

BERKEIPEY COUNTY FARMLAND PROTECTION

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WHAT'S NEW WITH BCFP

At our January 2024 meeting, the Board voted to acquire three easements from our Fiscal Year 2025 funding pool, totaling over 230 acres. We are also working to close a full easement donation of 100 acres this year. The Board has one more easement to close from 2023.

Our spring monitoring season is in full swing. We love visiting all of our unique properties. We have even gotten to see EMU on a farm this year! The diversity

of agriculture in our county is a beautiful thing, and we hope to continue to see it grow.

Staff will be at the Roundhouse's Earth Day event on April 20th, so be sure to stop by and see all the great vendors that will be there.

Don't forget to follow us on social media!



THANK YOU, MR. LANGDON!

THE BOARD AND STAFF WANT TO GIVE A GIANT SHOUT OUT TO MR. BRAD LANGDON FOR HIS 7 1/2 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE BERKELEY COUNTY FARMLAND PROTECTION BOARD. WE ARE FOREVER GRATEFUL FOR ALL THAT YOU HAVE HELPED US ACHIEVE!

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

NEW APPLICATION DEADLINE! Applications will only be accepted until

***** 30 SEPTEMBER

- We will begin accepting applications for the next year in June.
- The only signs allowed on Easements, including temporary signs, are those advertising a farm business or activity, no trespassing signs, or a for sale sign. There are also size restrictions so please review your Deed or feel free to ask for clarification.
- Dumping or storage of trash is prohibited under the Deed of Conservation Easement.
- We are always here to answer any questions, so please reach out at any time if you ever have any!

CLICK HERE FOR OUR INTERACTIVE MAP



Update to our interactive map that we introduced last newsletter:

now shows what type of farm our easements are!

We have also included it on our website

Please check it out and let us know your feedback!



IN THE NEWS

The Berkeley County Commission passed a resolution re-affirming support of Farmland Protection, with the approaching 25 year anniversary of the enabling state code next year. You can read more about it here:

https://www.journal-news.net