

Farm Service Agency U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

USDA Issues Disaster Designation for Woodbury County in Iowa, Impacting Two Nebraska Counties

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This Secretarial natural disaster designation allows the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) to extend much-needed emergency credit to producers recovering from natural disasters through emergency loans. Emergency loans can be used to meet various recovery 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.

Impacted Area: Iowa

Triggering Disaster Event: Drought Application Deadline: April 27, 2022

Primary County Eligible: Woodbury

Contiguous Counties Also Eligible: Iowa - Cherokee, Crawford, Ida, Monona and Plymouth; Nebraska

- Dakota and Thurston; South Dakota - Union

On farmers.gov, the <u>Disaster Assistance Discovery Tool</u>, <u>Disaster Assistance-at-a-Glance</u> fact sheet, and <u>Farm Loan Discovery Tool</u> 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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