

## FRANKLIN COUNTY AGRICULTURAL LAND PRESERVATION PROGRAM

## **Criteria To Apply**

- At least 35 acres
- Must have a recorded Agricultural Security Area
- Farm must have an active conservation plan





## **About Us**

The Agricultural Land
Preservation Program is a
voluntary program that pays the
land owner a price per acre for
an agricultural conservation
easement to be placed on their
farm. The county partners with
the state to purchase the
easements that are placed on
the property in perpetuity or
forever.

Since the program began in 1990, the county has purchased agricultural conservation easements on more than 160 farms, preserving over 20,000 acres of agricultural land for future generations.

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