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## Sussex County FSA Updates

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### Sussex County FSA Office

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### County Executive Director:

[Robin Talley \(Acting\)](#)

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[Jodi Elliott](#)

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[Jaime Argo](#)

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### County Committee:

Mark J Davis  
Matthew W Smith  
Clayton J Vincent  
Janice Arney, Advisor

### County Committee Election Workshops

We will be holding workshops on August 30th and September 15th at 2:00 pm to provide information on the County Committee Election process. Topics will include:

- the ballot and voting process.
- voter eligibility, how elections are held and votes tabulated.

For more information, please contact us or visit [www.fsa.usda.gov/elections](http://www.fsa.usda.gov/elections).

[FSA County Committee Works for You Webinar \(Recorded\)](#)

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### Dates to Remember

#### Sept 1

Deadline to apply for Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) coverage for hay

#### Sept 15

Deadline to apply for NAP coverage for spinach

#### Sept 30

Deadline to enroll for 2017 coverage in the Margin Protection Program for Dairy

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## Next County Committee Meeting:

August 25, 2016 @ 8:30

## Loan Officers:

[Colleen Reed](#)

302-856-3990 ext. 130

[Caitlin Sheffer](#)

302-856-3990 ext. 107

## Filing a Notice of Loss

The CCC-576, Notice of Loss, is used to report failed acreage and prevented planting and may be completed by any producer with an interest in the crop. Timely filing a Notice of Loss is required for all crops including grasses. For losses on crops covered by the Non-Insured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP), you must file a Notice of Loss in the FSA County Office within 15 days of the occurrence of the disaster or when losses become apparent or 15 calendar days after the normal harvest date.

Producers of hand-harvested crops must notify FSA of damage or loss within 72 hours of the date of damage or loss first becomes apparent. This notification can be provided by filing a CCC-576, email, fax or phone. Producers who notify the County Office by any method other than by filing the CCC-576 are still required to file a CCC-576, Notice of Loss, within the required 15 calendar days.

If filing for prevented planting, an acreage report and CCC-576 must be filed within 15 calendar days of the final planting date for the crop

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## Loan Servicing

There are options for Farm Service Agency loan customers during financial stress. If you are a borrower who is unable to make payments on a loan, contact your local FSA Farm Loan Manager to learn about the options available to you.

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