Carroll County Forage List  
June 2015

We encourage you to receive the Forage List by Email  
Send an email to ag@carrollbiz.org with your name and address to receive an electronic version.

Announcements
Please remember that all changes and updates to the Forage List listing are the responsibility of the producer/owner. Please email changes or updates to ag@carrollbiz.org by the 15th of the month in order to have the listing in the next issued Forage List. Or call 410-386-2070 ext. 2209

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2015 North American Manure Expo: Manure Than You Can Handle
The 2015 Manure Expo is coming to Chambersburg, PA on July 14th and 15th.
The goal of the Manure Expo is to bring farmers, certified haulers, researchers, extension educators, government agency personnel, and equipment dealers to share their knowledge around this important part of agriculture. With farm tours, educational sessions, and equipment demonstrations, it will be “manure than you can handle!” This year’s Expo site will be located on Ingram Drive, just off of Route 81 in Chambersburg. The event is free but registration is required! Visit http://www.manureexpo.org/ for more information

Conservation Compliance with Local Farm Service Agency & USDA
If you receive crop insurance premium supports from USDA, the 2014 Farm Bill requires you to file a conservation compliance form with your local USDA service center by June 1 to remain eligible for this service. Most farmers already have such a form on file because it’s required for participation in most USDA programs. But some farmers, like specialty crop growers, who receive federal crop insurance premium supports, but might not participate in other USDA programs, now must file a certification form by June 1 to maintain eligibility for crop insurance premium support. The form is known as AD-1026 and can be found online www.fsa.usda.gov.

July 15th Deadline For Crop/Acreage Reporting to Farm Service Agency
Please visit your local FSA before July 15th to report your spring-seeded crops and CRP. The annual, timely and accurate reporting of acres for all crops and land uses, including failed acreage, can prevent loss of benefits for a variety of Farm Service Agency programs.

The Carroll County 4-H and FFA Fair is August 1st – 8th
Mark your calendars for the Carroll County Fair and be sure to check the website for updates and events calendar. http://www.carrollcountyfair.com/index.asp
USDA Now Accepting Proposals for the 2016 Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP)

RCPP empowers local conservation partners to work together with multiple partners, farmers and forestland owners to design solutions that work best for them. $235 million in new funding is now available to improve the nation’s water quality, combat drought, enhance soil health, support wildlife habitat and protect agricultural viability through RCPP. Pre-Proposals are due by July 8th. For more information visit: http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/national/programs/farmbill/rcpp/

Producers Wanted for Carroll County Grown Program

Carroll County Grown is a program that encourages Carroll businesses and restaurants to source locally from Carroll County farms and producers.

We are seeking producers who would be interested in selling to local restaurants/businesses. Please email Diana Hare at dhare@carrollbiz.org if you are interested in participating.

Coastal Sunbelt Is Looking To Buy Local!

Coastal Sunbelt Produce Company is a mid-Atlantic produce and dairy distributor out of Howard County, MD. We’ve been here for almost 20 years. We are committed to increasing our local/regional produce and dairy buying from farmers in the area. And we want to establish buying relationships that work for and are tailored to each particular farm.

We have a diverse set of customers up and down the East Coast that want local products: restaurants, schools, hospitals, other distributors, retail chains just to name a few. And we’ve got trucks that run daily all over the area to pick-up product.

No farm is too big or too small. No order is too big or too small. If you’re interested in working with us, or just want more information, please call Katie Baehr, Coastal Local Farm Buyer, at 301.617.4343 or kbaehr@coastalsunbelt.com.

BROWN MARMORATED STINK BUGS WANTED!

The University of Maryland, Dively Lab is in need of adult stink bugs for research projects.

If you have a large stink bug population in your home/office/school, our lab would appreciate you capturing the little invaders. Just scoop them into the container of your choice, throw a piece of apple inside for food, and poke some holes in the lid.

Just make sure not to throw them together in confined spaces like ziplock bags. They will ‘stink’ each other to death!

Please contact Dr. Galen Dively by email (galen@umd.edu) or call (202-812-9828) if you can collect at least 50 stink bugs into a container. We can arrange to pick up the containers at a location convenient for you.

The Maryland Department of Agriculture Is Looking for Farm Photos

The MDA is looking for Ag photos to promote Maryland Agriculture on Social Media. If you have any great farm photos you would like to pass along, please email them in a separate email to shelby.watson@maryland.gov with the email subject line of “Farm Photos”, and include the following information:

- What the photo features
- Where it was taken: Farm Name & County
  (Or location name if applicable, like "County Fair, 4H Center, etc.)
- When it was taken
- Who took it

Please note- You must be the owner of the photo you are sending in, and have the rights to send it to us. The use of copyrighted photos is not permitted. Please note that by sending the photos in you are giving us permission to use them.
SELLING all types of hay in all size bales. Delivery available. James W. Brathuhn, Jr. Hay & Straw; 1517 Brodie Road, Hampstead, MD 21074 (H) 410-374-0075

KEYMAR
SELLING timothy and orchard grass hay in small square bales, 4’ x 5’ and 4’ x 4’ round bales. Keyterra Farm, Jeff T. Bruchey, 6450 Middleburg Road. Keymar, MD 21757 Email: keyterratransport@gmail.com (Bus.) 301-748-5135 (H/Fax) 410-775-2723

MOUNT AIRY
SELLING orchard grass hay. Small square bales and 4’ x 5’ net-wrapped round bales. Delivery available. Back Acres, Doug Full, 3946 Twin Arch Road, Mt. Airy, MD 21771 (Bus.) 240-674-7623 (H) 301-829-2702 Email: Fullday1@aol.com

NEW WINDSOR
SELLING all types of hay and straw for cattle and horses. Farmers Co-op feeds for horses and all other animals. Delivery available. On-site trailer storage available. Condon Farms, John D. Condon, 3811 Franklinville Road, New Windsor, MD 21776 (Bus.) 410-857-0530 Email: johncondon2008@comcast.net

SYKESVILLE
SELLING all types of hay and straw. Blue Seal, Nutrena and custom feeds. Delivery available. D.L. Farms, Dianna L. Stafford. 6930 Sykesville Road, Sykesville, MD 21784 (Bus.) 443-277-5308 Email: dls924@hotmail.com

SELLING rye and wheat straw, alfalfa and alfalfa grass mixed hay. All small square bales. Andrew Enterprises, Andrew Schneider, 7429 Gaither Road, Sykesville, MD 21784 (Bus.) 410-952-2933

TANEYTOWN
SELLING Certified Organic and non-certified organic orchard grass, timothy, mixed and ladino clover hay. Available in small square bales, round bales and haylage. Call for pricing and additional information. The Hay Lady, LindaNeal, 2716 Bear Run Road, Taneytown, MD 21787 (H) 410-259-6885

WESTMINSTER
BUYING straw. SELLING quality orchard grass hay. Small square bales and 4’ x 4’ round bales. All barn stored. SELLING small square bales of straw. Delivery possible. Wee Farm, Marc C. Alexander, 1953 Old Taneytown Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (Bus.) 410-857-3546 (Cell) 443-289-1231

SELLING all types of hay and straw. Also Blue Seal, Nutrena and custom feeds. Delivery available. D.L. Farms, David Leister, Sr., 932 Old Manchester Road, Westminster, MD 21157 (Bus.) 443-277-5308 Email: dls924@hotmail.com

SELLING mixed orchard grass hay. 40 lb. square bales. Market price. Picked up at the farm. Frock Farm, Daniel S. Frock, 1448 Baugher Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (H) 410-848-7708
SELLING timothy, orchard grass and clover hay. Square and round bales available. SELLING 40 lb. bags of chopped ear corn. Pipe Creek Farm, John Chambers, 446 E. Saw Mill Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (Bus/H) 410-848-4193

SELLING alfalfa, meadow grass and timothy hay, large (3’ x 3’ x 7’) square bales. SELLING wheat straw, small square bales and large (3’ x 3’ x 7’) bales. Good quality. Shed kept. Delivery available. Whispering Pines Farm, Nelson Barnes, 2831 Old Washington Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (Cell) 410-259-6741 (H) 410-848-3615

SELLING timothy hay. 1st cutting. Small square bales. Good quality. SELLING timothy and/or orchard grass hay. 1st cutting, net-wrapped round bales (4’ x 5’). SELLING straw. John Rawlings, 703 Cherrytown Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (H) 410-857-0361

SELLING alfalfa hay. Small square bales (50 lbs); 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th cutting. SELLING timothy hay. Small square bales (50lbs.), 1st cutting. SELLING wheat and barley straw. Delivery available on all. John and Jeanne Sussman, 1717 Nelson Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (Bus./H) 410-848-2543

SELLING alfalfa, timothy and orchard grass hay -- mixed or straight – for horses and cattle. Round bales and square bales. All cuttings priced accordingly. Delivery possible. Heritage Hills Farm. Daniel B. Strickler, 542 Roops Mill Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (B) 410-635-2481

SELLING alfalfa, timothy, and orchard grass hay. You MAKE and TAKE it. Priced by amount harvested. Contact: Heritage Hills Farm. Daniel B. Strickler, 542 Roops Mill Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (B) 410-635-2481, 410-627-0456

SELLING alfalfa and orchard grass hay. 4’ x 5’ round bales. Stored inside. Delivery available. Hopeful Acres, Carol J. Garcia, 1215 Deer Park Road, Westminster, MD 21157 (Bus.) 410-876-1457

WOODBINE

SELLING timothy and orchard grass hay (1st and 2nd cuttings) and straw – all in small square bales. SELLING orchard grass hay -- round bales. Delivery available. Twin Pond Farm, John P. Harrison, 6580 Day View Drive, Woodbine, MD 21747 (Bus.) 443-375-2814 (H/ Fax) 410-552-0498

Alternative Fertilizer

Biosolids. Free alternative to commercial fertilizer. The City of Westminster Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) generates over 4,500 tons of biosolids annually. The city will supply all funding necessary for soil analysis, permitting, transportation and application. For more information, 410-848-4380.

AGGRAND Natural and Organic Liquid Fertilizer (4-3-3), Natural Liquid Lime, Liquid Natural Bonemeal (0-12-0) and Natural and Organic Liquid Kelp and Sulfate of Potash (0-0-8). Aera-vator seeder and roller service offered. Greenfield’s AGGRand Organic Fertilizing, David W. Richards, Jr., 4969 Wentz Road, Manchester, MD 21102 (Bus.) 443-375-1119 (H) 410-239-1319
Email: davidrichardsjr@gmail.com.

Synagro is looking for farmers interested in biosolids as a fertilizer source. 100% free program with soil sampling and NMP’s. For more information, call Jeremy Bertier at 410-808-1322 or 443-375-2905. Email: jbertier@synagro.com. Website: www.synagro.com.

Custom Farm Work – Excavating – Manure Hauling – Nutrient Management

Custom hay making, rotary mowing, flat bed services and livestock transportation. Keyterra Farm, Jeff T. Bruchey, 6450 Middleburg Road. Keymar, MD 21757 Email: keyterratransport@gmail.com (Bus.) 301-748-5135 (H/Fax) 410-775-2723

Custom farm work. D.L. Farms, David Leister, Sr., 932 Old Manchester Road, Westminster, MD 21157 (Bus.) 443-277-5308 Email: dls924@hotmail.com
Custom wrapping for balage. Custom excavation and land management services including soil conservation, drain tile, waterways, hedgerow maintenance, fine grading and loader work, stream restoration and dump truck services. Twin Springs Farm, Martin P. Hill, 4100 East Main Street, Lineboro, MD 21088 (Bus.) 443-463-2217 (H) 410-239-7689 (Fax) 410-239-0356 Email: mphill@hdgllc.net

Custom hay making, rotary mowing, hauling and truck and equipment sales and service. Custom built bodies. Swaploader hook lift systems. Thieman lift gate systems. Bruce Witte, 6417 Davis Road, Mt. Airy, MD 21771 (Bus.) 301-829-0271 (Fax) 301-829-1732 Email: brucenwitteinc@aol.com Website: www.brucewitte.com

Custom excavating services including soil conservation practices, building pads, clearing, pond work and more. Over 25 years experience with references available. Leppo Excavating, LLC; James D. Leppo, 2808 Birdview Road, Westminster, MD 21157 (Bus.) 410-984-4553 (H) 410-857-7528

Custom excavating services including drain tile, waterway construction, soil conservation practices and general excavating. Condon’s Excavating, Michael Condon, 1600 Wakefield Valley Road, New Windsor, MD 21776 (Bus.) 443-277-1428 (H) 410-775-2441

Excavation services provided for any type of grading, land clearing, road building, NRCS and FSA work, barn and shed pads or any other dirt-related project you would like to have done. Green’s Excavation, Inc.; Chris Green, 3295 Lee Ann Drive, Mt. Airy, MD 21771 (Bus.) 410-382-3945 (H) 410-635-8969 (Fax) 410-635-8969

Custom excavation work including dozer grading, hydroteeding, sodding, erosion control, waterway construction, fence row clearing, stone road construction and brush clearing. Run of the Mill Farm, William Harrison and Sons, 6901 Eden Mill Road, Woodbine, MD 21797 (Bus.) 410-795-0753

Custom liquid manure hauling services, horse manure management and nutrient management consultant. Houle 7300 gallon high flotation spreader with No-Till injectors. Also capable of surface application for hay and small grain. MDA Licensed and certified. MDA cost share funds available for no-till injection. Enviro-Organic Technologies, Phil Snader, Vice President, 2323 Marston Road, New Windsor, MD 21776. (Bus.) 410-635-3179 Email: phil.enviro_organic@verizon.net

Custom farm services including round baling, forage harvesting (chopping) and silage bagging with an 8 foot bagger. Jack Kahler, (Cell) 443-392-2853 (H) 410-775-7195

Custom hauling of dirt, stone, rip-rap, firewood, ag lime, asphalt millings, blacktop, mulch, sawdust, etc. Keith Caple, (Bus.) 410-900-0084.

Custom farm services including wet lime spreading, haymaking, self-propelled bale wagon service, portable on-site seed cleaning, planting, combining and rotary mowing. John P. Harrison Farm Services, LLC, 6580 Day View Drive, Woodbine, MD 21797 (Cell) 443-375-2814

Custom farm work including chopping, combining, planting, baling and lime spreading. Pheasant Echo’s Farm, Barney Stambaugh, 524 S. Frizzellburg Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (Cell) 410-984-0502 (H) 410-775-2964 (Fax) 410-848-4848

Manure pickup for all domestic animals. Queen Acres Farm, James L. and Sharon L. Osborn, 510 Bucher John Road, Keymar, MD 21757 (Bus). 410-775-2420 (Cell) 410-274-6265 Fax 410-775-7473 Email: littlebrown cows@hotmail.com

Custom wrapping for balage. Skip Roach (Bus) 410-848-2531 or 410-984-5553

Custom baling of hay and straw—3’ x 3’ square bales. Contact Gary and Crystal Dell. 410-984-1723 / 443-277-3116

Custom grain handling and farm services-- Grain marketing and storage (also grain hauling), custom lime spreading and hauling, custom farming, and rotary mowing. Contact Dell Bros. at 410-848-7340 / 410-984-1723 / 410-984-5692

Custom baling -- 4’ x 4’ x 8’ bales. Goodwill Farm, Parker J. Smith, 2426 Old New Windsor Pike, New Windsor, MD 21776 (Bus.) 410-259-6789 (H) 410-751-9412
Custom towing and transport. We specialize in farm equipment. West Carroll, Towing and Transport, Danny W. Knox, P. O. Box 27, Taneytown, MD 21787 (Cell) 443-289-5583 (H) 410-259-7340

Accepting manure, spoiled hay bales and produce, stumps and brush, concrete debris, blacktop debris and clean wood debris. Offering recycled materials including RC6 and screened millings. Delivery and hauling available. Twin Springs Recycling Facility, Craig Hollinger, 5369 North Church Street, Lineboro, MD 21088 (B) 410-374-6999, (Cell) 443-974-5642 (Fax) 410-374-6899

Custom Welding: Repair of farm and construction equipment, gates, fabrication of personal items etc. Mason-Dixon Welding and Fabrication. Manchester, MD 21102 (cell) 443-375-0930

**Farm Equipment**

SELLING Ford 700 grain truck, gas engine with dump body, paint and tires good, $3,500. **4 row wide corn head**, fits Gleaner Combine, well-used, priced accordingly. **6600 Ford Tractor**, wide front, A/C cab, dual power with new tires, $10,000. Allan Davidson, 1769 Old Westminster Pike, Westminster, MD 21157 (H) 410-848-7050

SELLING (and renting) 40’ – 48’ box trailers. Delivered to your site. Wee Farm, Marc Alexander, 1953 Old Taneytown Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (B) 410-857-3546 (Cell) 443-289-1231

REPAIRING combines, tractors and other agricultural equipment. Taylor Barnes, Taylor’s Ag Service, LLC; 2301 Frizzellburg Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (Cell) 443-277-1479

**Custom Land Surveying**

Custom land surveying services including property surveys, property line stake out, feasibility studies, civil engineering (farm ponds), wetlands, forest conservation, Health Department issues and building permits. BPR, Inc.; Randy Bachtel, 150 Airport Drive, Unit 4, Westminster, MD 21157. (Bus.) 410-857-9030 Email: rbachtel@bpsurveying.com

**Livestock Bedding**

SELLING shavings and sawdust. Bulk or bagged. D.L. Farms, Dianna Stafford, 6930 Sykesville Road, Sykesville, MD 21784 or David Leister, Sr.; 932 Old Manchester Road, Westminster, MD 21157 (Bus.) 443-277-5308 Email: dls924@hotmail.com

SELLING sawdust and shavings. Delivery available. Condon Farms, John D. Condon, 3811 Franklinville Road, New Windsor, MD 21776 (Bus.) 410-857-0530 Email: johncondon2008@comcast.net.

SELLING: Granulated paper bedding. Bagged or bulk. Picked up or delivered. Queen Acres Farm, James L. and Sharon L. Osborn, 510 Bucher John Road, Keymar, MD 21757 (Bus.) 410-775-2420 (Cell) 410-274-6265 (Fax) 410-775-7473 Email: littlebrownncows@hotmail.com

SELLING wood shavings. Clean, kiln dried. Bulk or bagged. Delivery available. John P. Harrison Farm Services, LLC; 6580 Day View Drive, Woodbine, MD 21797 (Cell) 443-375-2814

SELLING paper bedding. 2” x 2” pieces or less. Delivered in bulk on large walking floor trailers. Good for open pens or bedded pack. Paper contains a slight gypsum residue as it comes from drywall recycling. Price is $2 per cubic yard (approx. $180 load) plus delivery. Don Hess, Gypsum Agri-Cycle Inc. (Bus.) 717-426-1990 Email: info@gypsumagri-cycle.com Website: www.gypsumagri-cycle.com

**Seed Dealers**

Kings Agriseeds. High quality forage and grass seeds. Barenbrug and DLF Grasses, Masters Choice seed corn, Alta Sorgum Sudans and Kingfisher alfalfas as well as many options for cover crops. Jeffrey Fritz, 500 Jasontown Road, Westminster, MD 21158 (Cell) 443-277-8489, (H) 410-871-4074 Email: fritzj29@gmail.com
Doebler’s. Hybrid seed corn, soybeans, alfalfa, forage grass and clover. Debra Brauning, 749 Harney Road, Littlestown, PA. 17340 (B) 443-277-0801 (H) 717-359-8906 Email: debrajbrauning@aol.com

Regularly Scheduled Farm Auctions and Annual Sales

Westminster Livestock Auction & Auction Services, Earl and Victoria Gouker, 1661 Old Westminster Pike, Westminster, MD 21158
Physical address of auction house is 1117 Old New Windsor Pike, Westminster, MD 21157. (Office) 410-848-9820 (Earl’s cell) 443-506-5243 (Victoria’s cell) 443-277-7952 Email: neverdunfarm@msn.com

Weekly auctions
- **Monday**: Hay
- **Tuesday**: Large Livestock Auction. (Cows, pigs, lambs, goats, feeders, alpacas, and horses) Receiving 10:00 a.m. till 6:00 p.m. Sale starts at 5:00 p.m. (Contact staff to confirm times)
- **Thursday**: Consignment Sale – anything and everything from furniture and tools to produce, eggs, small livestock and other small animals. Receiving items from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sale starts at 5 p.m.

To receive this newsletter, please email the Carroll County Department of Economic Development at ag@carrollbiz.org and provide your email address as well as your name, farm name and address.

To place a free listing, please send the information requested below to Forage List, Carroll County Department of Economic Development, 225 N. Center St., Westminster, MD 21157. You may fax the information to 410-876-8471 or email it to ag@carrollbiz.org.

You must include the following:
- Forage/other item offered for sale or forage/other item you wish to buy. Note quantity, type of bale, size and weight of bale, quality, cutting, price, delivery availability and any other information you think would be helpful.
- Name, address and phone number (business, home and cell if desired) so that people may contact you.
- If you want to list a farm auction or other farm-related event, you must include the date, time, items featured and a telephone number where people may contact you for more information.
- Information must reach us no later than the 15th of the month to be included in the next month’s Forage List.

Information in this directory is provided by the farms and individuals listed. The Carroll County Department of Economic Development does not guarantee the accuracy of or endorse the business practices of any farms or individuals included. The Department reserves the right to edit listings where necessary.
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