Soil, Water & Conservation | CHECKLIST

# Flood Preparedness Checklist for Farms

Checklist for preparing a farm for floods, covering safety, livestock, equipment, chemicals and records. Use it on each visit and keep the completed copy with your farm records.

Farm / unit: _____ Date: _____ By: _____

| ITEM | OK | FIX | N/A |
|---|---|---|---|
| Flood risk and evacuation routes known | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| Emergency contacts listed | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| Livestock moved or plans made | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| Equipment moved to high ground | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| Fuel and chemicals secured | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| Electrical power shut off safely | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| Records and insurance papers protected | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| Photos taken of property | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| Drinking water plan ready | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

**NOTES / REPAIRS NEEDED**

**TIP** Take dated photos of buildings and equipment before the flood season for insurance records.