

# Farm Records Information on Farmers.gov

*Login to access farm records and maps*



A **farmers.gov** account gives producers one place to do business with USDA's Farm Service Agency and the Natural Resources Conservation Service, including accessing their farm records, maps and common land units. These features join several others already available through the farmers.gov authenticated site, including the ability to view farm loan information and manage conservation activities. As more content and capabilities are added, farmers.gov is quickly becoming the online hub for USDA customers to find resources, submit applications and assistance requests, and make connections.



## Farm Records Information

The Land tab on the farmers.gov portal enables individual producers to:

- View, print and export detailed farm records such as cropland, base acres, yields, CRP acres, land ownership details, and much more;
- View, print and export farm/tract maps that can be provided to lenders, chemical or fertilizer providers, the FSA for reporting acreage and crop insurance agents; and
- Export common land unit (field) boundaries as ESRI shapefiles.
- Import precision agriculture planting boundaries, create labels containing crop information, and print both on farm tract maps
- Use the draw tools to determine acres in a drawn area. The drawn area can be printed on a map and provided to a third party or exported as a feature file for use in other geospatial applications.
- Switch profiles to access and do business for your power of attorneys, business entities, and signature authorities

The ability to access these records on demand without a visit to the service center saves producers time and money. Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox and Microsoft Edge are the recommended browsers to access the feature.

## How to Access

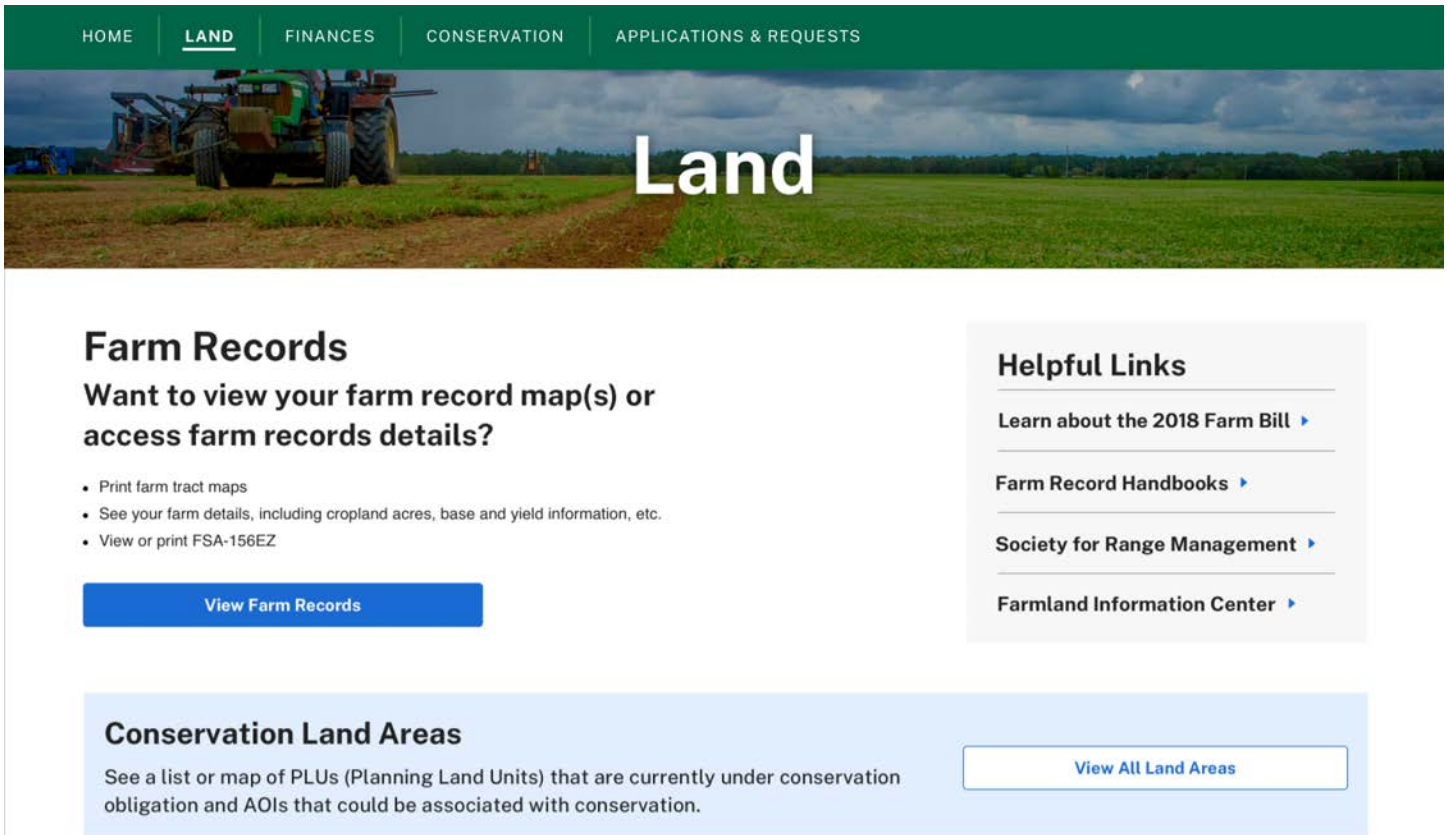


To access conservation information, visit **farmers.gov** and sign in to the site's authenticated portal, available on the menu at the top right of the site. To access, you will need a Level 2 USDA eAuthentication account.

If you do not have a Level 2 USDA eAuthentication account, sign up for one today. This account gets you access to your loan information and other self-service features available through the farmers.gov portal. To enroll, you will need to:

1. Contact your local service center to ensure you have a USDA customer record in Business Partner with a correct email address.
2. Go to the eAuth Account Registration page.
3. Select "Customer" on the registration page.
4. Enter your standard email address. You will receive an email from eAuth asking you to confirm your email address. Click the "Continue Registration" link in this email to continue the registration process.
5. Complete identity verification by using the online self-service identity verification method or by visiting a local registration authority at a USDA service center of office. A local registration authority is a USDA employee who verifies the identity of a customer in-person using their official government issued photo ID.
6. You're ready to login! For more in-depth instructions visit **farmers.gov/sign-in**.

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The screenshot shows the Farmers.gov website interface. At the top, there is a green navigation bar with the following tabs: HOME, LAND (which is underlined), FINANCES, CONSERVATION, and APPLICATIONS & REQUESTS. Below the navigation bar is a large banner image of a green tractor in a field with the word "Land" written in large white letters. The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column has a section titled "Farm Records" with the sub-heading "Want to view your farm record map(s) or access farm records details?". Below this are three bullet points: "Print farm tract maps", "See your farm details, including cropland acres, base and yield information, etc.", and "View or print FSA-156EZ". A blue button labeled "View Farm Records" is positioned below the list. The right column has a section titled "Helpful Links" with four links: "Learn about the 2018 Farm Bill", "Farm Record Handbooks", "Society for Range Management", and "Farmland Information Center". Below these columns is a light blue box titled "Conservation Land Areas" with the text "See a list or map of PLUs (Planning Land Units) that are currently under conservation obligation and AOIs that could be associated with conservation." and a button labeled "View All Land Areas".

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## More Information

USDA is building **farmers.gov** for farmers, by farmers. In addition to the self-service features available by logging into farmers.gov, the website also has ample information on USDA programs, including pandemic assistance, farm loans, disaster assistance, conservation programs and crop insurance. Recently, USDA updated the navigation and organization of the site as well as added some new webpages, including Common Forms and Translations pages.



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