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Georgia's Top 5 Food Safety Stories of 2018

The Georgia Department of Agriculture's Food Safety Division is tasked with licensing and inspecting retail/wholesale grocery stores and other retail food establishments, seafood facilities, dairy farms, milk processing plants, grain mills, food manufacturing plants, bottled water plants and food storage warehouses in Georgia.

Currently, that includes more than 18,000 establishments, including 15,500 retail and convenience stores, 2,300 food processing facilities and warehouses, and 733 dairies.

The division and its 90 employees also stand ready to respond to any disaster that threatens the integrity of the state's food supply and is recognized and respected by its peers in other states and nations for its risk-based approach to inspection that identifies potential hazards before they become problems.

In addition to performing 30,573 inspections between dairy, retail and manufactured food in fiscal year 2018, the division also reported the following actions during the calendar year:

1. Georgia sustains a Category 3 hurricane.

Hurricane Michael's track took a staggering toll on agriculture, which is a \$73.3 billion industry in Georgia, making it the No. 1 contributor to the state's economy. Damage estimates as of late October 2018 exceeded \$2 billion in direct commodity loss. Cotton loss was placed at \$550 million; vegetables, \$480

million; pecans, \$560 million; poultry, \$25 million; peanuts, \$20 million; timber, \$374 million; and the landscape and green industry, \$13 million.

From a food safety standpoint, hurricanes often result in power loss, structural damage and flooding, and destruction of food products impacted by the storm. In response to Hurricane Michael, the GDA Food Safety Division broadly leveraged new Geographic Information System technology for the first time to conduct emergency assessments of food facilities across the state. The technology helped inspectors conduct assessments more accurately and efficiently, with results shared in real-time.

Previous paper-based forms and manual entry were transformed for the Hurricane Michael response, using a new electronic survey with a data analysis dashboard platform. To enhance the GDA's ability to quickly and effectively conduct emergency assessments, inspectors collected data through a custom survey that captured the level of damage to Georgia's food facilities.

This included a review of each firm's status of electricity, potable water, sewage system, food handling and preparation areas, and lost food product due to physical damage, loss of power, flooding, etc. The survey also actively tracked whether a food inspector took any regulatory action, such as witnessing a firm's destruction of product, or rejecting equipment (for example, a refrigerator no longer working due to power loss).



The GDA Food Safety Division attends statewide training in August 2018 at Callaway Gardens.

2. Georgia partners with Ireland for inspector exchange program.

Georgia welcomed visitors from Ireland in October 2018 as part of a new Inspector Exchange Program, co-hosted by the GDA and Ireland's Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine.

The program "intertwines the knowledge, skills and best practices between our two agencies, sharing information with a global perspective," said Georgia Agriculture Commissioner Gary W. Black.

"This experience has allowed us to discuss new and ongoing import and export initiatives," Black said, "with a focus on current challenges and promoting agriculture here in the U.S. and overseas."

The vision began in 2017 and took several months to coordinate. GDA inspectors traveled to Dublin, Ireland, on October 1 for a 10-

day tour (cut one day short due to Hurricane Michael's progression here in the states). The American inspector duo got a first-hand look at Ireland's artisan dairy products, beverage production, meat processing, bakeries and supermarkets.

"One of our primary goals was to gain a better understanding of each other's food safety programs from a variety of types of regulated facilities, as well as foundational elements," said Natalie Adan, GDA Food Safety Director. "We've been able to do a peer review of existing policies and procedures that will, in turn, strengthen each other's food safety programs."

Ireland's Minister of Agriculture, Michael Creed, partnered with Commissioner Black and the GDA to develop the exchange program. AFM hopes to expand Ireland's sheep industry into a viable trade with the U.S.

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Notice

Ads for the Feb. 13 issue — including Farm Services and Handicrafts — are due by noon, Jan. 30.

Georgia Grown Auction raises \$8,000 for 4-H, FFA



Amy Carter/GDA

ATLANTA - On Jan. 9, Georgia Agriculture Commissioner Gary W. Black presented the officers and advisers for the Georgia 4-H Foundation and the Georgia FFA Foundation with \$4,000 each, an even division of the proceeds of the first annual Georgia Grown Auction held at the 2018 Georgia National Fair. Shown with Commissioner Black, center, at the headquarters of the GDA in Atlanta are, from left: Billy Hughes, state Ag Ed program manager for the Georgia Department of Education; Clay Parker, 2018-2019 state FFA vice president; Ben Lastly, Georgia FFA Association; Katrina Jones, Georgia FFA Founda-

tion; Commissioner Black; George Moore, 2018-2019 state representative on the Georgia 4-H Board of Directors; Johnathon Barrett, Georgia 4-H Foundation; and Libby Shepherd, Georgia 4-H Foundation. The auction of goods and services donated by Georgia Grown members was held in conjunction with the Livestock Marketing Association and featured 2018 World Champion Livestock Auctioneer Jared Miller. The auction will be a regular feature of the Georgia Grown Experience at the annual fair, Black said. The 2019 Georgia National Fair will be Oct. 3-13 at the Georgia National Fairgrounds and Agricenter in Perry.

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If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

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Looking for local farm work. Tractor experience and carpenter. Years of experience. Michael Martin **The Rock** 678-416-1424

Seeking experienced stable hand to work full day Saturdays and/or 2 week-day mornings. Annetta Coleman **Suches** 678-936-8087

FARM MACHINERY

If you have questions regarding this category, call 404-656-3722.

Only farm machinery and equipment owned by the advertiser and used in his/her own farming operation can be advertised; those persons advertising for machinery and equipment wanted must be seeking those items for their own farming operation.

'76 Chevy C-60 tilt-hood, 400/small block, 4sp/PTO+2-rear p/s-good and tires, 14+ ft of rails, needs brake work: \$1,000 OBRO. J. Shelton **Martin** 706-969-4244

10.5 ft. BushHog model 126, needs repair. bought new, upgraded; \$900. Larry King **Covington** 404-406-5112

100 gl. spray tank, 20 ft. boom, PTO steel pump, remote handgun hose, 3pt. linkage, used twice: \$2,250 obo. Peter Dean **Monroe** 770-267-9425

100 kW generator powered by John Deere, 300 hrs. used on chicken farm; asking \$6500. Otha Brown **Yatesville** 706-472-3552 770-550-5133

12', 3 pt. pasture aerator: \$1800; 3 HD hay racks: \$225 each. Latham time clock: \$100. Jeff M Knowles **Eatonton** 706-473-1418

16' tandem disc: \$295. Also 5-Shank chisel plow for 3-point hitch: \$295. Paul Stacey **Toccoa** 706-886-6994

1930 Ford A-A truck parts, too many list (motor-trans), large truck load: \$1700. John Deere 650: \$2200. Rich L Thompson **Rossville** 423-991-7530

1948 Ford 8N, needs rings; \$900. James Simmons **Oxford** 770-786-5786

1949 9N Ford Tractor, good condition, includes Bush Hog, 1990 flatbed 4-ton Hooper trailer \$2800. Barry Pratt **McDonough** 478-808-7382

1950s Farmall Cub tractor, runs, good sheet metal, new steering wheel and seat; \$1400. Also Cub parts tractor or used Cub parts. Johnny Williams **Villa Rica** 770-546-0968

1951 F150 Ford farm truck, 350 Chevrolet motor, disc brakes: \$18,000. Jerry Deboard **Ellijay** 706-273-3672

1963 Ford 4000 diesel tractor, rebuilt engine, 3 new tires, rebuilt injector: \$2500. Flora Sawyers **Waleska** 770-720-7511

1967 Allis Chalmers series 3 D10, runs well, lots of new parts and lots of implements. \$3000. George Scoville **Macon** 478-745-2524

1968 Ford 4000, good condition, no power steering, runs well: \$3500. William Brooks **Cochran** 478-214-3689

1976 3600 Ford diesel, power steering, locking differential, rebuilt injector pump and engine, 2 pieces equipment. \$6500. Kenneth Dunn **Powder Springs** 770-366-5687

1987 Honda Fourtrax 125, good compression, engine turns over but has not cranked in years; \$300. Dan Fox **Calhoun** 770-548-5932

1994 International 4900 DT466 van box by Lyncoach, 230 hp, 6-speed manual, 537,177 miles. Daniel **Madison** 706-752-4300

1997 John Deere 310E backhoe, two buckets (12" and 24"), good running condition. Earl Hilliard **Hawkinsville** 478-230-3612

2 riding mowers, 2 push mowers, 3 chain saws, 6 weed eaters, none running, good parts. Make offer. Rickey Wall **Thomaston** 706-647-1313

2003 Shockwave pecan shaker, used on 55 acres, 485 hrs, excellent condition; \$80,000. Rhett Stilwell **Ochlocknee** 229-200-0761

2008 Case 2588 combine, 4WD, shelter kept, 2000 hours, nice; \$68,000. Headers also available. Zach Shanklin **Albany** 229-881-6383

2012 Bad Boy Buggy, LT, excellent condition, sheltered, 48V charger, pics available. Ed Roddenbery **Columbus** 706-315-6658

2015 10-wheel Frontier wheel rake, WR1010. Very good condition, less than 400 acres on it: \$3500. Jordan Shurling **Soperton** 912-529-3988

2015 John Deere MX 10 pull type. Excellent condition. \$6200. Kenneth Swim **Lincolnton** 706-830-0210

2016 John Deere 3038 with loader. Turbodiesel 4x4. Also have trailer & implements. Text for pictures. \$18,500 Sam Waters **Monroe** 770-990-0156

2017 Kubota L4701 4WD, diesel w/ LA765 loader, 160 hours. Moving, need to sell. \$19,500. Michael Brooks **McDonough** 404-804-0530

2017 L4701 Kubota tractor w/ front end loader & spear, approx. 50 hours. R M Hice **Barnesville** 770-468-1602

24 ft. Gooseneck stock trailer; 24 ft. flatbed trailer, ramps, 3500-lbs. axels; 300-gallon 3-pt sprayer, 5 ft. bush hog; livestock liquid tanks. Ed Boston **Hogansville** 678-231-9134

2640 John Deere, diesel power steering, new lift arms, diff lock, rollbar canopy. \$7,500. Emily Kenney **Vidalia** 912-293-2890

28 ton wood splitter with log cradle. Honda motor, used very little call for pic. Jerry Brautigan **Griffin** 770-855-3243

30" Lowery dirt scoop, 3 ph. operates both ways. Rope or hyd. dump; \$300. Thomas H Taunton **Butler** 478-862-3138

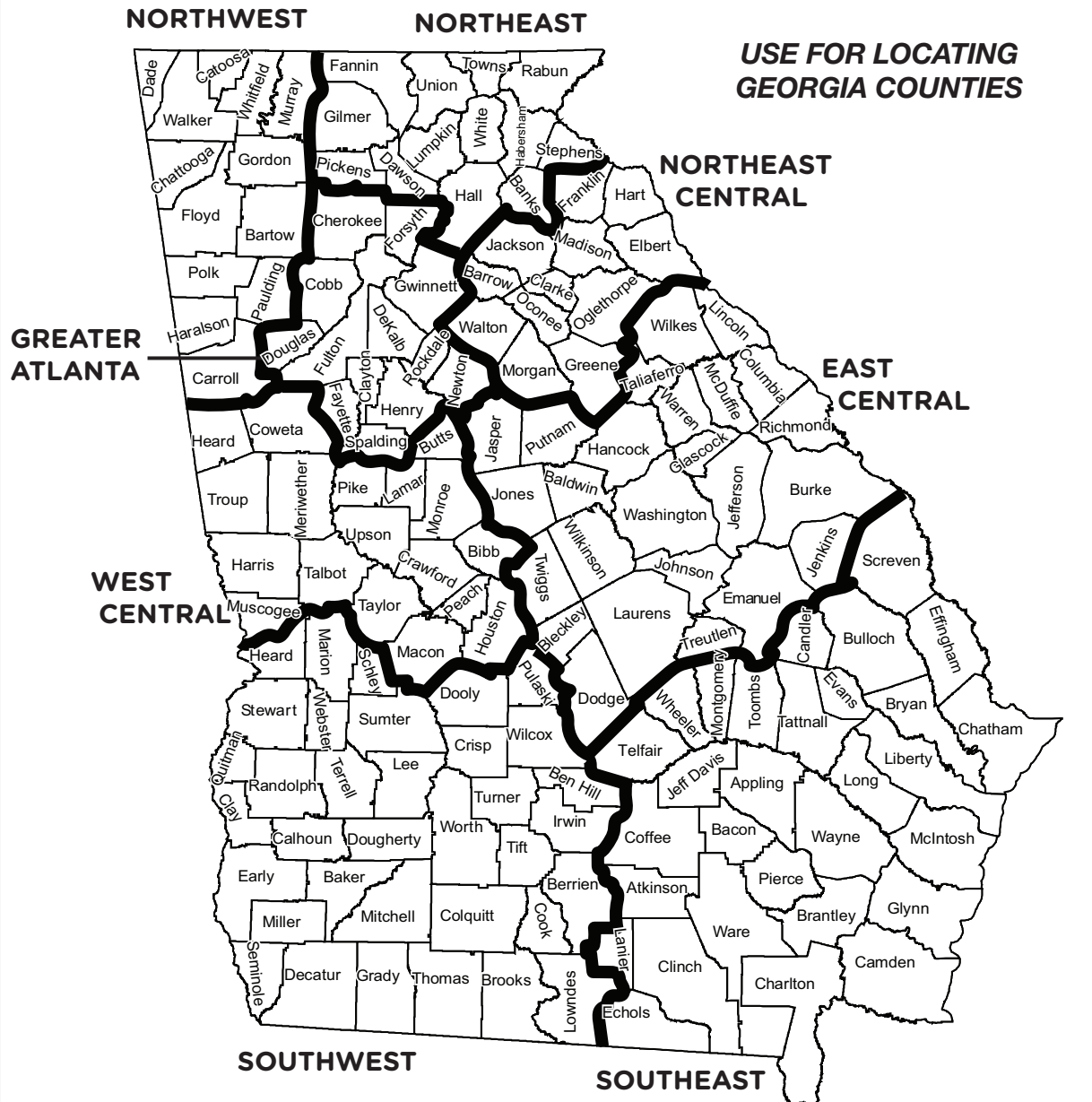
3000 Ford diesel with power steering. Jim Thompson **Fayetteville** 770-680-0817

5 hp mulch-maker, leaf chipper/shredder, good condition, shelter-kept: \$300. Imogene Watson **Cumming** 770-887-5661

5000 Ford tractor, Farmall Cub, 4020 JD tractor, 5 pt. Bush Hog, log splitter, double disc harrow, 450 HD Deutz tractor. Dennis Hinton **Covington** 770-786-2014

5000 Ford tractor, runs well, good condition; \$6,000 Eddie Hatcher **Comer** 706-783-3818

6 ft rotary mower, good condition; \$850. Robert Conkle **Hampton** 770-584-2373



60' auger, 40' JD elevator; \$1200. Each in perfect condition. Gravity wagons, hopper bottom grain trailer, 25K 3-phase generator. Dave Mckim **Montezuma** 478-636-0244

604XL Vermeer round baler; \$10,500; pull-type John Blue Sprayer w/300gal tank, 36' boom; \$2000. Russ Elliott **Lizella** 478-935-8180

660 John Deere combine, John Deere 6-row cornhead. 13' stainless John Deere grainhead. All in very nice, clean condition. Guy J Rutland **Cedartown** 770-546-4848

72" Land Pride rotary cutter, RCF2072, lightly used, \$1,350. Timothy Horst **East Dublin** 478-697-7052

750 Hi-cap peanut combine, big basket, shed kept, field ready. Bobby Edward Knight **Dudley** 478-697-8499

95 JD335 round baler, 4x4 bales, twin twine arms, sheltered, excellent condition; \$5000. Pictures available. Fuller Anderson **Palmetto** 770-463-4971

Agrimetal BW 240 PTO tractor, Leaf Debris blower, excellent condition. John Pinson **Duluth** 678-224-1639

Allis Chalmers dozer, HD6, not running, parts/repair; make offer. Roger Holley **Wrightsville** 478-232-8381

Aluminum hopper bottom trailer, 42'; \$22000. 15' field cultivator; \$5000. McFarland 14'; \$24000. A. Allan Brittain **Jackson** 404-328-5756 770-775-7727

Antique Ford tractor parts, 1950s model. Call for information. Carol Stubbs **Covington** 770-788-8877

Antique tractor collection: two Allis Chalmers WD40s, one WD45, one model B and one Farmall H; none running. Jesse Arnett **Tifton** 229-382-6517

Bobcat 753, new condition, less than 2000 hours on Kubota, diesel engine: \$14,500. Roy **Douglasville** 770-595-7891

Boom pole and sub-soiler, 3 ph, heavy duty; \$100 each. Cash. H M Adkison **Albany** 229-894-5115

Bush Hog 14' harrow/pull type; \$3000, obo. Jack Batten **Douglas** 912-384-4999

BushHog brand bush hog, 6ft, like new: \$1800. Lloyd Touchton **Morris** 770-633-0490

C99 Ditch Witch trencher: \$1500; 30,000 lb. hydraulic press: \$300; new trencher chain for C-99: \$500. Jimmy Garvin **Warner Robins** 478-396-2409

Case 1440 Combine: Machine runs good, 4-row corn and 20' platform head, 2 parts headers; \$10,000 OBO. Shelby Hart **Glennville** 912-237-2709

Case IH 2555, 2055, 2055 salvage; NHTR85 both heads, TR85 salvage; JD 7300 and 7100 planters; JD210 harrow Donald Akins 1122 Jim Rowe Hightower Rd **Collins** 30421 912-557-4616 912-245-9837

Case IH 7130 Tractor, dual tires, 4WD; \$35,000 Sam Holland **Lumber City** 912-497-0005

Case/IH1660 combine w/1020 head; \$18000. JD7100 4 row planters w/ Unverferth strip-till w/lift assist; \$8000. Athens116 harrow; \$3500. Steve Allen **Butler** 336-314-4841

Clark model 500 Y980 forklift. 7500# capacity. Lifts 14' high. \$6500. Glenn Johnston **Shiloh** 706-573-9756

Craftsman tractor, turning plow, drag harrow, cultivator, seed planter, disc harrow. Robert Staines **Fayetteville** 404-680-2172

Damaged 12-tower Zimmatic pivot: Could be repaired, used for parts or building materials. Make an offer. John Williams **Colquitt** 229-400-0777

Empty used gasoline steel skid tank; approx. \$300 OBO. Buyer loads item. Nicole Raines 332 Ellison Rd **Tyrone** 30290 404-281-1905

ESAB 350 MPI multi-process, MIG +TIG welder, MIG 35 wire, feed pedal cart, 350 AMP inverter; \$2000. Tom Jelly **Clermont** 770-530-6586

Farm truck: 2000 F150 4/4 extended cab, \$2000 OBO. Donald Taylor **Fayetteville** 404-867-2193 770-487-7430

Farmall 140, cultivators and part planters: \$650. Super A tractor: \$1000. Nelson Massey **Conyers** 770-483-2639

Farmall M tractor, restored, in good running condition; \$2200. Danny Hogan **Dexter** 478-984-6415

Fella-Werke Hay Tedder. 3 pt hitch: \$550 Keith Isdell **Sylvester** 229-809-1531 229-224-7730

Ford 4' 3-blade mower complete owners manual; \$200. Larry O Rodgers **Murrayville** 770-654-6319

Ford 4000, 1975, 3-cylinder, power-steering, diesel, new battery/starter. 16' trailer, double axle, rear ramps/brakes. Nancy England 4373 E Hall Rd **Gainesville** 30507 770-532-8818

Ford 555 rear wheels and tires, 16.9-28: \$450. JD A cylinder head: \$250. Farmall H block: \$150. William Howington **Pine Mountain** 770-842-0083

Ford 641 workmaster, Howse bush hog, boom pole, 16 ft. dual axle trailer: buy all, \$3000. Lane Bridges **Monroe** 770-401-2947

Ford 641, excellent condition, good metal and tires, strong lift, 6' offset harrow. Ford bottom plow, cult. frame, fertslinger, 16'. New equipment trailer; \$7200. Ron Hulett **Milan** 912-363-5978

Ford Golden Jubilee, good tires and sheet metal, gas, 12V, rebuilt and painted: \$4,500. Emily Kenney **Vidalia** 912-537-2890

Fordson Power Major, 52 hp, diesel: \$2500. Freeman FEL: \$500. 6 ft. finishing mower: \$400. 6 ft. scrape blade: \$150. Tooth bucket: \$250. Chris North **Whitesburg** 770-842-4198

Heavy duty land levelers; 10 - 12 ft. Wide; \$1600-1800; Grain wagon; \$1650. Carol Hulett **Hazlehurst** 912-253-0162

Hydraulic poultry house blower; \$600. Greg Wright **Talking Rock** 706-276-3242

International C153 engine, rebuilt top to bottom including head. Came out of forklift. Engine; \$700. Engine and forklift; \$1200. Donald Smith **Wrightsville** 478-232-5913

International Loadstar grain truck, steel body, hydraulic lift; \$2250. Wayne Rivenbark **Metter** 912-362-2108

International Tractor, 240, utility, Includes 8 attachments, 1232 hours. Beverly Dickey **Cornelia** beverlydickey10@gmail.com 770-601-6811

Irrigation pump, 7.5 hp Honda, 100 GPM, 240 volt, excellent condition; \$500. Timer, fittings and sprinkler heads available. Jack Boyd **Sharpsburg** 478-454-6171

Irrigation VFD and motor systems designed and built in GA, 5-500HP 230/460VAC. Carl Tolbert 3905 Steve Reynolds Blvd **Norcross** 30093 ctolbert@bdindustrial.com 678-523-2050 678-240-2058

JD 400 grinder mixer, good condition, sheltered. Can demonstrate. Asking \$2000. Text or call. Keith Clay **Loganville** 770-601-2779

JD 4430 with cab, air; \$19250 JD 4840 with cab, air; \$15500. JD 7720 combine; \$8500. Andy Sumner **Wrightsville** 478-484-6984

JD 4450, cab/ac, powershift, new rubber, w/ 158 loader/joystick, \$32K. JD4320 w/ 720 loader/joystick, \$16,500. Ernest Powell **Montrose** 478-488-0674

JD 6200 2WD, bucket, fork, pallet, hay, new interior, new tires, excellent condition, 3541 hrs, 66 HP, PTO engine, 89 HP, 1995; \$25,000 cash. Roger Ansley **Cornelia** 706-778-4165

JD 6230 2009 Open Station 2WD 12F/4R shuttle trans, no loader, 800 hours: \$29,500. Dann Standard **Tignall** 706-836-0442

JD 6320, CA, loader, reverser, 1936 hrs., 100hp., no regin or def., 2006 model: \$47,000 firm. Dale Wiley **Covington** 770-464-3276

JD 7000 6R narrow pull-type planter, liquid fert, insecticide boxes, monitor, shedded: \$6500. Steve Peters **Louisville** 478-494-1204

JD model 50 power steering, six year, paint, run goods, good parade tractor; \$3500. Cliff Livingston **Midland** 706-329-7170

JD rear wheels, fit 830 through 5525 tractors, cast centers, 28" rims: \$180. Ryan Baerne **Nicholson** 706-757-2672

JD24T square balers: One needs knott-er repair, one parts only; \$700 for both. Ford PTO bar rake: \$400. Good condition. Larry Evans **Royston** 770-530-1377

John Deere 348 square baler, loading chutes, good condition, works good, \$10,500. James Sullivan **Vidalia** 912-537-4944

John Deere 7200r w/ 58xx hours. Has big hydraulic pump and 20 speed auto-quad transmission; \$75,000. Hunter Crosby **Millwood** 912-614-2292

John Deere 790 Diesel, 4x4, 419 loader, box scrape, canopy, VGC, 974 hours: \$13,500. Rick Worrell **Morganton** 404-314-1498

John Deere deer plot drill; 7 and 8 ft wide; works on 3 pt.hitch; \$2400-2600. Royce Hulett **Hazlehurst** 912-375-3008 912-253-0161

John Deere Snap-on Duals, in good condition, size 18.4.38 John Paul Ellis **Statesboro** 912-865-9597

Krone 323S disc mower caddy, 500 gallon fuel tank. New Holland side delivery hay rake. James Martin **Waynesboro** 706-558-5005

Kubota 900 RTV Diesel 2009 4WD, 735 hrs, original tires, garage kept, hard top, windshield and radio: \$7500. Robert Snider **Gibson** 706-817-3757

Kubota L210 diesel, total hours @620, 21 hp diesel: \$2900. Jeff **Thomaston** 470-765-6260

Lilliston 12 ft. grain drill, needs new distributor cogs: \$250 OBO. Randy Lowe **Roberta** rlowe@pstel.net 478-836-3208 478-837-6018

Lilliston 1500 hi-cap peanut combine, running condition, kept in shelter. Also KMC digger inverter available. Michael Brantley **Wrightsville** 478-290-4290

Manure spreader. Pequea new, never used, sheltered. Pics available; \$3400 firm. Ed Parent **Fort Valley** 478-822-9483 478-747-2812

MF 1805, 3241 hours, 3 remotes, bare-back, good tires; \$13,500. Carey Bunn **Barnesville** 678-350-5380

MF 245, 40 hp diesel, runs great, good tires; \$3800. Call or text for photos. Paul Whitley **Ailey** 912-253-1773

MF 4-bottom plow, excellent condition: \$500. Hary **Tennille** 478-552-9267

Model 2000 Ford, excellent condition, new muffler, new tires, new battery, new seat, new paint, no p.s.: \$3800. Joe Chance **Ashburn** 229-567-4729

New Holland TH-75, cab, air loader, 4x4, 36 dual tandem, GN-trailer dovetail ramps; 1980 Int. 2155 tractor, DT-466 5+2 TM 13 OK. Clark Holton **Douglas** 912-592-8584

Nice 8N Ford Tractor, completely restored engine, in good working condition. Ready to go; \$2950 Kenneth Floyd **Blairsville** 706-897-1000

Old equipment: New Holland hay baler and New Holland silage chopper for parts or museum pieces; \$150 each. Kenneth Beasley **Dahlonega** 706-344-2604

One 457 round baler, and one 702 John Deere rake: \$8000. Wayne O Blansit **Summerville** 706-578-2135

One Ford 4 bottom 2-way plow: \$2500. One 4 row KMC Strip Till: \$2500. One Buffalo Hi Residue Cultivation: \$3000. J W Adkins **Vienna** 229-805-0255

One-row cultivator: \$100. Metal barrels: \$20. 2 for fuel, 3 for dock. Ronald Rush **Franklin** 706-675-3417 706-812-5271

Peanut sheller/grader, excellent condition; \$800. Jimmy Johnson **Sylvania** 912-682-6768

Peripheral mower, litter rejuvenator/pulverizer, 84" with 72" working width; works well: \$2,000. John Reiman **Dewey Rose** 571-243-2410

PJ Gooseneck trailer: 24' flat deck with slide-out ramps, good condition, no problems. Can send pictures: \$4500. Chris Newman **Canton** 770-883-5952

Poultry Generac Generator, 85kW with transfer switch, 350 Chev motor. Henry G Goble Residual Trust **Calhoun** 706-629-4256

Retiring: all equipment for sale. Deere 330, New Holland 57, rollerbar, Kuhn fluffer. Call for prices. Mark Hubbard **Cumming** 404-641-9130

Rhino 15' row-crop shredder flail mower; new blades, good condition: \$5500. Wade Simpson **Mcdonough** 404-732-7255

Rototiller, Bush Hog, grading planer, cultivator, harrow, 55 gal pump. In excellent condition. Moving. Package deal. \$4700. Michael Brooks **Mcdonough** 770-957-1171 404-804-0530

Savage pecan sizer; \$5000. Savage pecan cleaner; \$6000. Eddie Mcdonald **Alma** 912-218-2456 912-632-8808

Skidsteer 72" tiller, \$1875; 84" litter bucket, \$1875; 48" forks, \$550. Cash. Jim Bishop **Franklin** 706-675-3943 678-633-1420

Tree spade, 65", Big John truck, mounted on Ford L-9000 tandem. Selby Hull **Hampton** 770-946-8627

Tree Spade: Big John 90" on 1997 Ford 9000, 8LL Trans, CAT eng. 137,000 mi. Jerry Garber **Rex** 770-823-6789

TroyBilt Tiller, orig. heavy duty, 8 HP with some acc., parts catalog, etc. Tommy Walker **Rockmart** 678-684-9770 770-684-6150

Tuffline 8ft Harrow: good condition, new rear discs, T4X series, very heavy duty, 4" tubing: \$1400. Andy Tate **Gray** 912-539-9595

Twin drum peanut dryer: Drums 28 X 60 inches, 3 phase; \$5000. Also Hobbs peanut cleaner, make an offer. Connie Hayes **Stilson** connie.jim.hayes@gmail.com 912-823-3563

Two 6ft cutters, 3-point hitch heavy duty. PTO, good condition, \$200 for both or OBO. Heavy duty chain lift, \$100, OBO. Warren Sapp **Ellabell** 912-661-1443

Unverferth strip-till, 6-row planters, assist wheels, row markers. Peanut equipment also for sale. Dell Stephens **Odum** 912-256-3429

Vermeer 504 Super F round baler. Hydraulic string tie. Good condition. Baled 2018. Alton Garner **Adrian** 912-529-3921

Yanmar 1300D. 4x4. New pistons/starter/battery/filters/manual oil pressure gauge, runs great. New brakes. New clutch release bearing. Pics on CL. Bill Troxell **Milledgeville** 478-357-1036

Farm Machinery Wanted

4 ft. Bush Hog for Kubota B2710. Cecil Etheredge **Conyers** 404-326-7288

4' or 5' PTO 3 pt hitch rotary tiller; gear box must be good. James Leverette **Tifton** lever@friendlycity.net 229-392-3257

4-6 yard pull-type dirt pan. Herbert Owen **Baldwin** 706-499-3606

Allis Chalmers G tractor. Rear cultivator arms, manual lift. Ashley Rodgers **Douglasville** 770-714-4218

Allis Chalmers older subsoiler with snap coupler hitch. Charles M. Summers **Elko** 478-987-7151

Complete mower setup for 1614 Economy (Jim Dandy) tractor; must be in usable condition. Alvin Crusan **Jackson** alphe43@bellsouth.net 478-994-7995

Forks to fit on tractor bucket for lifting pallets. Harrell Whitener **Coosa** 678-630-5354 678-459-7792

Market Bulletin Farmland Ad Form

The Spring 2019 Farmland Edition of the *Market Bulletin* will be published March 13. The deadline to submit ads for that issue is Feb. 27.

Ad guidelines: Only Georgia farmland of five acres or more may be advertised. Include price, acreage and county where the property is located. All property must be for sale by the owner. Property under contract with a real estate agent cannot be advertised. Limit descriptive terms to property characteristics or structures. A maximum word count of 30 – including name, address, phone number and city – is permitted in Farmland ads. Only one ad per subscriber per issue. You must be a paid subscriber to advertise in the *Market Bulletin*.

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The following statement must be signed by the advertiser submitting this notice for publication:

I hereby certify that the above notice meets all the necessary requirements for publication in the upcoming farmland edition of the *Farmers and Consumers Market Bulletin*.

Livestock Sales and Events Calendar

APPLING COUNTY

1st & 3rd Saturdays, 12:30 p.m.: Goats, sheep, small animals, feeder pigs; A&A Goat Sales, 187 Industrial Drive, Baxley. **Call** Allen Ahl, 912.590.2096

ATKINSON COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays, 1 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Pearson Livestock, 1168 Highway 441 N, Pearson. **Call** Roberto Silveria, 229.798.0271

BEN HILL COUNTY

Every Monday, 1 p.m.: Cattle; South Central Livestock, 146 Broad Road, Fitzgerald. **Call** Thomas Stripling, 229.423.4400 or 229.423.4436

BLECKLEY COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays, 9 a.m.: Farm misc., 1:00 p.m. Ga. Lic. #3050; Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Cochran Auction Barn, 290 Ash St., Cochran. **Call** Mark Arnold 478.230.2482 or 478.230.5397

BUTTS COUNTY

Every Wednesday, 11:30 a.m.: Cattle 2nd & 4th Wednesdays, 11:30 a.m.: Dairy cattle; Mid-Georgia Livestock Market, 478 Fairfield Church Road/ Hwy. 16 W, Jackson. **Call** Brent Galloway, 770.775.7314

CARROLL COUNTY

2nd & 4th Saturdays, 4 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Long Branch Livestock, 813 Old Villa Rica Road, Temple. **Call** Ricky Summerville, 404.787.1865

Every Monday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Carroll County Livestock Sales Barn, 225 Salebarn Road, Carrollton. **Call** Barry Robinson, 770.834.6608 or 770.834.6609

CHATTOOGA COUNTY

Every Friday, 7 p.m.: Goats, sheep; Trion Livestock Auction, 15577 Hwy. 27, Trion. **Call** McKinley Evans, 678.276.5127

CLARKE COUNTY

Every Wednesday, 11 a.m.: Goats and sheep; noon, cattle. Northeast Georgia Livestock, 1200 Winterville Road, Athens. **Call** Todd Stephens, 706.549.4790

Thursday, Feb. 14, noon: UGA 27th Annual Focus on EPDs Bull Sale. Selling 30 Angus bulls, 8 registered Angus heifers and 8 Angus and Angus-cross commercial heifers. UGA Livestock Instructional Arena, Athens. **Call** Carroll T. Cannon, 229.881.0721 or 229.881.2705. cannonmarketingcompany@gmail.com

Every Wednesday, 1 p.m.: Cattle; Moultrie Livestock Co., 1200 1st Street NE, Moultrie. **Call** Randy Bannister, 229.985.1019

COLQUITT COUNTY

Every Wednesday, 1 p.m.: Cattle; Moultrie Livestock Co., 1200 1st Street NE, Moultrie. **Call** Randy Bannister, 229.985.1019

Landscape rake 4' or 5' w/ 3 pt hitch. Call and leave a message. Any time night or day. Tracy Tucker **Maxeys** 706-255-1609

Looking for Freedom Hitch for Tractor Side. Marcus Satterfield **Cumming** 770-887-7943

MF 1040 tractor for parts. William Barrett **Jersey** 470-505-6908

Need forklift range to unload logs, must be at least 5,000 lbs lift capacity, rough terrain-ready, reasonable price. Steven Smith **Baxley** 912-210-8656

Old logging/pulpwood equipment used in 50s/60s/70s for static display; any condition, attachments and complete machines. Ricky Callaway **Washington** 30673 706-401-6320

Seeking information about a stolen John Deere 2155; \$1000 reward for info leading to recovery. Heath Coker **Williamson** 770-468-4088

Tractor tire, size 16.9-30, 6-ply plus, used but serviceable. William Mitchell **Douglasville** wmitche3@bellsouth.net 770-949-1737

W4 or 04 Farmall for parts or restore. Jimmy Salter **Thomaston** 706-601-5889

COOK COUNTY

1st, 3rd & 5th Saturdays, 1 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Deer Run Auction, 1158 Parrish Road, Adel. **Call** John Strickland, 229.896.4553

DECATUR COUNTY

2nd Saturday, 1 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Waddell Auction Co., 979 Old Pelham Road, Climax. **Call** John Waddell, 229.246.4955

EMANUEL COUNTY

Every Monday, 1 p.m.: Cattle, slaughter hogs; Swainsboro Stockyard, 310 Lambs Bridge Road, Swainsboro. **Call** Clay Floyd and David N. Floyd, 478.945.3793

2nd & 4th Saturdays, noon: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; R&R Goat & Livestock Auction, 560 GA Hwy. 56 N, Swainsboro. **Call** Ron & Karen Claxton, 478.455.4765

Every Tuesday, 10 a.m. & 1st Fridays: Cattle special sale; Dixie Livestock Market, 133 Old Hwy. 46, Oak Park. **Call** Willis & Tammy Sikes, 912.578.3263

FORSYTH COUNTY

Every Tuesday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Lanier Farm's Livestock Corp., 8325 Jot-Em Down Road, Gainesville. **Call** Tyler Bagwell, 770.844.9223 or 770.844.9231

FRANKLIN COUNTY

Every Tuesday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Franklin County Livestock Sales, 6461 Stone Bridge Road, Carnesville. **Call** Chad and Clay Ellison, 706.384.2975 or 706.384.2105

GORDON COUNTY

Every Thursday, 12:30 p.m.: Cattle, goats, sheep, slaughter hogs; Calhoun Stockyard Hwy. 53, 2270 Rome Road SW, Calhoun. **Call** Dennis Little & Gene Williams, 706.629.1900

GREENE COUNTY

Every Thursday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Duvall Livestock Market, 101 Apalachee Ave., Greensboro. **Call** Jim Malcom, 706.453.7368

JEFF DAVIS COUNTY

1st & 3rd Fridays: Horse sale, 7:30 p.m.; Circle Double S, 102 Lumber City Highway, Hazlehurst. **Call** Steve Underwood, 912.594.6200 (night) or 912.375.5543 (day)

JOHNSON COUNTY

1st & 3rd Mondays, 7:30 p.m.: Chickens; Ol' Times Auction, 503 Hill Salter Road, Kite. **Call** Robert Colston, 478.299.6240

JONES COUNTY

Every Saturday, 6 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; 5 p.m., farm miscellaneous, Ga. Lic. #3188; Buggy Town Auction, 1035 Hwy. 11, Gray. **Call** Jimmy Burnett 770.584.0388 or 678.972.4599

LAMAR COUNTY

Every Friday, 6 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; 5 p.m., farm miscellaneous, Ga. Lic. #3188; Buggy Town Auction Market, 1315 Highway 341 S, Barnesville. **Call** James Burnette 770.584.0388 or 678.972.4599

LAURENS COUNTY

2nd & 4th Thursday, 6 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Horse Creek Auction Co., 5971 Hwy. 441 S, Dublin. **Call** Daniel Harrelson, 478.595.5418

MADISON COUNTY

Every Friday, 6 p.m.: Chickens, small animals; Gray Bell Animal Auction, Hwy. 281, Royston. **Call** Billy Joe Bell, 706.245.4205

MARION COUNTY

1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.: Goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Auction 41, 4275 GA Hwy. 41 N, Buena Vista. **Call** Jim Rush, 706.326.3549. **Email** rushfam4275@windstream.net

PULASKI COUNTY

Every Tuesday, 1:30 p.m.: Cattle, goats, sheep; Pulaski County Stockyard, 1 Houston Street, Hawkinsville. **Call** John Walker, 478.892.9071

SEMINOLE COUNTY

Every Wednesday, 1:30 p.m., 3rd Saturday Special Sale, 1:30 p.m.: Cattle, goats, sheep; Seminole Stockyard, 5061 Hwy. 91, Donaldsonville. **Call** Bryant Garland and Edwina Skipper, 229.524.2305

STEPHENS COUNTY

2nd Saturdays, 5 p.m.: W&W Livestock, Eastanollee Livestock Auction, Eastanollee. **Call** Brad Wood, 864.903.0296

3rd Saturdays, noon: Goats, sheep; Agri Auction Sales at Eastanollee Livestock Market, Highway 17 between Toccoa and Lavonia. **Call** Ricky Chatham, 706.491.2812 or Jason Wilson, 706.491.8840

Every Monday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Eastanollee Livestock, 40 Cattle Drive, Eastanollee. **Call** Mark Smith, 706.779.5944

SUMTER COUNTY

Every Monday, 1 p.m.: Cattle; Sumter County Stockyard, 505 Southerfield Road, Americus. **Call** Dr. LeAnna Wilder and Sam Steele, 229.380.4901

150 lb anvil; \$595. 100 lb anvil; \$475. Ben Hendrick **Austell** 770-948-9842

2 Dyna-Glo propane 360 tank top heaters, 30-40 thousand BYUs Used once. Larry Ward **Thomaston** 706-648-3131 706-656-3131

2" PVC pipe schedule 80, 20 ft sticks. I have over 100 sticks of conduit. \$16 ea. Shane Phillips **Jackson** 770-362-3688

2018 JDX350 lawn tractor, Kawasaki engine, 42', 18.5 HP, v-twin mulch kit, great condition; \$2800. R.F. Pollard **Kennesaw** 770-427-1201

250 gallon propane tank, good for BBQ grill; \$125. Vince Edwards 3483 Us Highway 27 **Franklin** 30217 706-675-3400

275+ gallon tank (tote) w/metal cage, 5" top cap, bottom valve; \$50. C. Stovall **Dahlonega** 678-491-0838

45x72 Quonset building, never erected, 22 gauge steel, 14x28 end openings; \$15,999. Glen Butcher **Camilla** 229-449-3294

500 gallon fuel tank; \$100. 115V fuel pump; \$200. Manual tire changer, \$350. 22.5 tire; \$25. Keith Garvin **Byron** 478-955-4236

TAYLOR COUNTY

1st & 3rd Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.: Feeder pigs, goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; RockRidge Livestock Auction, 1357 Tommy Purvis Jr. Road, Reynolds. **Call** Melba Strickland, 706.975.5732

TELFAIR COUNTY

2nd & 4th Thursdays: Chickens, fowl, goats and sheep; check-in at 1 p.m., sale at 6:30 p.m. Horse Creek Auction, between Dublin and McRae off Highway 441. **Call** 478.595.5418

THOMAS COUNTY

Every Tuesday, 1 p.m.: Cattle. 1st & 3rd Tuesdays: Slaughter hogs; Thomas County Stockyards, 20975 Hwy. 19 N, Thomasville. **Call** Jimmy P. Benton, 229.228.6960

TOOMBS COUNTY

1st & 3rd Saturdays, 11 a.m.: Feeder pigs, goats, sheep, chickens, small animals; Metter Livestock Auction, 621 Hwy. 1 S, Lyons. **Call** Lewie Fortner, 478.553.6066

TURNER COUNTY

Every Wednesday, 1 p.m.: Cattle; Turner County Stockyards, 1315 Hwy. 41 S, Ashburn. **Call** Alan Wiggins, 229.567.3371

Jan. 18th, 6 p.m.: Breeder cattle sale; Selling cow/calf pairs, springers and bulls; all mouthed and preg checked, bulls semen-tested; trucking available. Turner County Stockyards, Ashburn. **Call** 1.800.344.9808.

UPSON COUNTY

Every Tuesday, 12:30 p.m.: Cattle, goats, sheep. L&K Farmers Livestock Market, 2626 Yatesville Hwy., Thomaston. **Call** Kathy and Lewis Rice, 706.468.0019.

WHITE COUNTY

First and third Saturdays, 4 p.m.: Chickens and goats; Coker's Sale Barn, 9648 Duncan Bridge Road, Cleveland. **Call** Wayne Coker Sr., 706.540.8418

WILKES COUNTY

Every Wednesday, noon: Cattle, goats, sheep; Wilkes County Stockyard, Hwy. 78 Bypass/302 Third Street, Washington. **Call** Kenny Durden and Linda Robertson, 706.678.2632

Notices for auctions selling farm-related items other than livestock must be accompanied by the auction license number of the principal auctioneer or auction firm conducting the auction, per regulations from the Georgia Secretary of State. Auctions without this information will not be published. Have an auction to put on our calendar? Contact Amy Carter at 404.656.3722 or amy.carter@agr.georgia.gov.

6 ft.x18 ft. bumper pull trailer with camper, wood floor: \$1100 OBO. Jerry Clark **Sparta** 478-251-0536

6"-60" PVC/Aluminum fittings available (SDR26/35, C900/pressure, IPS/pressure200, DR18, Sch.40/DWV) Specializing in lake drainage systems, construction/management and renovation. David Beall **Greenville** 706-289-1874

6-burner wood stove, made in Birmingham, Ala., good condition: \$200. Carl Bledsoe **Doerun** 229-454-0402

60L X 35W metal building, ring-type construction, 22-gauge galvanized steel; 15 X 18 opening at each end. Ann J English **Cochran** 478-230-4642

6100 nitrogen tank pump and plumbing, heavy duty; \$4500. Kenneth Perry **Girard** 706-833-2154

Air compressor, 25 hp, 3 p.h., excellent condition, 250-gallon tank: \$1800 OBO. Joe Chance **Ashburn** 229-567-4729

Bags of Georgia Gulf Sulfur; \$20, quantity discount available. Jerry Singer **Cleveland** 706-878-6046

Band-sawn lumber, 1x10x10 pine, air-dried; \$4.25 each. Other sizes available. Timothy Tucker **Newnan** 770-251-7612

Barrels: metal, plastic, stainless steel, 55 and 30 gallons. Totes: 275 and 330 gallons. Liz Allanson **Cumming** 678-231-2324

Broiler house equipment, (2) 18 ton feed bins, roll of triply, 2 medicators. Roy A Thrasher **Madison** 706-342-2719

Cattle head gates, manual operated 28"W x49" walk-thru with lock easy open and close; \$350. William P Harris **Elberton** 706-283-6615

Creep feeders; (1) 650 lb capacity; \$250. (2) 750 lb capacity; \$500. 1000 gallon fuel tank; \$500. Lee Rusk **Woodstock** 770-928-1195

Custom-cut lumber, Wood-Mizer sawn, kiln-dried, milled for homes, flooring, cabinetry, barns, fencing, restorations, timber frames. John Sell **Milner** 770-480-2326

Dayton submersible effluent pump, model 3BB85, used 240V, 1 HP; \$950 bought new. Asking \$425. Morgan County. Frank Rodriguez **Buckhead** 404-456-4482

For sale used: 12 cattle panels, 4- 16' gates, 20 T-posts; all for \$200. Dennis Johnson **Oglethorpe** graceacresfarm@yahoo.com 478-472-8762 478-235-0733

I have 250-gallon tanks, upright, to make diesel with two motors. Robert Braden **Rochelle** 229-425-0691

Locust fence posts and rails. Barney Cook **Blairsville** 706-994-2600 706-745-8724

Metal cage live coyote trap; 57"x 25" x 16"; \$50. Ferrell Nolan 127 Mount Calvary Rd Nw **Marietta** 30064 ferrelln9@hotmail.com 770-590-7054

New pallet: 8 in. octagon black pavers for horse barn, 350 total; \$975. Gwenn Evans **Royston** 770-530-4650

Oak and pine shoe molding and trim; also bead board. Call for prices. William Briggs **Atlanta** 404-349-2315

Ownsboro wagon, completely restored, new lumber, painted red, green long tongue with chains, spokes, fel-lows, good iron tires; will deliver. Robert Worley **Rome** 706-766-3578

Rubbermaid water tank, 100 gal: \$50. 50 gal sprayer: \$500. Round bale hay feeder for cattle, 4 sections: \$100. David Vaughn **Watkinsville** 706-769-6706

Sawmill blade for sale: \$200. Lamar Bryant **Cleveland** 706-878-8509 706-878-8509

Sawmill lumber: pine, oak, walnut, cedar, portable sawing boards, beams, slabs, turning blocks. Todd Chaney **Cartersville** 404-861-7402

Silent flame heater, good condition: \$450 OBO. Larry Manley **Eatonton** 706-473-0967 706-473-9753

Sugar cane kettle for sale. Ray Freeman **Dublin** 478-272-1307

Tank propane, 250 gallon with regulator; \$200. Located in Cleveland. David Denton **Cumming** 770-789-3980

Tarter hay ring, galvanized, good condition. \$50. Mickey Hilliard **Baldwin** 706-949-0197

Three-shank bottom plow, three-point hitch. Also, two propane gas tanks, 250 gallon. Samuel English **Jackson** 770-228-3019

Tunnel house for sale. George Weathersbee **Chester** 478-290-9721

Used 8-frame bee boxes, 12 each deeps; \$10 each. 14 each medium; \$18 each. Bee vacuum; \$100. All for \$250. James E Vaughn **Cornelia** 706-778-9554

Used metal roofing 26 gauge 30" wide. 60 sheets, 14.6; \$8.50. 60 sheets, 22.6; \$12.50. Dale Wood **Bowersville** 706-371-7407

Wash pot, large; \$200. Smaller ones for cheaper. 75 lb anvil; \$100. Wooden turkey coop; \$100. Other. W C Waldrip **Ellijay** 706-635-1940

WoodMizer lumber, 1x12 pine oak trailer flooring, any thickness; resaw work. Larry Moore **Newnan** 678-278-5709

Farm Supplies Wanted

Looking for Cumberland feeder pans and cones, L.B. White or Hired Hand wall hanging furnaces. Paul **Cumming** 404-310-9333 770-539-1454

One serviceable farm implement tire, 750-20 with farm tractor tread. Doyle C Lindsey **Fayetteville** 770-851-5497

Tractor tires, 13x6x38. Harry Harris **Hampton** 404-925-7879

Used greenhouse, 24 x 60 or larger. Can disassemble and move. Levi Stoltzfuss **Kite** 478-246-5779

Want to buy chicken house truss. Richard Smith **Athens** 706-207-9637

FARM SUPPLIES

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

(2) 16.9x30" R-1 tires, 40 percent tread; \$200 cash. (1) 9.5x15" good condition on JD wheel; \$90. Larry Maney **Baldwin** 706-244-4348 706-886-9551

(26) heavy duty "Behlen" style corral panels: 6' high, 12' long, J-Leg design, galvanized; \$3500. Mike Hedden **Dallas** 770-443-4500

(32) 48" Hired Hand slant wall poultry house fans: \$300 each. Joseph Rhodes **Knoxville** 478-214-0759

LIVESTOCK

All livestock must have been in the advertiser's possession for at least 90 days before they can be advertised. Livestock listed must be for specific animals. Generalized ads such as "many breeds of cattle" or "want horses, any amount" will not be published. Ads for free or unwanted livestock will not be published. Ads for cats, dogs, reptiles, rodents and other animals not specifically bred for on-farm use will not be published.

Cattle

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

1 Gelbvieh/Angus bull (balancer); black, deep, long bodied, moderate frame, ready for heavy breeding, 4 y/o, great calves. Shane Burnett **Mansfield** 770-827-2240

10 commercial Angus bred heifers. Pregnancy checked due to calve in February. \$1550 per head. Ben Umberger **Trion** 770-363-3187

15 purebred black Angus bulls: 1/2/3 y/o, docile, vaccinated, Al'd & natural service. K Schwock **Homer** 404-735-9524

15 Reg. polled Hereford bulls, Good EPDs, priced to sell. Larry M Lane **Carrollton** 678-378-5170

16-19 m/o registered red Angus heifers, ready for breeding. Sire A-1. Easy calving. Good prices. Jorge Haber **Midland** 706-323-2405 706-570-5689

2 purebred red Angus bulls, 19 and 25 m/o: \$1800 each OBO. Larry Thurmond **Commerce** 706-983-9566

2 yearling bulls: Gentle, deep bodied, sound feet and legs; one Angus, one SimAngus. Gentle, handled daily. Tom Brown **Canton** 404-259-0998

25 black baldy heifers for sale, open ready to breed. 700 lb weight range, \$1200 each. Gene Hart **Commerce** 706-340-0825

3 Reg. black SimAngus bulls. 1200-1400 lbs. Cowboy Cut, Shear Force bloodlines. Great EPDs. Reasonably priced. Jessie Driggers **Glennville** 912-237-0608

3 reg. SimAngus females, heavy bred, due Jan-Feb. to a Simmental bull. Jason Cope **Glennville** 912-654-3817

3/4 mini Jersey, 1/4 Guernsey, eight month old, painted, polled bull; \$1000. Kelly Maxwell **Winder** 404-925-2369

4 y/o Simmental bull, moderate-framed, easy handling, no problems, consistent calves. Sean Parker **Barnesville** 678-725-8013

5 year old black Angus bull. Heath Simmons **Twin City** 478-299-6697

9 registered Angus bulls. 2 years old. Semen tested. \$1800, free delivery with in 100 miles. Allen Ellicott **Abbeville** 229-401-8590

Angus bull, 27 m/o. used as heifer clean-up bull; available after 1/19/19. DJ Sheppard **White Plains** 706-453-6879

Angus/Beef Master commercial heifers, open or bred, shots and dewormed, farm raised, very gentle. Deborah Auldridge **Blythe** 706-825-2544

Black Angus bull; \$1250. Black Angus heifers; \$900. Rodney Brooks **Glenwood** 912-523-5282

Black reg. Herefords and polled Herefords: 30 heifers and 30 two y/old bulls; can send pics. Brad Mullins **Martin** 706-491-7556

Bottle weaned bulls and heifers available. Guarantee colostrum, given Multimin 90, Triangle 5. Weaned calves, fully vaccinated and wormed. Brittney Peters **Social Circle** 470-334-1933

Bulls: Simmental, Angus, and SimAngus, 2.5 y/o and 16 m/o. Bred and open heifers, extensive AI breeding. William Clanton **Odum** 912-221-1383

Calving ease, milking ability, gentleness, registered polled Shorthorn bulls/show heifers/steers, excellent quality, Club Calf member. Kenneth R Bridges **Commerce** 706-768-3480

Five Waygu bulls and five Lim-Flex bulls for sale; good stock, ready for work. Jim **Lyerly** 770-712-5883

Jersey cow, nice, with calf, born November, good milker: \$1100. Chet Barrett **Mount Airy** cb@highvoltagecattle.com 706-499-8008

PB Simmental bull 3518680, Sire CNS Pays to Dream. Ready for spring breeding. AI-bred, great genetics/EPDs. Jonathan Saylor **Demorest** 706-244-5929

Pure bred red Angus bull, 16 months old, gentle: \$1600. W.W. Abney **Franklin** 770-301-5658

Reg black Angus bull sired by GAR Sunrise. 15 months old. High quality. Justin Thompson **Senioia** 678-201-5768

Reg. Angus bulls, 1-2 y/o, calving ease, high growth, AI sired by All-In, Prophet, Sunrise Highwayman. Ken McMichael **Monticello** 706-819-9295

Reg. Angus bulls, excellent EPDs, low birth weights, increase profits, retain excellent replacements. Gillis Angus Farm. Windell Gillis **Eastman** 478-231-8236

Reg. Charolais, Angus and Braford bulls, Many to choose from, gentle, ready for work. Adam Marsh **Garfield** 912-536-1430

Reg. red Angus herd bulls; 3 are coming 2s; one is 4. All forage raised. Jim Hudson **Broxton** jimhudson@windstream.net 912-592-1225

Reg. Santa Gertrudis bulls, service ready, EPDs available. Wayne Jernigan **Buena Vista** 229-649-9659 229-649-7724

Registered Angus bull calf, Baldrige Waylon bloodline: \$900, 8 m/old, excellent prospect. Mitchel Barrett **Cleveland** 706-531-4330

Registered black Angus heifers, (14) 8-16 months. Wes Turner **Gainesville** 770-231-3373

Registered Black Simbrah bull, LBW, high growth, calves on site. Pictures available. Tommy Walker **Rockmart** 770-684-6150 678-684-9770

Registered Charolais bulls, excellent breeding stock, gentle easy handling, vaccinated/dewormed. Madison Morgan **Clyo** 912-661-3050

Registered Hereford polled and horn bull. All shots, docile, Victor pedigree. Joey Yasinski **Senioia** 678-471-7106

Registered Polled Hereford bulls and cows. Twin Creeks Mountain Farm. twincreeksmountainfarm.com Roger Ledford **Young Harris** kentrekin2001@yahoo.com 706-897-1081

Registered purebred black Simmental bulls, top bloodlines, semen tested, several to choose from; 14-21 m/o. Steve Watson **Dawsonville** 706-429-5349

Registered SimAngus bull, 15 months old, AI sired, semen tested, ready for service. Joseph Schmenk **Dahlonega** oakridgeranch@windstream.net 706-864-6659 317-965-8769

Santa Gertrudis bulls, breeding age and younger. Eddy Mullinax **Ellijay** 706-273-4282

Seven registered Herefords: four heifers, three bulls, 7 m/o, farm-raised, good bloodlines, gentle: \$850-\$1000. Mike Ward **Summerville** 706-862-2405

SimAngus & Angus bulls, calving ease, good quality, good growth bulls: \$1700, ready to work, good EPDs, very gentle. Chet Barrett **Mount Airy** chetbarrett61@gmail.com 706-499-8008

SimAngus & Charolais breeding-age bulls, 15 months plus, performance, calving ease. Scott Carey **Madison** 706-474-0738

SimAngus bull, 4 y/o calving ease, very gentle, 2000#, very nice, made very deep: \$3000. Vickie Barrett **Mount Airy** vickie@curraheetrailers.com 706-499-8009

SimAngus bulls, calving ease, good quality, good growth bulls; \$1700, ready to work. Good EPDs, very gentle. Chet Barrett **Mount Airy** chetbarrett61@gmail.com 706-499-8008

Simbrah and Simmental young bulls and heifers. Cliff Adams **Bowdon** 770-258-2069

Six y/o registered black Angus bull. Calving ease trait. One of the best I have owned. Alex Jones **Mcdonough** 404-357-4220

Three mixed calves, one bull, two steers 500-600 pounds, good condition. Make reasonable offers. Rickey Dudley **Leesburg** 229-347-0751

Two 9 m/o Brahman bull calves; \$700 each. Parents on site. Full blood. Kelly King 4622 Pine View Rd **Waycross** 31503 229-740-8580

Swine

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers submitting swine ads must submit proof of a negative brucellosis and pseudorabies test from within the past 30 days. Exceptions are swine from a validated brucellosis-free and qualified pseudorabies-free herd; these operations must submit proof of that certification. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the test needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the test can be attached using the attachments button. Buyers are urged to request proof of a negative brucellosis and pseudorabies test prior to purchase.

7 miniature pot belly pigs, 4 m/o; \$75 for females, \$50 males. Tammy Corbin **Chatsworth** 706-537-6859

Berkshire pigs, males, cut, wormed and eating good: \$50 each. Morris Jennings **Cumming** 770-887-6663 770-401-5263

Mangalitsa piglets for sale, born 12/4; \$325 a piece. David Cork **Statesboro** 912-690-5587

Goats And Sheep

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

1 Boer/Nubian mixed buck, 6 m/o: \$200. 1 Boer brown/white spots buck, 6 m/o: \$300. Larry Money **Rome** 706-346-2293

1 large Kiko billy, gentle; \$200. 4 smaller off-springs; \$100 each. 1 large purebred Spanish billy; \$200. David Amonette **Garfield** 404-580-3414

2 Katahdin cross wethers, 8 months old; \$125 each. Gary Dye **Wrens** 404-626-2136

5 breed Nubian goats, spotted Nubian male; \$125 & up. Bonnie Eubanks **Sandersville** 478-456-6606

Boer cross bucklings, 8 months old, beautiful colors. \$150. Deborah Perreira **Hampton** 678-283-4364

Fainting billy goat, \$200. Baby pygmy males, \$50, and females, \$100; great markings. Shelley Kegley **Villa Rica** 770-789-0209

Herd sire buck, A/A alpha S1 Casein Allele American Nubian, ADGA reg. Call for more provenance: \$400 OBO. Michael Battey **Lindale** 727-480-3288

Katahdin sheep for sale, breeding stock and freezer lambs. Call for pricing. Jonathon Tatum **Athens** 478-290-5967

Kiko x Boer crossed Nubian doelings, born Oct. 11th; big, beautiful girls: \$140 ea. S Liford **Canton** 678-521-8689

Myotonic bucks for sale: 7 m/o, great genetic line, all colors, blue eyes. Helen Tate **Clermont** tatersnmaters777f15@yahoo.com 678-315-0445

Nigerian Dwarf Goats, registered ADGA, AGA, NDGA; buck and doe, six m/o. Filix Austin **Jefferson** 706-654-1019

One Nigerian dwarf male with papers, debudded, DOB 04-25-18: \$150. One doe reg., DOB 02-14-18: \$200. V Carter **Forsyth** 478-993-2119

Purebred Kiko does, 7-12 m/o; \$200. Purebred and 100 percent NZ bucks, 1-3 y/o; \$200-\$1,000. Gregory Slapppy **Carrollton** 678-773-4093

Pygmy billy, black, 4 m/o: \$75. James H Adkison **Albany** 229-436-5369

Pygmy goats, does and billies. Blue eyes. \$75 each. Ricky Tritt **Dahlonega** 770-287-5736

Pygmy goats: Bucks, does & wethers available; all wormed, does probably bred: \$75 and up. Mckinley Evans **Adairsville** 678-276-5127

Registered Katahdin rams and ewes, from weaning to breeding age, x-large Midwest bloodlines. Duke Burgess **Louisville** 478-625-9542 305-923-0262

Stock Dogs

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Advertisers must submit a copy of a current Rabies Vaccination Certificate signed by a licensed veterinarian for dogs 12 weeks and older. Ads submitted without this information will not be published.

AKC German Shepherd pups, ready to go 1/18/2019: \$750. Scott Guyton **Gainesville** 770-654-3677

Border Collie puppies for sale. Hubert Bailey **Dawsonville** 770-530-6150

Great Pyrenees livestock guardian puppies. Born 11/8/18. Shots/dewormed. Raised with chickens and small children. \$250 Michelle Pape **Greenville** 423-413-2617

Kangal livestock guardian dog, registered male, stud service fee: \$2,000. T Eleanor Davis **Stockbridge** e@peacockhill.farm 770-860-8989

Kangal livestock guardian puppies \$1,600. 10 months old, shots/dewormed, around goats and turkeys. Thora Davis **Stockbridge** 770-860-8989

Registered Border Collie puppies. Championship bloodlines. Ready to go January 21/22. 5 Females, 1 Male. \$1,000. John Hulsey **Clermont** 770-540-2356

Equine For Sale

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers in the Equine for Sale or Equine at Stud categories must submit current negative Coggins tests for each equine advertised. This includes horses, ponies, donkeys, etc. Buyers are urged to request verification of a negative Coggins from the advertiser before purchasing any equine. Negative Coggins reports are valid for 12 months from the date the blood sample is drawn. Falsification or altering of any Coggins results can result in fines and suspension of advertising privileges. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the Coggins needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the Coggins can be attached using the attachments button. Generalized ads, such as "many horses," "variety to choose from," etc., will not be published. Equine at Stud ads will also require a current stable license in order to be published.

Pony mare, 3 years, Sorrell white paint, extra gentle rides, 9 hands; \$800. Can deliver. J Wilkes **Athens** 706-207-9366

Registered grey 7 year old Thoroughbred brood mare for lease. Correct, beautiful, 16 handws. \$800-1500. Gary Gibson **Atlanta** 678-595-2790

Equine At Stud

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Equine Miscellaneous

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

2000 Sundowner gooseneck 3 horse slant, large dressing room with air, one owner, excellent condition: \$10,000 OBO. Mary Ann Topper **Dawsonville** 706-216-6807

2nd Annual LAKE COUNTRY LIVESTOCK JUDGING INVITATIONAL



Saturday, March 9, 2019

at the Greene County Ag Expo Arena

Contest Check-in will begin at 9:30 a.m. and the contest will begin promptly at 10:00 a.m.!

This event is open to all 4-H and FFA members in the 4th - 12th Grade. Top 10 individuals from Junior and Senior divisions will receive certificates.

Prize money will be awarded to the Top 5 individuals from both divisions.

For registration forms and more information please contact David Daniel, Jr. or Kelcie Gilman at the Greene County Extension/4-H Office at 706-453-2083



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COOK GEORGIA GROWN: Resolution desserts

Editor's Note: While waiting for my first Caramel Brûlée Latte of the new year, I learned from my friendly Starbucks barista that most people keep their New Year's resolutions for just 12 days. Seeing that it was only the second day of 2019, I was in no position to contradict him. Opportunity knocks once; temptation beats down the door. Fortify your resolve with one of these deceptively diet-friendly treats.

Too Easy to Be True No Fat Dessert

Ingredients:

1 package "one-step" angel food cake mix
1 (20-oz.) can crushed pineapple in juice

Preparation:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees.

Combine dry cake mix and pineapple in a large bowl. Stir to combine. Spread in ungreased jellyroll pan (10x15-inch with sides). Bake for 15-20 minutes. Cool and cut into bars. Yield: 15 bars.

(If desired, combine $\frac{3}{4}$ cup powdered sugar with enough milk to make glaze and drizzle over cooled bars.)

-Originally submitted by Helen Beckner, Lawrenceville

Skinny Pie

Substitute Georgia peaches or blueberries in season.

Ingredients:

1 (8 oz.) package fat-free cream cheese, softened
 $\frac{1}{3}$ cup sugar substitute
1 (8 oz.) container fat-free or light frozen whipped topping, thawed
1 (9 in.) pie crust, baked and cooled
3 cups frozen or fresh strawberries, sliced
 $\frac{1}{3}$ cup sugar substitute

Preparation:

In small bowl of electric mixer combine cream cheese and sugar substitute. Mix well. Fold in whipped topping. Spoon into baked, cooled pie crust. Cover tightly and refrigerate.



Combine berries and remaining sugar substitute. Let stand for 30 minutes if using fresh berries. Slice the pie and spoon berries over each slice before serving.

-Originally submitted by Abretha Watson, Pineview

Snicker Pie

Ingredients:

2 cups low-fat chocolate frozen yogurt, softened
 $\frac{1}{3}$ cup reduced fat crunchy peanut butter
 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup Grape Nuts cereal (substitute peanuts if calories aren't a concern)
1 (8 oz.) container fat-free or lite Cool Whip, thawed

Preparation:

Combine all ingredients in a large mixing bowl.

Spoon mixture into a 9-inch glass pie plate (or 9-in. square baking dish). Place in refrigerator for several hours or overnight.

Remove from freezer 10 minutes before serving. Cut into wedges to serve. Yield: 6 or 8 servings.

-Originally submitted by Lila F. Weatherly, Dublin



Low Sugar Pumpkin Pie

Preparation:

1 cup canned pumpkin
2 (1 oz.) packages sugar-free instant vanilla pudding
2 cups milk
1 tsp. pumpkin pie spice
1 baked (9 in.) pie crust or 1 (6 oz.) graham cracker crust

Preparation:

Combine pumpkin, pudding mix, milk and pumpkin pie spice in a large mixing bowl. Stir until mixture thickens, about 5 minutes. Pour into pie crust. Refrigerate until set.

-Originally submitted by Beverly Johnson, Conyers



Georgie's Drive Thru Tallapoosa

Hello! I'm Georgie, the Georgia Grown mascot. I travel the state promoting our No. 1 industry, agriculture! I'm always meeting new folks and hearing new stories that reinforce my belief that our farmers and their families are the best in the country. One day I was traveling through Washington County on Ga. Hwy. 272 when I saw a sign that read, "Pig Monument." I had to stop! There, in front of a dry shallow well, was a granite memorial with the picture of a pig on it. According to the monument, a farmer named Bartow Barron lost track of his prize winning Duroc hog for two solid weeks back in 1933, during some of the worst days of the Great Depression. He finally found the pig staring up at him from the bottom of the dry well, which was 40 feet deep at the time. Mr. Barron came up with the idea to slowly fill the well with dirt, so the hog could climb up little by little and jump out. For 12 days, he tried to fill the well by himself. When he was about ready to give up, his neighbors pitched in to help and they rescued that animal together. The monument celebrates "the spirit of friendship and community so characteristic of those times."



Auxin Training Requirements: Georgia 2019

NOTICE: U.S. EPA-Industry mandated label changes to dicamba products Engenia, FeXapan, and XtendiMax are now effective for the 2019 growing season.

Engenia, FeXapan, XtendiMax

- As mandated by federal labels, one must hold a private or commercial pesticide applicator license to purchase and use these restricted use herbicides. Use is limited to ONLY those persons holding a private or commercial applicator certification.* It is no longer permissible for non-certified applicators to apply these products under the direct supervision of the certified applicator.
- Prior to applying these products in 2019, ALL applicators must be trained according to the federal labels. In Georgia, applicators must complete the 2019 Using Pesticides Wisely classroom training. If you attended this training in 2015, 2016, 2017, or 2018, you must re-take the training in 2019.
- Industry applicator trainings are encouraged and beneficial; however, they will not fulfill Georgia's requirement for auxin training.
- Each label requires certified applicators to document application information. Forms have been designed to help with this challenge and can be found at your local UGA Extension office, from the herbicide registrant, or at <http://agr.georgia.gov/24c.aspx>

Enlist Duo or Enlist One

- All persons in charge of in-crop applications (planting through harvest) of Enlist Duo or Enlist One in Enlist cotton or soybean must complete the Using Pesticides Wisely classroom training. If you attended this training in 2015, 2016, 2017 or 2018, you must re-take the training in 2019.

*For those seeking certification as a private pesticide applicator:

Initial certification to become a certified private pesticide applicator requires the completion of an interactive, online Private Applicator training program administered by University of Georgia Extension (<http://extension.uga.edu/programs-services/pesticide-safety-education/private-applicators.html>). The online training and testing requires a total time commitment of approximately 4-5 hours and a \$25 fee. Applicants MUST be able to read and understand a label. Application of auxin herbicides carries certain inherent risks associated with off-target movement. Anyone applying them should be well-trained, have a clear understanding of the potential for off-site damage, and be able to make complex decisions on when and where these products should be applied. Applicants and their employers should carefully consider who is capable of applying these products safely before beginning the certification process.

"USING PESTICIDES WISELY" TRAINING DATES/TIMES/LOCATIONS WILL BE RELEASED THIS MONTH.

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MERCER MEDICAL MOMENT: On lead and the health of your children

By **Brad Lian**, Associate Professor, Department of Community Medicine, School of Medicine, Mercer University and

Adam Kiefer, Professor, Distinguished Professor, Department of Chemistry, College of Liberal Arts, Mercer University

We've all been told, or at least realize by now, that lead is hazardous to our health. The evidence is clear on this. And it's especially harmful to infants and children. Even very low levels of lead exposure during the first five years of life have been linked to neurological and nervous system damage, lower IQs, seizures, behavioral problems, ADHD and damage to developing internal organs such as the kidney.

These problems or issues are often related to future learning, behavior and health problems that last lifetimes (higher risk of dropping out of school, higher levels of delinquency, lower paying jobs, medications, etc.) and affect not only the health and well-being of the individuals directly affected, but the broader society.

This is why over the past 40 years laws and regulations have been implemented aimed at limiting lead exposure. Paint and gasoline, for instance, no longer contain lead, and there are much more stringent standards regarding the amount of lead allowable in consumer products, plumbing products, and food and liquid containers.

The good news is that these efforts have paid off. The percentage of children five years old or younger with excessive blood lead levels (defined as levels greater than 10 micrograms per deciliter of blood back in the 1970s but now defined as greater than five micrograms per deciliter) has gone from nearly 90 percent in the 1970s to less than 10 percent today, according to the Environmental Protection Agency. Clearly, we can reduce or eliminate lead problems once we recognize it is an issue.

The bad news is that about 10 percent of all children in the U.S. may still have excessive blood lead levels.

But what about your kids? Are they part of that 10 percent?

To find out, you can begin by answering the following seven simple questions developed by the Georgia Department of Public Health's Healthy Homes and Lead Poisoning Prevention Program:

1. Does your child live in or often visit a house that may have been built before 1978?
2. Does your child live in or often visit a house built before 1978 that is being remodeled or is having paint removed?
3. Does your child live with or often visit another child that had or has an elevated blood lead level?
4. Does your child live with anyone that works at a job where lead may be found or has a hobby that uses lead?
5. Does your child chew on or eat non-food items like paint chips or dirt?
6. Does your child live near an active lead smelter, battery recycling plant or other industry likely to release lead?
7. Does your child receive medicines such as greta, azarcon, kohl or pay-loo-ah?

If you have one or more "yes" or "I don't know" answers out of these seven questions, the health department recommends that you get your child's blood tested immediately. Medicaid and most private health insurance cover these tests, so contact your doctor or local health department right away.

Again, we can do something about limiting the impact lead can have on our health and the health of our children, who are the most vulnerable. And it's easy. But it all starts with talking and asking a few questions.



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UGA names new area onion agent at Vidalia Onion and Vegetable Research Center

By **Clint Thompson**

Chris Tyson, a University of Georgia Cooperative Extension agent for more than 10 years, has been named the new area onion agent at the Vidalia Onion and Vegetable Research Center in Southeast Georgia.

The Vidalia Onion and Vegetable Research Center, located between Reidsville and Lyons in Toombs County, is home to specialized onion research conducted by researchers in the UGA College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences.

Tyson has worked in onion research alongside past area agents Reid Torrance and Cliff Riner while serving as a UGA Extension agriculture and natural resources agent in nearby Tattnall County.

Tyson will continue the onion research being conducted at the Vidalia Onion and Vegetable Research Center, working with industry leaders to evaluate new varieties being released and sharing updates with growers.

"A lot of that foundation in research has already been laid for me. One of my biggest responsibilities will be managing the official Vidalia onion variety trial, which evaluates onion varieties each year for yield and grade and flavor. We're responsible for making a recommendation on which onions should be called Vidalia onions and which ones don't make the cut," Tyson said. "It's very exciting to be able to have this opportunity. I don't take it lightly because it's a critical position in Georgia. I look forward to trying to help the growers and work with the growers and the industry to continue to move forward and make sure we have sweet onions in Georgia."

Tyson also will collaborate with CAES scientists, including UGA Extension weed scientist Stanley Culpeper on herbicide research and UGA vegetable specialists Tim Coolong and Andre da Silva on fertility issues.

"Andre and I and some of the other county agents hope to do a research trial this year where we look at nitrogen management on some newer onion varieties," he said. "We think we can reduce nitrogen use on some of the newer varieties and still make good onions. If we



UGA photo

Chris Tyson

can reduce it to some degree, that's good for everybody involved."

Georgia onion producers started the planting season in early November, but due to heavy rains this fall, some growers are behind, according to Tyson. The extremely wet conditions have kept farmers out of the field, and planting could be stretched into January this season, he said.

Onions account for 13 percent of Georgia's vegetable crop. In 2017, the farm gate value for onions was \$140.6 million, according to the UGA Center for Agribusiness and Economic Development. The Southeast Georgia counties of Tattnall and Toombs have the largest share of Georgia's farm gate value for onions, with \$50.8 million and \$46.8 million, respectively.

To learn more about onion production, see UGA Extension Bulletin 1198, titled "Onion Production Guide," at extension.uga.edu/publications.

-Clint Thompson is a news editor with the University of Georgia College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences based in Tifton.

January is National Radon Action Month

By **Merritt Melancon**

Not many people think about the dangers of radon, but the radioactive element causes more than 800 deaths a year in Georgia.

Radon occurs naturally in Georgia's granite bedrock and can leach into homes without warning. This presents a hidden danger, as radon exposure is the second-leading cause of lung cancer in the U.S., according to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

University of Georgia Cooperative Extension Radon Educator Derek Cooper is working to shine a light on this invisible hazard with the university's Georgia Radon Program. January — National Radon Action Month — is a great time for Georgians to take steps to protect their families against the threat.

"Families have a lot to think about, and I know radon isn't always at the top of the list," Cooper said. "The beginning of the year is a good time to take a moment to make sure your family's home is safe. Testing for radon can save a life, and it's quick and easy."

UGA Extension offers a low-cost service for those who need to test their home for radon and can provide resources for those who find high levels of the gas in their home.

There are ways of removing radon from a home, but homeowners won't know to take action unless they test, Cooper said.

What is radon and where does it come from?

Radon gas is essentially broken-down uranium that is present in Georgia's granite bedrock. It can seep into homes through their foundations or through well water. It is odorless, tasteless, colorless and virtually undetectable without a test. The gas can collect in homes during the winter months when weatherproofing seals air indoors, but it's a threat year-round.

Homes of all ages and sizes are vulnerable to radon, but risk varies depending on the area of the state. Homes in the northern half of the state, for instance, are at greater risk of having elevated radon levels due to

higher amounts of granite bedrock in that region. About 46.6 percent of homes tested in Haralson County had elevated radon levels — the highest rates in the state.

In addition to Haralson, Barrow, Butts, Douglas, Fannin, Gilmer, Hall, Jackson, Lumpkin, Union and Walton counties are the counties with the highest percentage of elevated radon levels in the state, according to tests conducted through UGA Extension.

To learn more about household radon and to order a \$13 radon test visit www.fcs.uga.edu/extension/home-radon or contact a local UGA Extension Office at 1-800-Ask-UGA1. During January, Georgians can get a discount of \$3 off the \$13 price of a test kit when they enter the code NRAM2019.

-Merritt Melancon is a news editor with the University of Georgia College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences.



The second leading cause of lung cancer in the United States, radon is an odorless, invisible, tasteless radioactive gas released by the natural decay of uranium in soils and rocks. University of Georgia Cooperative Extension offers a low-cost service for those who need to test their home for radon.

Chapparal horse trailer, two horse, bumper pull; excellent condition; \$3250. Bryan Hancock **Lawrenceville** 770-289-2086

Good used Western saddles: Dakota, Dixie Roper, Billy Cook, Simco, 15"-17", some no name: \$150-\$500. Willie Coggins **Flowery Branch** 770-500-9318

Horse hay round bale feeder ring, used, good shape; \$75. Melanie Heard **Tignall** 706-359-6973

Horse trailer: Featherlite 4HGL, all aluminum, 52" short-wall dressing room, like new. Larry Wilson **Grovetown** 706-651-9505

Silver show saddle and bridle; \$1,200. Grooming items, bits, leg wraps and stable blankets. Patti McLeroy **Kathleen** tmcleroy@windstream.net 478-987-0019

Wanted: Small horse, broke to harness and saddle for grandchildren. Paul Anderson **Millen** 912-863-6144

Boarding Facilities

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers must submit a current stable license in order to advertise boarding and breeding facilities. Ads submitted without this information will not be published. For questions regarding licenses and applications, call 404-656-3713.

Full care paddock board. Individualized grain meals, hands on. Owner on property: \$250-\$350/month. Annetta Coleman **Suches** 678-936-8087

Horse boarding, 5 acre pasture, dry lot, run-in shelter, padded stalls, round pen, wash rack, secure tack room. Dan Smith **Mccaysville** 706-492-3399

Pasture to full-care facilities, barn with 10 stables, riding trails available: first 6 months, \$125/\$350. Allen Sibley **Woodbury** 404-434-8081 770-584-6245

Poultry/Fowl For Sale

If you have any questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Mallard ducks must be at least three generations removed from the wild before they can be advertised. Advertisers must include this information in ads, or they will not be published.

10 Barred Rock and Road Island Red Roosters for sale: \$15 each. Cody Guyton **Gainesville** 678-617-1036

12 varieties peafowl: game chickens, redquill, warhorse, minor blue mugs, orangequill, pumpkin hulse, grey hatch, brown reds, kelso splash. Ray Watts **Macon** 478-361-3468

18-24 m/o laying hens, approx. 250-300, Hyline, Golden Comet; \$3 each, 50 minimum. Jeffrey Anthony **Stockbridge** 678-358-8937

2 bronze hens and 1 tom, born in April. Ty & AJ Hayes **Tallapoosa** 404-567-1192

2 incubators holds 41 eggs, automatic egg turners; \$50 each. Jerry Atkins **Dublin** 478-279-1163

5 turkeys; \$50 each. 7 ducks; \$15 each. 3 Appleyard; \$60. Ernest Presley **Macon** 478-284-9265

Baby chicks. American Dominique, Rhode Island Red and Buff Orpington. Pure breeds. Monte Poitevint **Lakeland** 229-482-3854

Barred rocks, Rhode Island whites, 8 w/o: \$5 each. Black copper maran roosters, \$15 each. Clayton Johnson **Jasper** 706-253-2258

Black Copper Maran chickens, 6-9 months old; \$10 each. 3-6 months old; \$5 each. Tanya Moore **Williamson** 770-228-9752

Blues, Murphy Hatch. Ronald L Shepard **Fortson** 706-317-9924

Breeding age peahens: 1 Cameo & 1 IB BS split bronze. All laid last year. Mary Clark **Newborn** paints200@aol.com 770-919-7759

Chicks sexed and unsexed; ducks, baby and adult, assorted breeds; also, Ayam Cemani. Sherry Amerson - White **Augusta** blackberrycreekminifarm@gmail.com 706-833-5535

Chinese Weeder Geese, mature adults; 7 females and 2 males: \$30 each. Silas Frantz **Cleveland** 706-865-0998

English Lavender Orpingtons, one rooster and four hens; \$85. Lamar Page **Fairmount** 678-986-4153

For Sale: Sebright Bantam Chickens. William Nesbitt **Smyrna** 770-432-3406 678-467-4484

Golden Comet laying hens, 2 y/o; no calls after 8 pm. Kenneth Cook **Dallas** 770-231-4632

Guinea keets in assorted colors available from late May thru October. NPIP certified. Flint River Guinea. Angelique Weldon **Thomaston** 706-741-2904

Heritage breed turkeys, 2 weeks old, parents free range woods; \$20. Don Meyer **Stockbridge** e@peacockhill.com 770-860-8989

Male peacock, 3 y/o; 1 male peacock, 2 y/o. Call before 9 p.m. Jack Wheeler **Covington** twowheeler@mindspring.com 770-787-1814

Muscovy ducks and Rhode Island Red hens for sale. Neetee Persaud **Dacula** 678-863-6921

Peking ducks. Large. Good for eating and eggs. \$13.00 each. Text/call. Jennifer Sandjaja **Milledgeville** 478-206-7957 478-251-9260

Pigeons: Hubbell White Kings, White Carneau from Palmetto Pigeon Plant Stock.Young Breeders. Jerry Williamson **Dexter** 478-290-1122

Pigeons: white rollers, Turner rollers, colored rollers and white homers; \$20/pair. Wyatt Johnson **Midville** 478-494-3240

Pullets: Rhode Island Red, Golden Comets and Black Sex link. Quality birds. Brian Sturdy **Dahlonaga** 706-865-9201

Registered black Angus bull, DOB: 6/14, Sire= CR Total Package 0121, calves on site; \$2200, 30 mile delivery. Gloria Malcom **Social Circle** 770-464-4303

Silver Sebrights from show stock: \$50/pair. Clarence Whatley 114 L St Nw **Thomaston** 30286 706-647-5122

Poultry/Fowl Requiring Permit/License

If you have questions regarding this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers selling wood ducks must submit a USDA permit with their ad. Ads for wood ducks that do not have this permit will not be published.

For information on these permits, call the US Fish & Wildlife Service Atlanta office at 404-679-7319. Advertisers selling quail must be accompanied by a copy of the commercial quail breeder's license. Ads for quail that do not have this license will not be published. For information on these licenses, call the Georgia Department of Natural Resources Wildlife Resources Division at 770-918-6401. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the permit/license needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the permit/license can be attached using the attachments button.

Bobwhite/Coturnix quail eggs: \$90/100; \$170/500; \$320/1000. Willie Strickland **Pooler** 912-748-5769

Poultry/Fowl Wanted

Looking for any type of free ducks, chickens, turkeys and geese. Billy Montgomery **Homer** 678-591-6410

Want Mallard drakes for pets. Any age. No texts. Moses Campbell **Mcdonough** 770-274-9093

Wanted: blue slate turkey hens, to buy or trade. Annette Combs **Hephzibah** 706-871-2656

Wanted: Peahen in Madison area. Philip Wood **Madison** 706-342-5977

ALTERNATIVE LIVESTOCK

If you have questions regarding this category, call 404-656-3722.

Bison for sale. All ages. Vet checked and wormed. Prices vary by age. Andrew Rodriguez **Greensboro** 678-777-7990

Alternative Livestock Requiring Permit/License

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

Advertisers selling fallow deer, axis deer, sika deer, elk, red deer, reindeer and caribou must submit a current deer farming license with their ads. Ads submitted without this license will not be published. If you are faxing or mailing in an ad, the license needs to be sent along with it. For ads submitted online, the license can be attached using the attachments button. For information about the deer farming license, contact the Georgia Department of Agriculture at 404-656-3667. For information on other hoofed stock, excluding llamas and buffalo, contact the Georgia Department of Natural Resources at 770-761-3044.

LIVESTOCK WANTED

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

ISO fairly young cows, culls or minor issues, breed doesn't matter. Call or text. Philip **Sumner** 229-319-6862

LIVESTOCK HANDLING

If you have questions regarding ads in this category, call 404-656-3722.

14 ft. cattle trailer, old but useable: \$500. Al Morgan **Oxford** 770-787-0161

1996 Gore 3 horse slant trailer dressing room. Ramp/gooseneck. Great condition. Drop down windows. \$9800. Ron Morris **Brunswick** 912-230-0800 912-230-3857

1998 16ft Supreme cattle trailer, barn-kept with center gate; \$2500. Lee Roy Shepherd **Taylorville** 404-379-4180

24ft CM brand aluminum stock trailer, brand new, never used: \$15,500. Charles Mathis **Nicholson** 404-317-6173

Alleys, tubs/sweeps, bow gates, bud boxes, complete systems custom-made, delivered and set up. Randy Floyd **Hartwell** 706-318-9468

Goat/cattle slide-in rack, fits 8' pick up bed. Great condition. 8' x 5' high. Alvah Adams **Byron** alvahadamsjr@aol.com 478-956-5843

RABBITS

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FEED, HAY AND GRAIN

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'35; 2018 4x5 bermuda, fescue, mixed grass, fertilized, barn stored, limed. Claude Harman **Greenville** 706-656-1992

'18 Tift 85, 4x5 net wrapped, horse and cow hay, UGA tested priced, according to quality; \$40-55. Nick Wingate **Waynesboro** 706-910-2184

'18 5x6 high quality netwrapped bermuda hay in barn: \$40. 500 bales available. Chuck Yawn **Hazlehurst** 912-209-1505

'18 Alicia bermuda hay, excellent quality square bales, UGA tested, 21% protein, 140.3 RFQ. Danny Fausett **Dawsonville** 706-974-5718 706-265-8432

'18 bermuda & bermuda/Bahia: 4x5 netwrapped, fertilized, weedfree, sheltered, never wet: \$40/\$45/bail. Delivery available. Jim Sibley **Woodbury** 404-434-8081

'18 bermuda Alicia, 4x5 rolls, net-wrapped, UGA tested for nutrients, covered. Delivery available. David Hardin **Fitzgerald** 229-425-8667

'18 Coastal Tift 85, JD 4x6 netwrapped tight, excellent quality: \$50. E. Brown **Avera** 706-831-3442

'18 Fescue/bermuda and mixed grasses, sq. bales, rain-free, barn-stored: \$6. Volume discount. Jim Robinson **Good Hope** 770-363-6406

'18 Fescue/mixed grass, 4x5 rolls, rain-free, in barn: \$38/\$45 ea. Cow/horse hay. Lg. qty. disc., delivery available 20 mi radius. William Carlyle **Pendergrass** 770-601-0125

'18 horse hay, 4x5 net-wrapped rolls: \$45; square bales, \$5; cow hay, \$35. RJ Campbell **Rockmart** 706-936-3294 770-686-9563

'18 horse quality Tift 44/Dallas grass mix, lg. square bales; \$7. Ralph W Mills **Gainesville** 770-536-8438

'18 Russell Bermuda cow hay, round bales, 100-plus bales: \$40 per bale. WT Davis **Haddock** 478-932-1020 478-951-9693

'18 Russell Bermudagrass, 4x5.5, fertilized, wrapped, sheltered, HQ, 200+ bales: \$60/bale; 10+ @ \$55; 20+ @ \$50/bale. Delivery negotiable. Wayne Pruitt **Statesboro** 912-682-4481

'18 Tift bermuda 44, horse quality, well fertilized and sprayed for weeds: \$5.00 per bale. Ken Owens **Monroe** 770-267-8759

100 4x4 rolls of hay, rained on, asking \$10 roll. Rodney Baggett **Dalton** 706-271-6261

'18 Russell Coastal bermuda, 4x5 netwrapped, high quality, fertilized and weed free. \$55 discount available. William Smith **Reidsville** 912-246-2500

20 round bales, 4x5 with fertilizer; \$50 each. Dupree & Co. Timothy Dupree **Sandersville** 478-232-7590

2018 4x5 rolls, bermuda/Fescue, limed, fertilized, sheltered, 24 bales; \$35 bale. Claude Harman **Greenville** 706-672-4717

2018 bermuda Fescue hay, horse quality; \$5 square bales, in barn. Nancy B Harris **Winder** 770-867-0733

2018 bermuda hay, 100 rolls available, well-fertilized, rain free, 4x5, netwrapped. Delivery available. Chris Creech **Collins** 912-213-0005

2018 bermuda-Fescue mixed: 4x5 rolls, fertilized, rain-free, in barn; \$40-\$50 per roll. Mike Keesee **Monroe** 470-899-9668

2018 bermuda/Fescue hay for sale, fertilized/net-wrapped; large quantity discount: \$30 for 4x6 rolls. Mark Shepherd **Rutledge** 706-318-2609

2018 bermuda/Fescue mixed, 4x5 rolls, fertilized, rain-free, in barn; \$40-\$50 per roll. Mike Keesee **Monroe** 470-899-9668

2018 Coastal bermuda hay, highly fertilized, weed free, rain free. Square bales; \$4.50. Rolls \$40 to \$45 each. Curtis Durden **Lyons** 912-245-1081

2018 Coastal bermuda or rye grass. Horse quality, fertilized UGA soil/specs. Banded square/4x5 round bales. Round; \$25 and up. Olin Trammell **Forsyth** 478-960-7239 478-994-6463

2018 Coastal Bermuda, 4x5 bales, barn-kept, fertilized: \$45. Bahia, \$25. Stephen Bell **Milledgeville** 478-414-8043

2018 Coastal bermuda, 4x5 net-wrapped rolls and square bales, horse quality, fertilized/limed per UGA, delivery available. Mike Dubose **Junction City** 706-366-1665

2018 Coastal bermuda, horse-quality, fertilized, limed, net-wrapped, sheltered, 4x5 tight bales; \$60. Grace Brady **Hephzibah** 706-231-0985 706-231-8563

2018 Coastal bermuda/Fescue mix hay, square bales, rain-free: \$4. Patrick Broder **Stockbridge** 404-401-6134

2018 Coastal hay, 4'x6' large round bales, fertilized, excellent quality, RFQ tested, \$50. Rocky Yelton **Waynesboro** 706-551-1770

2018 cow hay bermuda mix. 4x5 rolls twine wrap; \$35/roll. Also mulch hay available. Jake Gower **Covington** 404-391-6182

2018 feed wheat and yellow feed corn. Excellent for feed or seed. Wheat germination is 93%. Robert Montgomery **Reynolds** 478-837-2356

2018 Fescue and mixed grass hay; \$4.50 per bale at barn. Wade Cown **Monroe** 770-207-6983

2018 Fescue mixed, 4x5, net-wrapped, in barn, fertilized and limed: \$40. Edward Holmes **Dallas** 404-372-7734

2018 Fescue-square bales, \$5/bale, horse-quality, stored in barn, sprayed and fertilized, Debbie Roseberry-Odom **Murrayville** 305-304-5878

2018 Fescue/bermuda mix hay, 4x5 net-wrapped rolls, fertilized, stored in barn. Glen Whitley **Bethlehem** 770-867-2718

2018 Fescue/bermuda mix hay, 4x5 net-wrapped rolls, fertilized, stored inside and outside. Glen Whitley **Bethlehem** 770-307-7098

2018 Fescue/bermuda mixed, horse-quality, net-wrapped; \$50-60/inside, \$35-40/outside. Coy Baker **Loganville** 770-466-4609

2018 Fescue/Orchard top quality hay, weed free, dry, in barn, \$4.50 per bale. Chris Donath **Ellijay** 706-636-5224

2018 good horse and cow hay, net-wrapped, 4x6 rolls; fertilized bermuda-Bahia, will load. No delivery. George Davis **Rutledge** 706-818-2025

2018 hay, Coastal Bermuda/Bahia, 4x5 net wrapped. RFQ tested. Field and barn stored. \$35-\$40. Phil Amos **Louisville** 706-260-8720

2018 High Quality well fertilized weed free. Tift 85 Hay Net wrapped in barn: \$40 for 10 or more. Delivery available. Square bales: \$5/bale. Tim Jarriel **Collins** 912-614-5595

2018 millet hay, 4x5: \$30. Bermuda, \$50. Jack Thompson **Senoia** 770-283-9345

2018 mixed bermuda hay and also ryegrass hay, 4x5 netwrapped and barn kept: \$35. Chad Duck **Braselton** 706-654-8605

2018 mixed grass hay, net-wrapped, fertilized: \$40 in barn, \$30-\$35 outside. Horace Pippin **Culloden** 770-358-0815

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2018 net-wrapped bermuda and Bahia mixed hay. Just cut. \$40 bales. Delivery available. Brad Macdonald **Waverly Hall** 770-826-8299 706-582-3530

2018 peanut hay, 4x6 rolls; \$40.00/roll at barn, delivery available. Glenn Brinson 1800 Corsey Grove Way **Tarrytown** 30470 912-288-5960

2018 quality hay, JD netwrapped, 1000 lb. rolls; \$50. 2017 hay, \$35 per roll. Jeff Bacon **Dudley** 478-875-3918 478-697-0485

2018 rain-free, barn-kept, horse/cow ryegrass hay, net-wrapped; \$50/roll. Brian Ogletree **Milner** 404-535-8511

2018 rolled Alicia hay, cow-feed quality; 100 plus rolls, 4ft. x 4ft; \$25/roll. Keith Yawn **Hazlehurst** 912-375-7743 912-539-0262

2018 round bale Coastal hay. 1000 lbs. average. \$45 a roll. Picked up at barn. Carmen Smith **Collins** 912-403-2215

2018 Russell bermuda, 4x5 net-wrapped, fertilized/weed-free: \$50 per roll. Andy Dykes **Reynolds** 478-235-0087

2018 square bales Bahia hay; \$4.50. Stored in barn. Good horse hay. Harry Hughes **Warm Springs** 706-655-2475

2018 TifQuik hay rolls, 4x5 net-wrapped; \$35, under shelter. \$30, in the field. Hank Mizell **Axson** 912-381-5783

2018 Tift 85/Alicia 4x5 rolls, well-fertilized and weed-free: \$40 in barn, \$35 in field. Stephen Wilson **Wray** 912-592-8655

4x5 large rolls hay: Fescue, \$35; bermuda, \$45; in barn, limed & fertilized, rain-free, will load. Darrell Mullins **Rutledge** 706-474-8345

4x5 net-wrapped 2017 Alicia bermuda hay; \$25. 2018 Alicia bermuda hay; \$35-45. Delivery available. David Clemens **Waynesboro** 706-466-2944

4x5 net-wrapped bales, Alicia hay, kept dry in barn, 200 rolls; \$40-\$50 each. Jerry South **Martin** 706-491-4006

4x5 netwrapped Fescue, fertilized, sprayed horse hay; \$45 per roll. 4x5 cow hay; \$35. Jack Jones **Dahlonega** 706-429-7130

4x5 rolls, mixed grass, good horse quality, inside. Joe Cronan **Mcdonough** 770-235-3586

4x5, inside, well-fertilized. George Eckerd **Lafayette** geck30728@yahoo.com 706-539-1512 423-488-0644

800+ Coastal bermuda bales. 4x5 rolls: cow hay, \$35; horse hay, \$55; peanut hay, \$40. We can deliver. Dannie Gingrich **Metter** 912-314-9568

Alfalfa sq. bales; \$10. Alfalfa rolls; \$75. Fescue/orchard rolls; \$45. Fescue/orchard sq. bales; \$5. Fescue rolls; \$30. Dale Hall **Calhoun** 706-506-0351

Bermuda hay round bales; \$50. Square bales; \$6. Delivery available. David Harden **Lafayette** 706-397-8347

Bermuda, \$6/bale. Fescue, \$5/bale. Randy Guillebeau **Monroe** 770-316-8715

Bermuda/Fescue mix, premium round rolls, stored dry, net wrapped, excellent quality: horse, \$50; cattle, \$35. Sherrel Astin **Villa Rica** 30180 678-794-0880

Cattle hay; 4x5 net rolls, stored on pallets, under cover. UGA 101-110 RFQ, \$40. Loring Heard **Washington** 706-401-7441

Coastal bermuda mix hay, 4x4 rolls stored outside: 2018 hay, \$25/roll; 2017 hay, \$15/roll. Andre Barlow **Grantville** 706-302-7658

Fescue hay, 4x5 rolls, fertilized, stored dry: \$30 per roll. Goble **Calhoun** 770-548-4410

Fescue mixed round bales, 4x5: \$35 under tarp, \$45 in barn. Steve Arnold **Nicholson** 706-207-4356

Good mixed grass hay; in the barn, this season square bales; \$6 per bale. James Draper **Bethlehem** 770-601-0816

Hay for sale, mixed grass; \$25 per roll. Fred Evans **Rocky Face** 423-364-8335

Hay rolls: 4x4, \$30; 4x5, \$40. Discount for more than 10. You pick up. Kim Berry **Monticello** 770-789-2826

Horse or cow, quality square bales of Bahai, Bermuda and mixed grasses. Barn stored. \$5.00 a bale. Wilson Phelps **Greensboro** 706-347-0492

Large bales Fescue hay, kept dry; \$6 per bale. Graham Lenore **Murrayville** 770-654-2737

Mixed grass hay, weed and rain free. 4x5 rolls; \$25.00/roll. Sam Steele **El-laville** 478-244-8426

Oats for sale. Lesley Giesbrecht **Dahlonega** 478-494-2944

Orchard grass or Fescue hay, 4x5 rolls, fertilized/sprayed, rain free; \$45. Square bales, \$6. Delivery available. William Gilstrap **Dahlonega** 706-300-6592

Premium 2018 Tifton 44 bermuda, horse quality, fertilized, weed/crabgrass free, 4x5 roll: \$75. Bermuda mix, \$45; barn-stored. Tim Hunter **Conyers** 770-483-8712 770-331-7749

Quality 2018 coastal bermuda, 4x5.5, net-wrapped bales. \$45 per bale. Quantity discounts and delivery available. Chad Hendrix **Collins** 912-237-3430

Russell hay, 4x5 rolls, horse quality, weed free, UGA tested. 2018 cut; \$50 per roll. 2017 cut; \$35 per roll. Lonnie Mckinney **Cordele** 229-947-2878

Rye grass square bales, 150 available; \$6 each. Kenneth Dean **Madison** 706-206-8736

Tift 44 Bermuda square bales, horse quality, dry, in barn; \$6 per bale. Paige Bullock **Dallas** 770-402-2421

Tift 44 hay square bales, excellent horse quality: \$6 per bale. Dry and in barn. Paige Bullock **Dallas** 770-445-2107

Feed, Hay and Grain Wanted

'18 Bahiagrass, 4x5.5, fertilized, wrapped, sheltered, 75+ bales: \$50/bale; 10+@\$45; 20+@\$40/bale. Delivery negotiable. Wayne Pruitt **Statesboro** 912-682-4481

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Cereal Rye seed, all in 2000 lb totes. Glynn Solomon **Montrose** 478-697-1502

Ole timey Cayenne, yellow Cayenne, Rooster Spur, Peter Pepper; 25 seeds: \$2/pack plus SASE. Terry Madaris 2017 Cloud Springs Rd **Rossville** 30741

Ag Plants for Sale

Chinquapin trees, 1 y/o bare root seedlings: 5 for \$38. Charles Adams 4880 Lakeland Dr **Marietta** 30068 678-313-1873

Fig cuttings (Brown Turkey) 4 for \$10.00, FREE shipping. www.MuscadinesAndMore.com. Hans Gruetzenbach **Dalton** 706-483-4221

Figs, three varieties; mulberries, \$5; self-pollinating Issai kiwi, \$6; dewberries, \$2; much more, no shipping. Carla Houghton **Marietta** 770-428-2227

Free 4" tall Magnolia plants, You dig, 9-12 seedlings. Walter M Moon **Loganville** 770-979-1596

Pecan seedlings, growing in three gallon pots. 1 year native Persimmon seedlings, packages of 10. Jimmy Crum **Bainbridge** 229-220-3907 229-220-5226

Ag Seed/Plants Wanted

Huckleberry bushes to plant in NW Ga area. Jeff Wigley **Marietta** 770-206-0794

Want jujubi Chinese date seedlings or planting seed. Please write. Jerry M Lowe Po Box 1132 **Dallas** 30132

Want old-time redhull pea seed, 8-12"+ long peas, will pay shipping or come pick up. B Pittman **Gibson** 706-871-6141

FLOWERS AND ORNAMENTALS FOR SALE

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4" perennials, 350 varieties, all \$1.50 each including helleborus. Also 1 gal. grafted Japanese maples, \$20-\$25. Display garden. Selah Ahlstrom **Jackson** 770-775-4967

Boxwoods; nice, dark green, 18" to 5' in ground, help dig, few small in pots. Robert L Crowder 1970 Chipleay Hwy **Greenville** 30222 706-663-8276

Leyland Cypress, Murray Cypress, 2 to 5 ft tall, 3 gal. pots, single stem; \$7 to \$10. Bob Welch **Ranger** 706-629-2332

Red Castor Bean seeds, 20/\$3 OR 100/\$10. Send cash/SASE. J. Shelnut P.O. Box 1212 **Loganville** 30052

Flowers and Ornamentals Wanted

Looking for old-fashioned tall Snow-On-the-Mountain seed. Linnie Reaves **Smyrna** 678-305-2065

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1 gallon cans, canning dry goods/food, #10 metal, new, unused, 105 oz, lids available: \$5. Hugh Morris **Byron** 478-956-3438

19.5 CF white, black trim side-by-side bridge, ice maker, water. Call for details. Carl Taylor **Meansville** 404-408-8466

2004 F-250 pickup, 5.4 gas, automatic with dump bed: \$2950. 2001 F-250 super duty, 8 ft. bed, 5.4 gas: \$1000. Mark Blank **Dawsonville** 770-905-6235

21 bridge timbers, 8"x13"x11"; will separate: \$100 ea. or all for \$1,000. You haul. Suzanne Broussard **Plains** 770-778-8682

4 large dock floats, \$400. Large rocks, assorted sizes. David Powell 675 Brookwood Dr **Monticello** 31064 706-476-0637

55 y/o 60-gallon syrup boiler. great condition; \$450, cash only. Stephen L. Smith **Reidsville** 404-714-8220

Antique Briggs & Stratton, 1 hp 5s engine. Has been stored in barn, not ran in several years. Made in 1951, complete; \$40. David Combs **Jefferson** 706-367-4107

Antique farm equipment: Mule-drawn stalk cutter, 3 pt. hitch hay rake, 6-row John Blue duster, 100 y/o house. Paul Saxon **Woodland** 256-449-6281

Anvil, 165 lbs, one horn; \$390. Audley Jarvis **Vienna** 229-268-6283

Farm 911 Signs-Farm Safety and Emergency Signage. An information source for greater peace of mind. Website: farm911signs.com Daren Sue Truex **Cumming** 678-628-6767

Fisher Grandpa heater with bear feet and some extras. \$450. James Lester **Gainesville** 678-316-3814

FREE Honda rototiller. Model FR600. Running when parked. James Turnipseed **Powder Springs** 770-943-3880

Log splitter with 205cc Briggs & Stratton motor, 30" x3 3/4" cylinder: \$800. Sam Larimer **Barnesville** 770-358-3564

Need approx. 40 planed walnut boards. Perry Waits **Monroe** 770-267-0443

Oak firewood, split, stacked, covered. Priced right. You haul. Please leave message. Julius Akins **Dalton** 706-517-5777

Pumps, 10 hp and 30 hp, 3-phase power station, 10-310 GP@120 PSI, on-demand system, exc. condition: \$4250. John **Ball Ground** 770-289-8665

Restored 1951 Chevrolet 2-door Deluxe, all original, 35K miles, sale or trade with title, garaged. Clyde Parker **Chatsworth** 706-847-8517

Tractor service and shop manual; \$25 and up. Danny R Manning **Cochran** 478-230-2635

Two 100 lb LP tanks, like new condition: \$75 each. Also three 30 lb tanks. Larry Dove Po Box 61 **Franklin Springs** 30639 706-498-3438

Wagon wheels available. Larry Wilson **Grovetown** 706-651-9505

Wooden 5-shelf cabinet with glass door and bottom storage with wooden doors. Excellent condition. Mike Huckeba **Whitesburg** 770-371-2148

Zebco rod and reel, model 33, 44, 733. Corn sheller. Saw; 1 man, 2 man. Hubert Arnold 169 Ridge Dr **Jeffersonville** 31044 478-945-3910

Miscellaneous Wanted

Catawba worm tree seedlings, 2-3 feet, only need 6-8. Robert Ford **Madison** 678-725-9464

ISO a grain silo, 100 miles from Troup County, 9 tons; \$300-\$1000. Bobby Yarbrough **Lagrange** 706-884-1873 706-402-3840

Wanted cedar lumber or log. George Terrell **Stockbridge** 678-782-5833

Working or non working chicken brooder tops. Old signs and cool antique barn farm junk. Craig Walker **Cleveland** 770-294-5920

Bees, Honey & Supplies

10-8-5 frame equipment, beekeeping supplies, nucs, classes, wildflower honey. Swarm capture: Buford, Flowery Branch, Oakwood, Suwanee/Winder/Commerce. Harold Lanier **Commerce** harold@lanierbeebarn.com 678-471-7758

10-frame bee hive, \$85, 5-frame bee hive, NUCs, \$65. No bees. Also make inner covers/supers/Top Bar Bee Hive/inside feeder. Eliseo Delia **Mineral Bluff** 706-492-5119

5-frame nucs available middle April. \$160. Locally grown and mite treated. Trent Smith **Toccoa** trentsmith330@gmail.com 864-723-4065

Albany/SW Georgia complete bee removal, also hornets, wasps, yellow jackets. Licensed and insured. Dale Richter **Leesburg** 229-886-7663

Augusta region honey. 2018 quarts; \$12. Pints; \$7. 5 gallon, pails 200. 2017 5 gallon pails; \$150. Tim Batchelor **Appling** 706-270-4139

Bee removal, work guaranteed; Metro Atlanta and West Georgia areas. W.O. Canady **Villa Rica** 770-942-3887

Bees, honey and queens. www.jarrett-bees.com. Slade Jarrett **Baldwin** 706-677-2854

Fresh, unprocessed honey: quart, \$14; pint, \$8; 8oz bear, \$5. Jimmy Brown **Jackson** 770-775-0157

Taking orders for Italian 3lb packages and 5F NUCS, quantities limited. Cypress beekeeping equipment in stock. Bill Posey **Cartersville** 770-595-9332

Will pick up swarms, remove from structures and remove unwanted bee equipment. Derry Oliver **Commerce** 706-335-7226

Things To Eat

2018 Desirable Pecans; \$11/lb + postage. Will crack, shell, separate your pecans; \$.50 cents/lb. Russell Eaton **Stockbridge** 770-506-2727

2018 Large Papershell Pecans in 10 lb. and 25 lb. bags.\$2.50 per lb. C.J. Orchards, Inc. **Rutledge** 706-318-9462

2018 pecan halves and pieces; \$10 per lb. plus shipping via PayPal. Carol Hege 6530 Ga Highway 56 **Millen** 30442 478-290-2600

2018 pecans, in the shell, Stuarts; \$6/lb. + shipping. Charles T Sawyer **Mount Airy** 706-768-4776

2018 pecans, shelled and cleaned, ready for freezer: \$9 per lb. Peggy Griffin **Clarksville** 706-768-8417

All-natural black Angus beef; sold whole, half or quarter; grass-fed, grain-finished. David Sharpton **Commerce** 770-596-3538

Grain-finished Angus beef, quarter or side, cut, wrapped to your order: \$3.50/lb hanging weight. Jason Cox **Social Circle** 404-925-5412

Marview Farms provides grassfed and pasturized beef, pork, lamb and goat, Free-range eggs and chickens! MarviewFarms.com. Fernando Mendez **Arabi** 786-210-6544

Pecan halves or pieces; \$9/pound. Hand cleaned. Top grade. Dennis Martin 530 Tanners Bridge Rd Nw **Monroe** 30656 martinsbackacres@gmail.com 404-234-6038

Sugarcane syrup, no additives, no preservatives. 25.4 oz; \$9.00. 12.7 oz; \$6.00. Organic Sugarcane syrup 12.7 oz; \$10.00. Mickey Morris **Odum** mick-eyfarm@windstream.net 912-586-2241

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Soybean/Small Grain Expo
Georgia National Fairgrounds and
Agricenter
401 Larry Walker Parkway
Perry, Ga. 31069
706.542.3793
- Jan. 31**
2019 Georgia Ag Forecast Series
Decatur County Extension Office
101-B Ag Lane
Bainbridge, Ga. 39817
706.542.5046
agforecast.caes.uga.edu
- Feb. 1**
2019 Georgia Ag Forecast Series
UGA Tifton Campus Conference
Center
15 RDC Road
Tifton, Ga. 31794
706.542.5046
agforecast.caes.uga.edu
- Feb. 1-2**
Georgia Young Farmers State
Convention
Augusta Marriott at the Convention
Center
2 10th St.
Augusta, Ga. 30901
- Feb. 4-5**
2019 Georgia Wine Producers
Conference
Chateau Elan Winery & Resort
100 Rue Charlemagne
Braselton, Ga. 30517
www.georgiawineproducers.org
- Feb. 5**
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Beef on Your Farm
Edwards Park Community Center
115 Edwards Park
Dalton, Ga. 30721
706.278.8207
roger.gates@uga.edu
- Feb. 7**
North Georgia Prescribed Fire Council
Meeting
Chattahoochee Technical College
100 Campus Drive
Jasper, Ga. 30143
http://www.garxfire.com/events.htm
- Feb. 8-9**
2019 Georgia Organics Conference
UGA Tifton Campus Conference
Center
15 RDC Road
Tifton, Ga. 31794
georgiaorganics.org

- Feb. 9**
Georgia Grown Village at
Whiskey, Wine and Wildlife
Jekyll Island Beach Village & Village
Green
Jekyll Island, Ga. 31527
www.whiskeywineandwildlife.com
- Feb. 12-14**
International Poultry Expo
Georgia World Congress Center
285 Andrew Young International Blvd.
NW
Atlanta, Ga. 30313
www.exphour.com/international-poultry-expo
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Fabrication Demonstration
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Rock Spring, Ga. 30739
706.278.8207
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Georgia National Rodeo
Georgia National Fairgrounds and
Agricenter
401 Larry Walker Parkway
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www.georgianationalrodeo.com
- Feb. 26**
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Gordon County Ag Service Center
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Calhoun, Ga. 30701
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Fresh clean red pine straw installed
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erton** 30457 aikenyaun@gmail.com
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Buckeyes; \$5.25/dozen. Instructions
included, please include postage. Jules
Simmons **Smoke Rise** 828-226-4700

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Approx 10 ac. in Clarke County avail-
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equipment available. Frank Fleming
Athens 706-202-0533

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Markets may use this category to
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Out-Of-State Wanted

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Firewood must be cut from the ad-
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for sale.

Dry yellow pine kindling, cut in
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\$0.20 cents per lb. Henry Beckworth
Mitchell 706-598-2106

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Flowers **Decatur** 770-987-9622

Free oak firewood, four oak trees on
the ground. Easy access, you cut to
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Call for prices. Union City area. Robert
Hottle **Atlanta** 404-344-0568 404-344-
0568

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Jesse H Arnett **Tifton** 229-382-6517

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FULL cord. \$175. Near 100% hickory.
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Canton 770-720-6718

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Seasoned oak firewood, \$190/cord,
\$90 half cord. Delivery available. James
Sells **Monroe** 678-425-7543

Seasoned oak: \$110/half cord. Hickory
BBQ wood: \$75/quarter cord. Fatlight-
er sticks: \$10/bundle. Delivery avail-
able. Bob Lewis **Fayetteville** 770-461-
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Split oak, hickory; \$180 a cord/\$90 a
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CORRECTIONS

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Handicraft ads are limited to 30
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U Gaines **Elberton** 706-283-2487

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half apron converts to bonnet, barbecue
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3 for \$18. Margaret Hottle 4220 Union
Rd Sw **Atlanta** 30349 404-344-0568
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770-725-2554

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program at 770-918-6411.

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loid grass carp must submit a cur-
rent Wild Animal License from the
Georgia Department of Natural Re-
sources. Ads submitted without this
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Available live in summer months; frozen
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Bream, Channel Catfish fingerlings,
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ledge** 706-342-5667

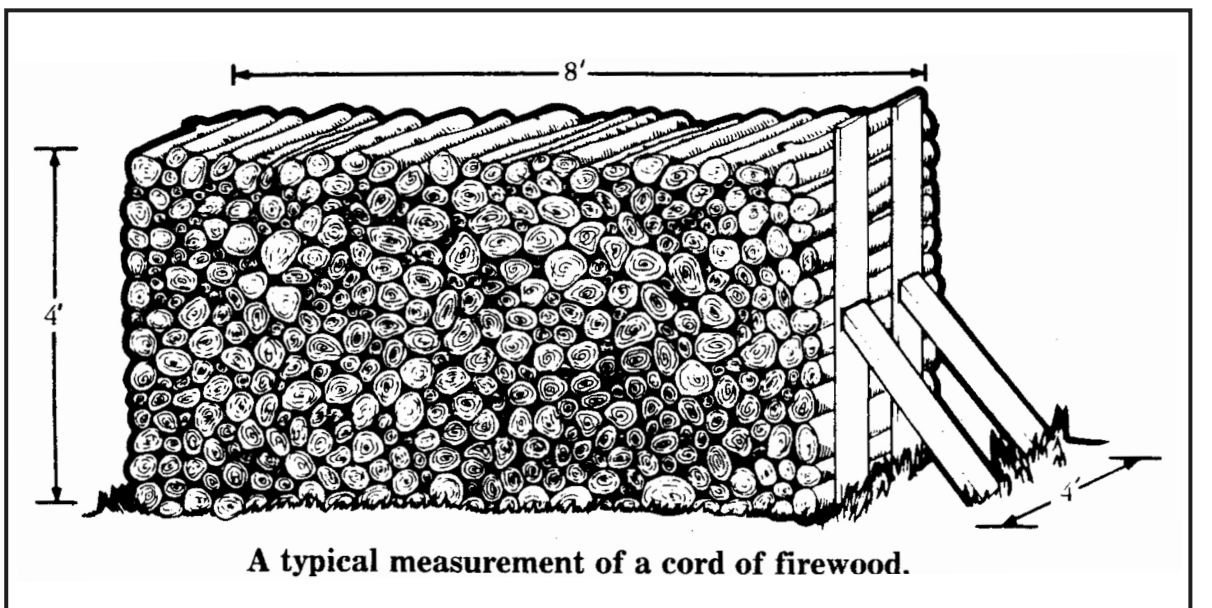
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2018 Mulch Hay, \$50/roll at barn, de-
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Charlene Cook **Fort Valley** 478-825-
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Chicken litter for sale. You haul. Can
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A cord is defined as 128 cubic feet of wood stacked by the line or row in a compact manner with individual pieces touching; it can be four feet high, four feet wide (deep), and eight feet long, or any combination of these measurements (height, width and length) that yields 128 cubic feet.

Partial shutdown of federal government forces USDA to curtail services

WASHINGTON, D.C. – The lapse in federal funding for Fiscal Year 2019 is affecting certain services and programs of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Certain USDA activities remain active because they are related to law enforcement, the protection of life and property, or are financed through available funding (such as through mandatory appropriations, multi-year discretionary funding, or user fees).

During the first week of the shutdown, 62 percent of USDA employees were either exempted or excepted from shutdown activities. That percentage will decrease as the shutdown continues, and activities will be reduced as available funding decreases.

USDA activities **continuing** beyond Jan. 1, 2019 include:

- Meat, poultry, and processed egg inspection services.
- Grain and other commodity inspection, weighing, grading, and IT support services funded by user fees.
- Inspections for import and export activities to prevent the introduction and dissemination of pests into and out of the U.S., including inspections from Hawaii and Puerto Rico to the mainland.
- Forest Service law enforcement, emergency and natural disaster response, and national defense preparedness efforts.
- Continuity and maintenance of some research measurements and research-related infrastructure, such as germplasm, seed storage, and greenhouses.
- Care for animals, plants, and associated infrastructure to preserve agricultural research and to comply with the Wild Horses and Burros statute.
- Eligible households will still receive monthly Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) benefits through February.
- Most other domestic nutrition assistance programs, such as the Commodity Supplemental Food Program, WIC, and the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations, can continue to operate at the state and local level with any funding and commodity resources that remain available. Additional federal funds will not be provided during the period of the lapse; however, deliveries of already-purchased commodities will continue.
- The Child Nutrition Programs, including School Lunch, School Breakfast, Child and Adult Care Feeding, Summer Food Service and Special Milk will continue operations into February. Meal providers are paid on a reimbursement basis 30 days after the end of the service month.
- Minimal administrative and management support, including to excepted IT systems and contracts, will be maintained to support the above activities.
- Natural Resources Conservation Service offices will remain open to support conservation technical and financial assistance (such as Environmental Quality Incentives

Program and easement programs).

- Market Facilitation Program payments for producers that have already certified production with the Farm Service Agency.
- Trade mitigation purchases made by USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service.
- Agricultural export credit and other agricultural trade development and monitoring activities.
- USDA's Market News Service, which provides market information to the agricultural industry.

USDA activities which **will not continue** during the shutdown include:

- USDA Farm Service Agency county offices closed at the end of business on Dec. 28, 2018.
- Provision of new rural development loans and grants for housing, community facilities, utilities and businesses.
- Recreation sites across the U.S. National Forest System, unless they are operated by external parties under a recreational special use permit, will be closed. While technically closed, many will still be physically accessible to visitors at their own risk, but without staffing at ranger stations and without access to facilities such as public restrooms.
- New timber sales.
- Most forest fuels reduction activities in and around communities.
- NASS statistics, World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates report, and other agricultural economic and statistical reports and projections.
- Assistance for the control of some plant and animal pests and diseases unless funded by cooperators or other non-appropriated sources.
- Research facilities except for the care for animals, plants and associated infrastructure to preserve agricultural research.
- Provision of new grants or processing of payments for existing grants to support research, education, and extension.
- ERS Commodity Outlook Reports, Data Products, research reports, staff analysis, and projections. The ERS public website was taken offline.
- Most departmental management, administrative and oversight functions, including civil rights, human resources, financial management, audit, investigative, legal and information technology activities.
- Mandatory Audits (Financial Statements, FISMA, and potentially Improper Payments) will be suspended and may not be completed and released on the date mandated by law.

For more information, visit <https://www.usda.gov/sites/default/files/documents/usda-shutdown-plan-summary-3.pdf>.

In addition, you may view a list of shutdown plans by USDA agency and office.

TOP 5 STORIES: GDA wins award

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The GDA welcomed Superintendent Veterinary Inspector Ann Scanlon and Dairy Controls and Export Certifier Damien O'Meara from AFM in the exchange. The two have extensive background knowledge of Ireland's meat industry and spent a week helping to broaden and share best practices with the GDA. Their visit to Georgia included meeting state and federal officials at the GDA in Atlanta, touring laboratories, shellfish facilities, dairy farms and milking plants, and a sheep processing facility.

The importance of an integrated food safety system means taking an international approach to enhancing food safety for consumers on every continent. With the conclusion of the exchange program, the GDA and AFM plan to continue building and maintaining interagency collaboration. The two organizations hope to generate national and international awareness by sharing the successes and cooperative learning experiences gleaned from the program.

3. Georgia investigates E. coli contamination of romaine lettuce.

In three outbreaks in 2018, romaine lettuce was named as the source of nearly 300 infections that sent 128 people to the hospital with six deaths. Both U.S. and Canadian food safety experts named romaine as the culprit, with romaine products pulled from retail shelves as recently as the day before Thanksgiving – but no official recalls were ever issued.

The first outbreak was declared “over” in the U.S. in late January 2018. Leafy greens were not officially identified as the problem here in the U.S. (but were in Canada). The second outbreak came in the spring of 2018 with a warning to the public from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and U.S. Food & Drug Administration to avoid romaine from the Yuma, Ariz., growing region.

In April, here in Georgia, illness cases from a restaurant chain were reported to the Cobb Douglas Health Department. Those customers reported eating romaine and were ultimately linked to the outbreak. Information gathered from the restaurant was utilized by the GDA to traceback to a distributor, which confirmed a connection to the Yuma growing region. Information from Georgia was shared with the CDC and FDA.

In total, Georgia had seven cases included in the multi-state outbreak. Two of those Georgia patients developed hemolytic uremic syndrome, which is a serious complication of contracting an E. coli O157:H7 infection.

Federal investigations into the two later outbreaks found the outbreak strain of E. coli in canal water in the Yuma growing region and in the sediment of an irrigation reservoir.

4. Georgia investigates Salmonella in kratom.

After a 41-state outbreak of Salmonella infections were linked to kratom products

last year, FDA issued a report stating, “Kratom is not legally marketed in the U.S. as a drug or dietary supplement. Kratom is an opioid, is addictive and has been linked to severe health consequences and deaths among users.”

Here in Georgia, we had three confirmed cases of Salmonella illnesses linked to the multi-state outbreak. The Georgia Department of Public Health led the investigation, with one on-site visit to a smoke shop selling kratom products. In the overall public health investigation, 74 percent of the 103 people interviewed said they consumed kratom via pills, powder or made into a tea. Products were purchased in retail stores and online.

By the end of the outbreak, 199 people in 41 states were reported with Salmonella-related illnesses, including at least 50 hospitalizations, all tied to various kratom products. The FDA closed its investigation in July, concluding “anyone consuming kratom may be placing themselves at a significant risk of being exposed to Salmonella.” Kratom has no proven medical uses, and the public is strongly advised not to consume any kratom-containing products.

5. Georgia receives the 2018 Elliot O. Grosvenor Food Safety Award.

The Elliot O. Grosvenor Food Safety Award was created to recognize leaders who best showcase improvement, innovation or sustained high performance within a food safety program. A food safety program could include responsibility for: food safety, food protection and food defense or food sanitation.

Each year, the Association of Food and Drug Officials seeks nominations from throughout the food safety community and convenes an independent panel of food safety experts from academia, industry and the regulatory community to select the winners. Nominations are evaluated based on proven achievements that further food safety breakthroughs, systems improvements, education and training, and community outreach.

The GDA was found to “exemplify the spirit of advancing a nationally integrated food safety system” by maintaining conformance with the Manufactured Food Regulatory Program Standards and providing the FDA the foundation to improve the quality of contracts, coordination of inspections, investigations and enforcement to effectively and efficiently protect public health.

“By using the standards as a road-map, the GDA has made tremendous strides in building a high quality regulatory program that is organized, focused and accountable. GDA continues to build capacity and maintain the foundational core necessary to sustain a robust integrated system by relying on mutual reliance tactics that protect public health,” the association said in a press release in June.

2019 Market Bulletin Advertising Deadlines

Issue Date	Special Ad Categories	Deadline
Jan 2, 2019	Farm Services; Farm Services Wanted	Dec. 19, 2018
Jan. 16	Handicrafts	Jan. 2, 2019
Jan. 30	Farmland Rent/Lease; Farmland Rent/Lease Wanted	Jan. 16
Feb. 13	Farm Services; Farm Services Wanted; Handicrafts	Jan. 30
Feb. 27	Farmland Rent/Lease; Farmland Rent/Lease Wanted	Feb. 13
March 13	Farm Services; Farm Services Wanted; Handicrafts	Feb. 27
March 27	Farmland Rent/Lease; Farmland Rent/Lease Wanted	March 13



As part of an international exchange, inspectors from Ireland's Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine visited the GDA to learn about food safety practices. From left: Dale Crammond, Counsellor Agriculture and Food Embassy of Ireland; Ann Scanlon, Superintendent Veterinary Inspector for DFA; Agriculture Commissioner Gary Black; Damien O'Meara, Dairy Controls and Export Certification for DFA, and Shane Stephens, Ireland's Consul General with the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade.

Snow, hurricane among Georgia's biggest climate events in 2018

By Pam Knox

Georgia experienced many different weather and climate patterns in 2018. Five stand out for their impacts on the state.

1. Snowy January

Two snowstorms affected parts of Georgia in January 2018. Early in the month, snow fell in a swath across South Georgia, bringing 3.0 inches to Alma (the first snow ever on that date, and the second-highest daily snowfall on any date) and 1.2 inches to Savannah on Jan. 3. This was Savannah's highest snow since 3.2 inches fell on Dec. 23, 1989. On Jan. 17, another storm brought snow to northern parts of the state, with Athens receiving 1.1 inches, Atlanta receiving 2.4 inches, Columbus receiving 2.0 inches and Macon receiving 1.0 inches, all record snowfalls in those areas for that date.

2. Record-setting warmth in February setting up for March frost

The month of February set new records for heat around the state with every National Weather Service station reporting a temperature at least nine degrees warmer than normal. Numerous daily high-temperature records were set during the month. The warm temperatures caused an early break in dormancy in flowering trees and shrubs, including some fruit trees and early blueberries. When colder temperatures returned in March, frost nipped blooming plants, resulting in reduced yields in some blueberry plants and peach trees for a second straight year.

3. Near-record wet year

Above-normal precipitation fell in most months of the year, resulting in annual totals which are expected to be in the top-five wettest years on record for most weather stations in Georgia. The associated wet soils, cloudy conditions and high humidity caused nighttime temperatures to be much warmer than normal and contributed to record-setting strings of days with high dew-point temperatures. Athens set a record for 19 consecutive days

of measurable precipitation from May 15 to June 2. The wet conditions delayed spring planting and also delayed fall harvest in many locations across the state.

4. Hot early fall

A strong high-pressure system centered over the Southeast from late August to mid-October caused record-setting high temperatures, as well as a string of dry days across the region. The dryness and heat led to moderate drought conditions across eastern parts of Georgia by mid-September. The dry conditions, which were experienced over about 9 percent of the state, lasted until early December and interfered with the establishment of winter grains and pastures, but provided some temporary relief from the wet soil caused by excessive rain earlier in the year.

5. Hurricane Michael and the tropical season

Georgia was slightly impacted by the indirect effects of Subtropical Storm Alberto in June, Tropical Storm Gordon in early September and Hurricane Florence in mid-September, as each of these storms grazed the state, bringing moderate rainfall to some areas. By far the biggest impact during the tropical season came from Hurricane Michael, which traversed from the southwest corner of the state northeast to Augusta



The view from a cotton picker of Hurricane Michael's damage to a Hawkinsville cotton field. There was as much cotton on the ground as on the plants.

Amy Carter/GDA

on Oct. 10-11. A wind gust of 115 mph was recorded at Donaldsonville by a University of Georgia weather station and the storm was still at hurricane force south of Macon. While several inches of rain fell in some locations, extreme winds caused a 25-mile-wide swath of tornado-force damage from Georgia's southwest corner all the way to Albany. The impact on agriculture was severe since the storm hit just as cotton and pecan harvests were underway. Estimated losses to agricultural crops and timber topped \$3.4 billion.

-Pam Knox serves as University of Georgia Agricultural Climatologist with UGA Department of Crop and Soil Science.

USDA extends application deadline for trade aid

Washington, D.C. – U.S. Secretary of Agriculture Sonny Perdue on Jan. 8 extended the deadline for agricultural producers to apply for payments under the Market Facilitation Program as provided by the trade mitigation program administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The original deadline was Jan. 15, 2019, but farmers have been unable to apply for the program since the lapse in federal funding caused the closure of USDA Farm Service Agency offices at the end of business on Dec. 28, 2018.

Secretary Perdue issued the following statement:

"President Trump instructed me, as Secretary of Agriculture, to craft a program that would protect farmers from unjustified retaliatory tariffs from foreign nations. As part of that package, the Market Facilitation Program has been making payments directly to farmers who have suffered trade damage. Using existing funds, we were able to keep FSA offices open as long as possible, but unfortunately had to close them when funding ran out.

"We will therefore extend the application deadline for a period of time equal to the number of business days FSA offices were closed, once the government shutdown ends. Farmers who have already applied for the program and certified their 2018 production have continued to receive payments. Meanwhile, I continue to urge members of Congress to redouble their efforts to pass an appropriations bill that President Trump will sign and end the lapse in funding so that we may again provide full services to our farmers and ranchers."

See page 11 for more information about the impact the shutdown is having on services normally provided to farmers by the USDA.

Farmers Under 40: Cason Anderson

Farm: CCA Pecan
Hometown: Kathleen
Age: 25

By Kendall McWilliams

Q: How did you get your start in farming?

A: I was always interested in tractors and heavy equipment as a child but being able to grow up on 50 acres allowed me to experiment and find out how much I loved working outdoors with dirt. Being a part of FFA and ag class as a student confirmed my interest also.

Q: What kind of farming do you primarily spend your time doing?

A: Growing pecans throughout Middle Georgia generates 100 percent of my income. After two hurricanes and a trade war that impacted pecans, I have strongly thought about diversifying with a seasonal farm market or second crop to grow and sell.

Q: How do you think being a young farmer affects you and your business?

A: Being a young farmer is fun but definitely a challenge. So many goals can be easily accomplished within the first five years. I remember when all I wanted when I started was an irrigated farm or a 100 horsepower cab tractor.

Q: What advantages and challenges come with being a first-generation farmer?

A: It's hard to say if advantages outweigh disadvantages



when you're a young farmer. Pros of being young is that we can see some of our land improvements pay off long term. I am young enough to benefit directly from planting pecan trees, but not old enough in the business to have the cash to do it large scale. Putting 20 percent down on a piece of land by

yourself is very hard. The biggest challenge when first starting is access to good land to rent or purchase. Eventually, as a young farmer, your business will expand. It's tough to take 300 acres of revenue one year and finance 500 acres of expenses the following.

Q: What is the best piece of advice someone has given you?

A: "Don't wish your life away" - my dad. When I first started farming I'd say, "I wish I had this certain piece of equipment," or "I wish I farmed here and there." The early years went by so fast, now I just sit back and try to truly enjoy what's going on with what we have.

Q: Who is your biggest role model in farming?

A: I have many role models in the middle Georgia farming community. Dennis James, Frank Bledsoe, Mike Jaros, Jim Parks, Trent Mason and Tom Cleveland have all inspired me somehow in my career.

Q: What are your hobbies and interests outside of farming?

A: When I'm not farming, I like to eat somewhere good and listen to live music. Floating the Ocmulgee River during the summer is always fun.

Q: What do you think is the most important thing that a young farmer should know?

A: A young farmer should learn everything they possibly can about what they grow. Show the others you are just as capable at growing a good crop as someone older. Keep a good banker, mechanic, dealership, employee, landlord and farm friend close by and good things will happen.

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