

AgriStability Coverage Notice Request Guide

This guide provides details about how to complete the Coverage Notice Request Form. You will use this form if you wish to receive a coverage notice for the 2026 program year. Alternatively, you can apply for your coverage notice online through AFSC Connect. Historical productive capacity information for existing AgriStability participants will be displayed making it easier for you to complete your request for a coverage notice. If you do not have an AFSC Connect account, you can sign up by visiting www.afsc.ca.

General Information

To request a coverage notice, participants must be enrolled in AgriStability for the 2026 program year. Requests for a coverage notice can be made commencing May 1, 2026 through December 31, 2026. AFSC will issue the coverage notice once all applicable information is available. **Important for 2026:** Changes for the 2026 Program Year may affect your estimated reference margin shown on your Coverage Notice. The inclusion of pasture-related feed costs, and/or choosing to self-report your historical eligible feed inventories can change your estimated reference margin. As a result, the estimated reference margin shown on the coverage notice may differ from your final reference margin once your application is fully processed.

Client Information

Enter your Identification Number, AgriStability PIN (Personal Identification Number) and Business Name.

Intended Productive Capacity Information

Enter your intended productive capacity for the 2026 program year, excluding landlord share, if applicable. **If you have an early fiscal year-end be sure to identify units by fiscal year versus crop year.** You can select your commodities from the dropdown list or manually add them at the bottom of the form. If any historical productive capacity was not previously provided or is inaccurate, provide the updated information in the grey boxes corresponding to the applicable program year. For additional farming operations, use the Additional Intended Productive Capacity Form available on www.afsc.ca.

CROP & FORAGE BASKET (excluding landlord share)

Crop Basket Dryland	# of seeded acres
Crop Basket Irrigated	# of seeded acres
Forage Basket Dryland	# of seeded acres
Forage Basket Irrigated	# of seeded acres
Silage and greenfeed acres should be included in crop basket. Haylage acres should be included in forage basket.	

BEEF

Beef Cow / Calf	# of births
Beef Feeders Owned	# sold 750 lbs to 1,199 lbs
Beef Fat Cattle Owned	# sold 1,200+ lbs
Beef Feeders Custom Fed	# of head days*
Beef Fat Cattle Custom Fed	# of head days*
*Head days = number of animals on feed x number of days on feed / 365	

MARKET HOGS

Hogs Farrow to Isowean	# sold
Hogs Farrow to Wean	# sold
Hogs Farrow to Finish	# sold
Hogs Wean to Finish	# sold

SPECIALTY CROPS (excluding landlord share), GREENHOUSE AND OTHER LIVESTOCK

-----Specialty Crops, Greenhouse-----	
Bedding Plants	# of square feet
Canary Seed	# of seeded acres
Chick Peas - Desi	# of seeded acres
Chick Peas - Kabuli	# of seeded acres
Corn - Processing	# of seeded acres
Corn - Sweet Fresh	# of seeded acres
Cucumbers	# of square feet
Dry Beans	# of seeded acres
Forage Seed Dryland	# of seeded acres
Forage Seed Irrigated	# of seeded acres
Green Peas Processing	# of seeded acres
Haskap Berries Seeded Year 1-2	# of seeded acres
Haskap Berries Growing Year 3	# of seeded acres
Haskap Berries Premature Year 4-5	# of seeded acres
Haskap Berries Mature Year 6+	# of seeded acres
Hemp Seed Dryland	# of seeded acres
Hemp Seed Irrigated	# of seeded acres

SPECIALTY CROPS (excluding landlord share), GREENHOUSE AND OTHER LIVESTOCK CONTINUED

Herb and Spice Basket	# of seeded acres
Hybrid Canola	# of seeded acres
Lentils Dryland	# of seeded acres
Lentils Irrigated	# of seeded acres
Mustard Brown	# of seeded acres
Mustard Oriental	# of seeded acres
Mustard Yellow	# of seeded acres
Peppers	# of square feet
Processing Potatoes	# of seeded acres
Seed Potatoes Dryland	# of seeded acres
Seed Potatoes Irrigated	# of seeded acres
Sugar Beets	# of seeded acres
Sunflower	# of seeded acres
Table Potatoes	# of seeded acres
Timothy Hay Export	# of seeded acres
Tomatoes	# of square feet
Trees	opening inventory x 0.311
Triticale	# of seeded acres
Veggie Basket	# of seeded acres
-----Other Livestock-----	
Alpacas	# of births
Bison Cow / Calf	# of births
Bison Feeders	# sold
Chicken Broiler Eggs for Hatching	# of dozen sold
Chicken Broilers per Bird	# sold
Chicken Broilers per Kg	# of kilograms sold
Chicken Roasters per Bird	# sold
Chicken Roasters per Kg	# of kilograms sold
Dairy Hectoliters	# sold
Eggs Consumption	# of dozen sold
Eggs Consumption per Layer	# of producing birds
Elk Cow / Calf	# of births
Elk Velvet Bulls	# of producing bulls
Honey	# hives
Horses Meat	# sold
Leafcutter Bees	# of gallons pollinating
Llamas	# of births
Sheep Ewe / Lamb	# of births
Turkey Breeder Hatching Eggs	# of dozen sold
Turkey Broilers per Bird	# sold
Turkey Broilers per Kg	# of kilograms sold

Multiple Farming Operations

Productive capacity must be provided for all operations, and each operation must submit productive capacity in a separate form. The Coverage Notice Request - Additional Intended Productive Capacity Form allows you to submit productive capacity by farming operation. Please use one form per farming operation. The information submitted in this form will assist in identification of multiple operations and calculation of the coverage notice. This form is available at www.afsc.ca.

AFSC Privacy Collection Notification and Client Declaration

Read the AFSC Privacy Collection Notification and Client Declaration. Sign and date the declaration. The Coverage Notice Request Form can be submitted to AFSC the following ways:

- Fax to 403.782.8348 or 1.855.700.AFSC (2372)
- Mail to AFSC, 5718 - 56 Avenue, Lacombe, Alberta, T4L 1B1
- Email to info@afsc.ca
- Online through your AFSC Connect account

What Happens Next?

After we receive the signed Coverage Notice Request Form, the information will be entered. Once all required information has been submitted to AFSC, a coverage notice will be generated and you will be notified that it is ready. If you have an AFSC Connect Account, your coverage notice will be available for viewing online. If you do not have an AFSC Connect account, then the coverage notice will be mailed to you.