

## Appalachian Kentucky Small Farm Flood Relief Fund

A partnership comprised of the Appalachian Impact Fund, the Foundation for Appalachian Kentucky, the Blue Grass Community Foundation, Community Farm Alliance, the University of Kentucky, and Appalachia Rises, is soliciting applications from family farms to the Appalachian Kentucky Small Farm Flood Relief Fund. These grants can be used to recover from damages sustained from the devastating flood that occurred across 32 counties in Eastern Kentucky

An eligible farm is one that is family-owned with no more than 10 employees. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis, the first round of applications will be reviewed for applications that are submitted by Friday March 26th, 2021 at 7pm EDT. The application should take you approximately 5 to 10 minutes to complete. The information you provide will be kept confidential and not shared for any purposes beyond establishing eligibility and identifying resources that could be useful for your family farm.

Applications will be reviewed by a committee of people involved in agriculture within the region. Applicants must demonstrate a flood impact to their farming operations.



Paper applications may be mailed to:

Jennifer Weeber  
Community Farm Alliance  
420 Main Street  
Hazard, KY 41701

Or, faxed to:

606-328-6130

1. In which Kentucky county is your farm located? \_\_\_\_\_

2. What do you produce on your farm? Please choose from the list below (Select all that apply).

Vegetables

Non-edible horticultural crops

Fruit and/or Tree Nuts

Dairy

Eggs/Poultry

Grains

Livestock

Other \_\_\_\_\_

3. Where do you currently sell your products ((e.g. Farmers market, off my farm, local restaurants, etc.)?)

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4. How many acres are devoted to farming (active acres)?

Less than 5 acres

5 to < 15 acres

15 to < 50 acres

50 to < 100 acres

100 to < 500 acres

More than 500 acres

5. How many years of farming experience do you have (to be completed on behalf of the principal operator)?

- Less than 2 years
- 2 to < 5 years
- 5 to < 10 years
- More than 10 years

6. How many **paid** employees (excluding yourself) work on your farm during the peak harvest season?

- Full-time \_\_\_\_\_
- Part-time \_\_\_\_\_
- Seasonal \_\_\_\_\_

7. What part of your income is derived from your farm?

- I am not currently getting any income from farming
- Farming is supplemental income for my household
- Farming is an important but not the only source of income for my household
- Farming is my only income
- Other (please explain)

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Please answer the following questions as they relate to the **principal operator(s)/farmer(s)** applying to the Central Appalachian Family Farm Fund.

8. What is the principal operator/farmer's gender?

- Male
- Female
- More than one operator/farmer
- Choose not to answer

9. Is the principal operator/farmer...?

	Yes	No	Choose not to answer
Black or African American	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Latinx	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Asian	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A Veteran	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Disabled	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
An Immigrant	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Native American/Native Alaskan	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

10. Please provide a brief summary that describes how your farm has been impacted from the recent flood.

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11. A family farm can apply for funds up to **\$1,500** and no more than one grant will be awarded per farming operation. These are grants and do not need to be repaid. How much funding are you requesting?

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12. Have you used any of these resources in the past?

- Community Farm Alliance
- Grow Appalachia
- University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

13. Are there other resources your farm may need for long term recovery and growth?

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14. Please fill out the following CURRENT information for the principal operator/farmer applying for financial assistance. **This is where the check will be mailed.**

Farm Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Farmer \_\_\_\_\_

Farm Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

Farm: City, State and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Street Address (WHERE check will be made) \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: City, State, and Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

15. If funded, who should the check be made out to?

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16. If selected for funding, would you be willing to participate in a short interview with the media about your farm's response to this year's flood? Your response to this question will not affect your application's chance of success.

- Yes
- No

Thank you for your application. We will call you about whether you are funded or not.