Farm Service Agency Loan Application Checklist

A checklist for assembling an application to a Farm Service Agency farm loan. Helps new and established farmers collect what they need before meeting county office staff.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

ITEM	OK	FIX	N/A
Contact the local FSA office	☐	☐	☐
Complete the loan application form	☐	☐	☐
Write a farm operating plan	☐	☐	☐
Gather balance sheet and income records	☐	☐	☐
Prepare cash flow projections	☐	☐	☐
List land and equipment owned or leased	☐	☐	☐
Collect tax return copies	☐	☐	☐
Show farm experience or training	☐	☐	☐
Note other credit sources tried	☐	☐	☐
Keep copies of everything submitted	☐	☐	☐

NOTES / REPAIRS NEEDED

TIP Ask the county office which forms and documents apply to your loan type, since requirements vary by program.

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