Yorkshire cross pigs, \$150 each
J Painter
Spartanburg
864-641-9855

PLANTS & FLOWERS

ADS ARE NOT ACCEPTED FROM COMMERCIAL NURSERIES, WHICH ARE DEFINED AS HAVING ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000.

1 GAL LOROPETALUM

Azaleas, Tea Olives, Boxwoods, Gardenias, \$5; Weeping Willows, Butterfly bushes, \$20
FC Noles
Barnwell
803-383-4066

CHESTNUT TREES

Persimmon trees, Emerald Green & Green Giant Arborvitae, \$10+; Windmill palms, \$35+
Johnathan Broach
Darlington
843-617-6300

MONKEY GRASS

aka Liriope, hosta, \$4 each; Iris, Daylily, \$5 each; Hydrangea, Gardenia, \$8.50 each
Woody Ellenburg
Pickens
864-855-2565

CANNAS

Pres red, Bengal tiger & yellow, min 2 dozen/color, \$8/dozen
Robert Yonce
Aiken
803-685-7240

DAWN REDWOODS

unpruned, 1 y/o, \$100 each
Francis Shiver
Kershaw
803-669-1979

POULTRY

INDIA BLUE PEACOCKS

friendly, \$150 each
Jemima Fellows
Aiken
803-443-8572

GUINEAS

14 grown, \$20 each; (70) 3/4 grown, \$10 each; 5 Button quail, \$10 each
Keith Gibbons
Clarendon
843-372-2472

GREY FRENCH TOULOUSE GEESE

good pond weeders & meat bird, \$100/pr
Benson Ray
Georgetown
843-933-5367

LAVENDER AMERICAN ROOS

6 m/o, \$20 each
Tim Boozer
Newberry
803-924-3922

CUCKOO MARAN ROO

'21 spring hatch, \$8
Heather Ford
York
803-548-0572

25 MUSCOVY DUCKS

\$15/pr
Richard King
Darlington
843-332-3072

OE BANTAMS

\$10 each; 3 M Cooper Marans, \$15 each
Robert Scarborough
Sumter
803-840-1347

BRONZE TOM TURKEY

Rio Grande breed, 1 1/2 y/o, \$100; Game roos, 7 m/o, \$10 & \$15 each
L Gunter
Lexington
803-532-7394

PEACOCKS

2 breeding prs, \$400/pr; Parlor Roller pigeons, \$25 each
James Malphrus
Dorchester
843-821-8172

WHT & SILVER KING PIGEONS

homers, \$15 each; rollers, \$12 each
William Claxton
Colleton
843-909-4285

2 RIR ROOS

\$5 each; BB Red roos, \$2 each
Charles Kirkland
Greenwood
864-978-0537

DUCKS

Blk Swedish, Runner, Rouen, & Crested, \$15/hen, \$9/drake
Leland Bowen
Abbeville
864-391-1001

COCHINS

H-'21, some laying, \$25/pr
Ray Tanner
Williamsburg
843-499-1972

BOB WHT QUAIL

14 w/o, \$4.50 each; 16 w/o, \$5 each; both flight & weather cond
John Reed
Sumter
803-464-5757

EASTER/OLIVE EGGER PULLETS

laying well, blue & olive eggs, NPIP/AI, Ameraucana/ Maran cross breed, \$25 each
Patricia Dukes
Lexington
803-606-1140

GUINEAS

1/4 grown, \$7 each; 1/2 grown, \$10 each; Game, Warhorse, Flarry eye greys, Hatch, \$30+
Philip Poole
Union
864-427-1589

2 ROYAL PALMS

8 m/o, \$80/pr
Barbara Styles
Newberry
803-940-1827

ADULT GUINEAS

\$20 each
Walt Teachman
Anderson
864-356-1933

BOB WHT QUAIL

flight cond, \$4 each
Benji Floyd
Clarendon
843-373-7311

17 CHICKENS

7 m/o & laying, \$20 each; 3 roos, \$15 each
Robert Turner
Orangeburg
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4 YNG GAME ROOS

\$10 each
Barbara Long
Lexington
803-604-7377

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HAY & GRAIN

4'x5' BERMUDA MIX

\$40, barn stored; 4'x5'
Millet mix, outside, \$20;
both net wrap
Joel Barker
Anderson
864-287-5556

FESCUE & BERMUDA

lrg rnd bales, barn kept,
\$45/bale
Kenneth Satterfield
Laurens
864-876-0893

HQ SQ CB

\$6.50/bale
Warren E Coker
Florence
843-319-1884

4x5 CB

\$50; sq CB, \$6; 4x5 mixed
Crabgrass, \$35; sq Rye straw,
\$4; all shed kept
Larry McCartha
Lexington
803-606-2499

'21 CQ 4x5 CB

in shed, \$45; outside, \$35;
mix, \$25
Michael F Hallman
Lexington
803-657-5526

SUDAN GRASS

tarp covered, \$40; Fescue &
Oat hay, in barn, \$45; all 4x5
Melvin Barr
Pickens
864-360-5176

'21 COASTAL/BAHIA MIX

4x5, net wrap, stored
outside, will load on your
trl, \$45/bale
Robert Burney
Horry
843-995-0830

'21 4x4½ CB

field stacked, not shed kept,
\$40 each
Bradley Hightower
Orangeburg
803-682-1865

'21 SQ COASTAL

\$6 ea, shed kept, North area
Wayne Axson
Orangeburg
803-682-1778

'21 4x5 FESCUE

HQ, shed kept, \$40
Wesley Boland
Newberry
803-768-2010

'21 FESCUE SQ

shed kept & NR, Pauline
area, \$6
John Graham
Spartanburg
864-809-0104

'21 SQ FESCUE

NR, in barn, \$5 each
Jerry Butler
Laurens
864-697-6343

4x5 CQ MIXED GRASS

net wrap, \$35/bale
Tony Williams
Edgefield
803-391-5713

SHELLED CORN

50 lb bags, \$9/bag, p-up only
J Painter
Spartanburg
864-641-9855

MIXED GRASS

tight hvy sq's, \$9
Walt Teachman
Anderson
864-356-1933

'21 HQ OR CQ CB

lrg rnd bales, rained on
1x before baled, \$30; from
barn, \$40
Stephen Gedosch
Greenville
864-982-4490

'21 FESCUE & RYEGRASS

in barn, \$40; outside fescue,
'21/\$30, '20/\$20, no weeds
Terry Blakely
Greenville
864-483-1920

'21 4x5 RND CB

net wrap, limed & well fert,
NR, stored outside indiv on
pallets, \$50/bale
Eddie West
Aiken
803-507-8205

'21 4x5 HAY

stored outside, \$30 each for
2 or more bales
Leonard Williams
Anderson
864-245-0436

'21 MIXED GRASS

4x5 rnd, \$25/bale
Barry Hossler
Saluda
803-622-3906

'21 RND CB MIX

baled dry, stored under cover,
HQ, \$45, min p-up 3 bales
Charlie Hoback
Richland
803-414-3646

54" RND CQ CB

net wrap, stored outside,
del avail, \$40
Wesley Miller
Lexington
803-917-1793

RND & SQ HQ CB

no litter used, \$50 & \$7
in field, increase at barn,
McBee area; CQ rnd, \$40
at field
George McCoy
Chesterfield
843-307-8866

'21 CB & '21 OAT HAY

4x5, net wrap, shed kept,
\$45 each
Sam Rikard
Lexington
803-892-2630

'21 SQ FESCUE

fert, NR, \$4.50 at barn
Don Hall
Greenville
864-303-8472

'21 HQ RND FESCUE

fert, limed, sprayed, \$25-35/
bale, del avail
Donald Counts
Newberry
803-315-1016

'21 MIXED GRASS

CQ, 4x5 rnd, \$20/bale
Buck Griffin
Greenwood
864-941-7338

'21 HQ BERMUDA

sq, \$6.50
Thomas Thain
Lexington
803-920-7023

SQ ALFALFA

\$10
Jackie Rogers
Spartanburg
864-381-5971

'21 MIXED GRASS

4x5 rnd, twine wrap, \$25 ea
Chris Cathcart
Fairfield
803-603-8237

HQ CB 4x5 RND

net wrap, '21/\$50 each;
'20/\$45 each, 50 bls for \$1900,
free del w/1 25 mi of Pelion
Terry King
Lexington
803-381-6177

4x5 BALES

\$35 each
Kenneth Lominack
Union
864-426-5905

'21 OAT & RYE GRASS

\$40; Fescue, \$35; grass mix,
\$30; all 4x5 net wrap
Charles Nichols
Saluda
864-445-8350

SQ BALES OF STRAW

\$4
Jason Nichols
Saluda
864-992-2753

COASTAL & CRABGRASS

\$35+; HQ CB, \$50 each;
both 4x5, shed kept
Plato Kneece
Aiken
803-582-8665

'21 4'x54" RND CQ CB

net wrap, well fert, shed
kept, \$45, no del
Rickey Meetze
Lexington
803-667-0285

'21 MIXED GRASS

5x4 rnd, store outside, tight
wrap, NR, \$25
Mike Wright
Pickens
864-270-0560

'21 CB

also Brown Top Millet, &
Cowpeas Millet mixed, all
4x5 & shed kept, \$50/bale,
del for fee
Edward Chavis
Barnwell
803-671-3108

'21 COASTAL

\$45, \$35/4x4, both barn
kept; '20 in field, \$10
Tom Thornton
Lexington
803-960-4069

'21 CQ COASTAL

4x5 net wrap, \$30
Gary Bryant
Darlington
843-858-3865

RND MIXED HAY

\$25, field p-up, will del for
\$35/bale
Michael Estes
Laurens
864-923-1110

'21 CORN

shelled & cob, 50lb bags, \$8/bag
Brice Isgett
Florence
843-206-5024

4'x5' CRAB GRASS HAY

\$35/bale; Rye grass hay,
\$30/bale
Carroll Dorn
Saluda
864-980-7483

'21 TIFTON 44/COASTAL

4x5 rnd, net wrap, 1200 lbs,
barn kept, \$40 each; outside
barn, \$35 each
William Shealy
Lexington
803-513-3485

FALL '21 FESCUE MIX

4x4 rnd, off-ground storage,
\$25, del avail
Waitman Dixon
Laurens
864-683-6620

'21 4x5 CB

shed stored, \$60; outside
stored, \$50; cow hay, \$40; sq
bales, \$7.50, del avail
Bobby Zimmerman
Lexington
803-317-8681

HQ SQ CB

\$6 each; net wrap rnd bales,
\$50 each; clean crab grass
\$40; Rye straw, \$4 each, all
shed kept
Howard McCartha
Lexington
803-312-3316

'21 HQ 4x5 COASTAL

net wrap, field stored, \$50/
bale; shed stored, \$60/bale,
del avail for fee
David Fulmer
Orangeburg
803-917-0467

'21 SD ALFALFA

dairy qual, 3x4x8, 1600 lbs,
\$380 each, cash sales
Chris Roux
Cherokee
864-906-5471

MISCELLANEOUS

OLD COMP FARM BELL

old, #3/\$350; xl farm bell,
w/wheel, comp, \$1200; #20
hash pots, \$200 each; #15,
\$150; more
Perry Masters
Greenville
864-561-4792

WHT OAK BOARDS

rough cut, ¼" thick, 6-8"W,
12' avg length, \$1.80/bdft
Joel Grubb
Calhoun
803-351-0144

SADDLES

1 English, 3 Western, GC,
\$100-500
Genevieve Satterfield
Laurens
864-876-0893

FORD GT65 LAWN MWR

for parts, photos avail, \$300
Keefer Humphries
Cherokee
864-649-5208

4 WASH POTS

food grade, 5, 10 & 20 gal,
\$250-400
Harold Black
Lexington
803-403-4151

AIR DRIED PINE LUMBER

2x4x16', \$7; 2x6x12', \$8;
2x6x16', \$9; 2x8x16', \$12;
2x10x16', \$15; 1x6x16', \$5;
1x8x16', \$7
Thomas Jackson
Sumter
803-707-1061

18½ SEAT SADDLE

Tucker High Plains, used,
brown, sq skirt, GC w/
breast plate, \$1400 obo
Karen Brockway
Greenville
864-608-1618

55 GAL FG DRUMS

metal & plastic, open tops,
lids & rings, \$15, \$20, \$25
each; 275 gal port tow
tanks, \$50 each
Philip Poole
Union
864-427-1589

LOG SPLITTER

Fisch L5-8000, elec, 4 ton, 2
hp, \$200
Jerome Bishop
Newberry
803-276-4949

CEDAR MULCH

\$50/p-up load; rnd 7' cedar
fence posts, \$3 each
Andy Morris
Newberry
803-276-2670

MEAT CUBERS

Hobart 403, \$950-1500
Lamar Snipes
Lexington
803-465-6094

PORTABLE FEED BIN

PB, \$4000
Mike Sheppard
Newberry
803-924-9977

RND PEN PANELS

(20) 12' HD w/2 gates, \$85
each; (10) 12' w/I gate, lighter
gauge, \$65 each; disc if all
taken
Henry Carroll
Calhoun
732-539-7631

48" SAWMILL BLADE

& blksmith post leg vice,
\$200 each; lrg oak cotton
basket, \$75
R Long
Newberry
803-924-9039

275 GAL PORT TANK

\$35; oil tank, \$75; bar joists,
\$20 each; more
Gary Seay
Spartanburg
864-578-8214

SM ANIMAL CAGE

w/built-in hay rack,
24"Wx24"Lx20"T, frt
opening, \$20
Billie J Brown
Lexington
803-622-5245

BLK SADDLE

vintage western parade, \$300
James Frye
Charleston
843-408-5851

4 WHL HAY WAGONS

\$500; 4 steel rims, for mule
wagon, \$400
FC Noles
Barnwell
803-383-4066

COLLAPSIBLE CRATES

good for produce/small
animals, 17x12, 12T, will
hold chicks, 4 for \$5
Russell Goings
Union
864-426-2309

HORSE MANURE

will load in your truck, \$1/load
Aaron Shirey
Lexington
803-413-2974

ORGANIC WORM

CASTINGS FERT
35 lb bags, \$15, indiv or bulk
Maryann Little
Lexington
803-530-9219

RND CEDAR POSTS

cut to var sizes, 4-10" dia,
6-12'L, \$6-12 each, depend
on size; cut 4x4's, \$2/bdft
Douglass Britt
McCormick
864-391-3334

6'-40'L CEDAR LUMBER

posts, & util poles, \$1-3/ft
James Burns
Laurens
864-918-6308

MARTIN GOURDS

\$2/med, \$4/lrg, \$6/xl
Donald Clamp
Lexington
803-359-6809

GEN-PRO DSL GEN

6000 watt, 112 hrs, battery
start, whole house, \$2900
Boyd Caldwell
Kershaw
803-438-3455

10 BARN LIGHTS

120 v, lrg base, 300 watt,
some bulbs, \$400
Jim Hammett
Spartanburg
864-357-1859

100 COLLAPSIBLE CRATES

for market, harvest &
storage, mod 6425, open,
24"Lx16"Wx11"H, \$5 each obo
John Mahon
Chesterfield
843-910-7352

DSL WELDER/GEN

AC-DC, Miller Bobcat 250D,
low hrs, 50' of leads, \$6500
Stanley Taylor
Chester
803-789-5236

WOODEN CART

horse size, 68" shaft, 3' seat,
45" whl, 33¼" b'tween rear
shafts, \$500
Lari Hoback
Richland
803-730-3674

20" PUSH MWR

w/B&S, \$150 obo; Campbell
Hausfeld 20 gal air comp,
whls, 120v, EC, \$250 obo
Otis Hembree
Spartanburg
864-316-1222

SAND CLAY & TOPSOIL

5 ton load, \$55/sand clay;
\$80/topsoil, del w/in 20 mi;
rock or sand, \$1.50/mile del
David Wannamaker
Calhoun
803-682-2117

USED TIRES

(4) P275/60R20, ½ thread,
\$30 each or \$100 for all 4; (2)
P255/70R17, ½ thread, \$20
Ralph Grant
Saluda
864-445-2439

(35) 3 LB PKG BEE CRATES

GC, some w/queen cage, \$3
each, poss trade for 3 lb pkg
w/queen
John Marcengill
Oconee
864-903-1454

SPRYR TANK

JD 6500-6700, \$1000; JD
6500 spryr pump & clutch,
new, \$1100
Jeff Millen
Chester
803-209-0893

RABBITS

FLEMISH GIANT BUCK
grown, \$100; lop buck, \$25;
2 mixed does, \$420 each
Lynn Claxton
Colleton
843-909-4285

LA COTTONTAILS
\$10 each
Danny Cook
Newberry
803-924-6953

5 M/O RABBITS
\$20
Casey Parham
Spartanburg
864-707-6580

LA COTTONTAILS
\$10
Duman Wicker
Newberry
803-537-7222

REX
yng, \$15 & \$20 each; grown
bucks, \$20 each
Philip Poole
Union
864-427-1589

SILVER FOX & REX
yng, \$15 & \$20 each; Grown
breeders, \$25
Larry Baxley
Georgetown
843-325-0900

MINI RED PED PRS
Broken Red & Harlequin
breeding pr, 7 m/o, \$75/pr
Billie J Brown
Lexington
803-622-5245

SEED

ADS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A CURRENT SEED LAB TEST.

OATS
clean bag, P-99.97%, G-98%,
D/HS&G-98%, OCS-0.01%,
IM-0.02%, 31.8 test wt, \$10/
bag
David Connelly
Hampton
843-592-1421

WANT - FARM EQUIPMENT

OLD FARM EQUIP
w/n 20 mi
David Wannamaker
Calhoun
803-682-2117

SET OF FRT WHL WTS
for '64 FA 140
Elizabeth Snuggs
Marlboro
843-523-9323

JD 454A ROW CROP HDR
John Simmons
Aiken
803-541-2288

CASE IH 685 OR 695
low hrs, GC, w/roll bar or
cab & 24' Do-All
Jeff Millen
Chester
803-209-0893

1R FAST HITCH PLNTR
for 140 Farmall, interested
in any other equip for 140
Tom Smith
Horry
843-287-8524

3PH DRAG HARROW
8' or 10' W
Brice Stephenson
York
803-684-3418

JD 4R MAX MERGE PLNTR
in GC
Billy Johnson
Aiken
803-258-3988

SICKLE MWR
by Ford
Rowland Alston
Sumter
803-491-7180

3PH CULTIPACKER
4'-6'
Jimmie Holliday
Berkeley
321-446-0319

WANT - LIVESTOCK

EACH AD MUST LIST SPECIFIC ANIMALS.

DOVES
Ringneck
R McKanna
Dorchester
843-871-9828

WILD BARN/SILO PIGEONS
you trap, we will pay
Sue Myers
Chester
262-203-6672

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Tomas Gimenez
Anderson
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HOMING PIGEONS
Charles Pate
Darlington
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pigeons, poultry, & sm
animals, reasonably priced
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Colleton
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will trade or buy to prevent
interbreeding
Eugene Pridgen
Edgefield
803-279-6395

BEEF COWS
or dairy cows
Kenneth Satterfield
Laurens
864-876-0893

NUBIAN BILLY GOAT
big
Joas Kline
Abbeville
864-878-3967

GAITED SADDLE HORSE
gentle & safe for pleasure
riding
Thurman Anderson
Spartanburg
864-542-2245

SAVANNA DOES
under 2 y/o
Cal Norris
Edgefield
864-378-2693

WANT - MISCELLANEOUS

ANY SIZE WASH POTS
syrup kettle, anvils, old
lighting rod w/balls &
weathervane, lrg coffee
grinder, more
Perry Masters
Greenville
864-561-4792

PECANS
buy & shell pecans,
seedlings or improved var
Wade ten Bensel
Lancaster
803-283-4631

BLK SMITH ANVIL
& old farm bell, any size;
hand crank corn sheller
L Gunter
Lexington
803-532-7394

CALF TABLE
in GWC, prefer an auto
head gate, but not necessary
Donald Hanley
Lancaster
704-201-8872

RND BALE FEEDER
mfg by Hay Hut, plastic, in GC
Joel Turner
Lexington
803-315-6692

COMM LOG SPLITTER
reasonably priced, in WC
Harvey Johnson
Greenwood
864-992-4461

PECANS
all types, grade 1 & grade 2,
no cull or seed call for info,
bulk p-up avail
Mike Sabbagha
Lexington
803-730-5172

PULPWOOD SAW TIMBER
hdwd pine, all types of
thinning or clear cut, pay
top prices, Upstate Co's
Tim Morgan
Greenville
864-420-0251

FIELDS OF LONG LEAF PINE STRAW
top prices paid, 15 yrs exp
Trey Shull
Lexington
803-318-4263

BLKSMITH ANVILS
wash pots, any sized farm
bells, cradle for #3 bell
R Long
Newberry
803-924-9039

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HEMP FARMING PERMIT APPLICATIONS OPEN JAN. 1, 2022

COLUMBIA – The South Carolina Department of Agriculture is pleased to announce hemp farming permit applications for the 2022 growing season – with fees cut in half.

Thanks to the support of the South Carolina General Assembly and SCDA's work over the past four years to create a strong and stable Hemp Farming Program, hemp permit fees for 2022 will be half what they were in 2021.

In addition, the department's Residue Laboratory is nearing completion and will offer official THC analysis starting in summer 2022. Hemp farming permit holders must have their hemp tested before harvest to ensure it does not exceed THC levels set by law, so the opening of an affordable, nationally certified state-run lab will help farmers cut costs and improve operations. The SCDA Seed Laboratory is also now equipped for hemp seed germination and purity analysis.

Anyone who wishes to farm hemp in South Carolina in 2022 must apply online between January 1 and February 28, 2022. There is no paper or printable application; all applicants must apply online at agriculture.sc.gov/hemp. Permits expire each year, so current permit holders who wish to continue growing must reapply.

To qualify for a Hemp Farming Permit, you must complete a background check through Identigo and provide a Farm Service Agency (FSA) number. Only South Carolina residents are eligible to apply.

The Hemp Farming Application fee is \$100. New permit fees are effective Jan. 1, 2022 and are posted on the SCDA Hemp Farming program webpage at agriculture.sc.gov/hemp.

For further information, visit agriculture.sc.gov/hemp or email hempstaff@scda.sc.gov.

ROY COPELAN RETIRES FROM SCDA AFTER MORE THAN A HALF-CENTURY

Roy Copelan retired at the end of 2021 after 51 years with the South Carolina Department of Agriculture.

In recent years, Roy served as the director of the South Carolina Beef Council. In years past, he traveled to more than 70 countries to develop international trade relationships and market South Carolina farm products. He received the Order of the Palmetto in 2006 for his service to the state. Roy's daughter Marianne Catalano now works at SCDA, too, serving as the director of the South Carolina Peanut Board.

We will miss Roy, and we honor his lifetime commitment to South Carolina agriculture.



L-R: Marianne Catalano, Assistant Commissioner Aaron Wood, Roy Copelan, Lindsay Copelan, South Carolina Farmers Market Manager Brad Boozer, Ann Copelan, Certified SC branding coordinator Ansley Turnblad

RESEARCHERS MANIPULATE DAYLIGHT HOURS TO HELP SAVE POINSETTIAS

BY DENISE ATTAWAY, CLEMSON UNIVERSITY | PHOTOS COURTESY CLEMSON UNIVERSITY

Rising temperatures are threatening poinsettia production, but a research team led by Clemson professor Jim Faust has found manipulating daylight hours can help keep the sparkle in this Christmas star and money in producers' wallets.

The threat comes from a phenomenon known as "heat delay" which can halt poinsettia flower development. Heat delay may cause poinsettias to mature too late for the Christmas market, resulting in revenue loss. The researchers are conducting a study to look at how rising temperatures are causing heat stress for poinsettia plants grown in greenhouses. They hope to gain a better understanding of the environmental conditions that create temperature stresses inside greenhouses so that strategies can be developed to help growers alleviate or avoid these stressors.

"Increasing temperatures are creating environments that are negatively affecting poinsettias grown in greenhouses," said Faust, professor of floriculture physiology. "Reductions in crop quality and productivity due to the negative effects of these temperatures directly impact the profitability of commercial greenhouse producers and threaten their ability to succeed economically."

In addition to understanding environmental conditions, researchers also want to learn how to predict time-to-flower based on dynamically changing temperatures and daylight length to help growers anticipate when plants will be market ready. Results of the study, *Navigating the Effects of Climate Change on the Plant Growth and Development of Greenhouse Crops* also will help develop protocols for breeders to properly screen new cultivars for sensitivity to heat delay. Black curtain systems are used to manipulate daylight length in the greenhouses.

Appearance is a critical factor in poinsettia purchases. The leaves, or bracts, of poinsettia plants change color depending on light exposure. Cyathia are the yellow flowers found in the center of the colorful bracts. During this study, researchers will look at cyathia and bract development so that final plant quality based on appearance can be anticipated.

Growers from different locations across the United States are involved in this research.

RISING TEMPERATURES AND POINSETTIAS

Poinsettia is a short-day plant that begins to initiate flowers around September 21 when the day

length is sufficiently short to initiate flowering. Eight consecutive weeks of short days are required for poinsettia flowers to develop properly.

The ideal temperatures for flower initiation are less than 78 degrees, while temperatures greater than 78 degrees will delay flowering. Earth's surface temperatures are growing warmer. Information from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) shows average annual temperature in the contiguous 48 states has risen

"Being on time with poinsettias is a must for Metrolina and delivering a great product is something we do not take lightly," Tchakarov said. "So, after a few seasons of hot fall temperatures and production being delayed, we started extensive work on selection and growing protocols that could ensure consistent results every year."

Tchakarov and his staff have been working with Faust on other projects for about 10 years. When they started noticing flowering delays in their

poinsettias, they asked Faust to help them find a solution.

"Dr. Faust picked varieties that are typically grown in the South and that we grow," Tchakarov said. "We set different daylight (black-out) trials to see what would happen when applying shorter days to the crop and to what extent we could overcome heat delays during flower initiation and response time of the crop."

More than 3 million pots of poinsettias are planted each year in the Metrolina Greenhouses. With Faust's help, Tchakarov said they were successful in determining how to overcome the flowering delays.

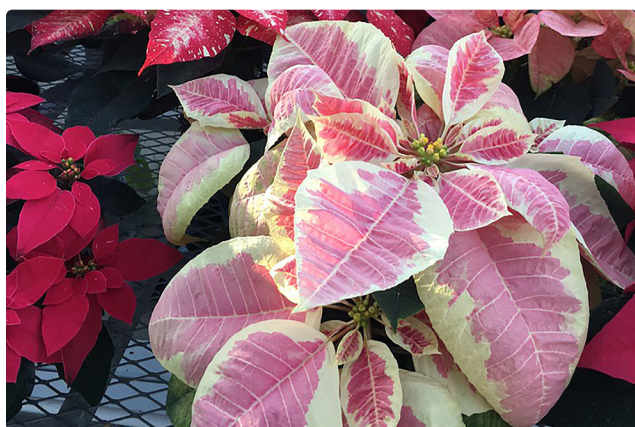
"In 2018 when September's average temperatures were in the 80s and sometimes, reaching the 90s, we were using Dr. Faust's technique and were

successful with our poinsettias," Tchakarov said. "None were late, and we produced plants of a very good quality. This is a technique we still use and will be using for quite some time. Dr. Faust's work has been proven essential to our success and we will continue to work with him closely."

In addition to Faust and Alden, other researchers for the project are Clemson master's student Paul Miller, Texas A&M floriculture professor Brent Pemberton and University of Florida floriculture professor and Extension specialist Paul Fisher.

For more information about poinsettias, see the Poinsettia fact sheet from Clemson Extension's Home and Garden Information Center at hgic.clemson.edu/factsheet/poinsettia.

Over the past two centuries, the poinsettia has become a Christmas icon, surpassing holly, ivy and mistletoe as the Christmas plant. It is native to Mexico and Guatemala and was named for the native South Carolinian and the first American ambassador to Mexico, Joel Poinsett. Poinsett, an avid horticulturist, collected a poinsettia in Taxco, Mexico in 1828 and shipped it in a collection of plants to the Bartram's Garden in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where it quickly became popular in the United States and Europe.



at an average rate of 0.16 degrees per decade since 1901. Average temperatures have risen more quickly since the late 1970s at rates of 0.31 to 0.54 degrees per decade since 1979.

"Increasing global temperatures brought on by climate change are expected to amplify the magnitude of heat delay in susceptible regions and spread this problem to new areas previously unaffected by heat delay," said Michael Alden, a Clemson doctoral student who is working on the project.

The researchers are looking at which specific part of a 24-hour day that the plants are most susceptible to high temperature stress as this information will help growers to specifically identify which part of the day is most critical for cooling the greenhouse environment.

HELPING POINSETTIA GROWERS

Ivan Tchakarov, chief horticulture officer for the Metrolina Greenhouses in Charlotte, North Carolina, is working with Faust on this study. Poinsettias have been grown in the Metrolina Greenhouses for 50 years.

SC AGRIBUSINESSES GET BUSINESS TRAINING, FUNDING

ACRE CURRICULUM WINNERS FOR 2021 REPRESENT MANY AREAS OF SC

BY SAMANTHA DAY

On Dec. 8, sixteen South Carolina agribusinesses submitted their business plans and pitched a five-minute video to a panel of three judges for a chance to receive up to \$5,000 in funding. This was all part of the Agribusiness Center for Research and Entrepreneurship's (ACRE) fourth annual Agribusiness Planning Curriculum program, intended for emerging entrepreneurs with agriculture-related businesses.

A variety of agribusinesses were represented in this year's pool of entrepreneurs — several mushroom growers, a unique cut-flower operation, a holistic herbal farm, and even a community-focused nonprofit. The 16 participants represented a total of 14 counties throughout the Palmetto State.

The curriculum program consists of five two-hour course sessions spread out over six weeks, finishing off with Pitch Day. Throughout the course, participants received training in marketing, financial planning, legal requirements, state and federal grant opportunities, and other skills to set their agribusinesses up for success. From there, participants put their skills to use in the creation of their business plan and five-minute pitch video, which were used in deciding who would receive a portion of funding.

The panel of judges were made up of three individuals who either had experience in the agriculture industry or knowledge of what it takes to operate a successful business. They selected seven of the South Carolina entrepreneurs to split a total of \$30,000 in funding.

1. Rebecca Farms is a Certified South Carolina mushroom farm out of Williamsburg County. Owners Jay and Rose Lewis harvest their oyster and shiitake mushrooms at peak freshness and deliver to restaurants in South Carolina.
2. Located in Jasper County is Whippoorwill Farms, owned and operated by Marissa Paykos and her family. They offer butchered chicken, rabbit, and pork, as well as fresh eggs and seasonal produce.
3. Laura Mewbourn's goal is to open a brick-and-mortar store for her agribusiness, Feast & Flora. She offers sustainably grown flowers and produce, as well as artfully designed floral arrangements in and around Charleston County.
4. Lightning Rock Land & Cattle is a woman-, veteran-, and family-owned regenerative cattle ranch in Colleton County.

5. Billue Family Farm is owned by veteran Jason Billue. He hopes to expand his agribusiness in Aiken County by using tower gardens and aeroponics.
6. Danielle Smith, Master Herbalist, is the owner of Carolina Holistic Farm in Lexington County. She focuses on growing herbs naturally and organically.
7. Victory Gardens International is a nonprofit organization in York County with the goal of spearheading community redevelopment in low wealth communities.

Because this year's entrepreneurs were so impressive and showed dedication throughout the training courses, the other nine agribusinesses that pitched were also awarded a small amount of funding.

Next up on the ACRE agenda is the annual competitive Advanced Program for entrepreneurs seeking mentorship and funding. South Carolina agribusinesses can compete for up to \$25,000 in funding. The program is competitive, and applications will open in mid-March 2022.

For more information about ACRE, contact Kyle Player, ACRE Executive Director, at 803-734-2324 or kplayer@scda.sc.gov.



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USDA TO TEST 2022 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE ONLINE QUESTIONNAIRE

BY USDA NASS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16, 2021 – Starting in January, approximately 15,000 agricultural producers across the nation and the various segments of U.S. agriculture will receive an invitation to assist in the online 2022 Census of Agriculture Content Test. The Content Test, which will run through spring, is a critical part of the USDA National Agricultural Statistics Service's (NASS's) preparation for the once-every-five-year Census of Agriculture. Participants in the test will be asked to complete the 2022 Census of Agriculture online questionnaire via a new Respondent Portal aimed to improve the reporting experience for all producers.

“NASS would not be able to supply valuable agricultural data without producer participation. We recognize that time is valuable, and our goal is

to improve producers' experience when responding to our surveys,” said Census and Survey Division Director Barbara Rater. “That's why NASS has been gathering feedback from producers over the last year to assist in modernizing areas of our data collection, which includes the development of our new Respondent Portal.”

NASS has been preparing for the 2022 Census of Agriculture since 2018, when they began evaluating the content and design of the previous Census questionnaire and soliciting public input into the 2022 Census. The 2022 Census of Agriculture will mail out to all known U.S. producers next fall.

The Census of Agriculture is the only source of comprehensive agricultural data for every state

and county in the nation. The data are widely used to inform decisions that benefit the agricultural community and the nation – from decisions guiding essential food delivery systems, succession planning, and new and beginning farmer programs, to decisions affecting agriculture practices, land stewardship, sustainability, and more.

In accordance with federal law, NASS keeps all responses confidential and uses them for statistical purposes only. Anyone who needs assistance completing the Content Test can call 888-424-7828. For more information about the Census of Agriculture, or if you are a producer who does not currently receive NASS surveys or censuses, visit nass.usda.gov/AgCensus. The Sign Up to Be Counted in the 2022 Census button is at the top of the page.