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Placer-Nevada-Yuba Disaster Livestock Access Pass Sign-up Extended

If you're a *commercial* livestock producer in Placer, Nevada, or Yuba County, you still have time to register for the Disaster Livestock Access Program – ***the deadline is extended until August 3, 2021!***

For more information, go to https://ucanr.edu/sites/Livestock/files/355150.pdf – or contact me at dmacon@ucanr.edu or (530) 889-7385 if you have questions!

Beginning Farming Academy set for September

We will be holding the Beginning Farming Academy in late September and early October. It's a hybrid class with Zoom classes and an in-person session. For more info, go to http://ucanr.edu/beginfarming21

This is a multi-session introductory course on starting a small commercial farm or ranch. It focuses on marketing, business, and economic planning for small operations. If you are considering starting a small ag operation in the foothills, you should attend the Academy. Learn about assessing your resources, choosing products, the basics of market-driven farming and economic tools. You will finish with an action plan for jump-starting your operation.

This is a hybrid course with virtual sessions (Zoom) and in-person farm visits and action planning session. Homework activities between classes will help refine your farm plans.

- Zoom classes: September 21, 23, 30, 6:30 – 8:30 PM
- Farm Visits and Action Planning: October 1, 8 AM – 2 PM

Apply at http://ucanr.edu/beginfarmingapp

Apply early as the class is limited to 15 prospective producers. Applications close September 13 at 5 PM Pacific time.

Contact cefake@ucanr.edu if you have questions.

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