Drought Contingency Plan Template

Template for a drought contingency plan, helping farms decide in advance how to handle short water, feed and income during dry spells. Fill in each section for your own farm and review the finished plan with a trusted adviser.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

Farm overview details

Water sources and backup options

Drought warning signs to watch

Crop and field priorities

Livestock and feed plans

Financial steps and contacts

Program and insurance contacts

Decision triggers details

Review schedule details

TIP Talk with your crop insurance agent and FSA office about program options before drought arrives.