

## 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	Crow Wing	Meeker
Becker	Dakota	Morrison
Benton	Dodge	Mower
Big Stone	Grant	Otter Tail
Blue Earth	Kandiyohi	Polk
Carver	Lac Qui Parle	Renville

Chisago	Le Sueur	
Clay	Lyon	

**Contiguous Areas also Eligible:**

**Minnesota:**

Aitkin	Hubbard	Norman
Brown	Isanti	Olmsted
Cass	Kanabec	Pennington
Chippewa	Lincoln	Pine
Clearwater	McLeod	Pipestone
Douglas	Mahnomen	Pope
Faribault	Marshall	Ramsey
Fillmore	Martin	Red Lake
Freeborn	Mille Lacs	Redwood

Goodhue	Murray	Scott
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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