



OUT OF BUSINESS SCREENER  
(Farm and Ranch - Telephone Only)



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Operator Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(Enumerator Note: For the target on the above POID, fill out the following information.)

1. I would like to ask you a few questions about your involvement in agriculture.

a. Will you grow any field crops, hay or specially crops such as fruits, vegetables or floriculture?

- ☐ Yes [Check all that apply]
- ☐ No [Continue]
- ☐ Field Crops

☐ Hay

☐ Fruit/Nut Trees

☐ Berries

☐ Floriculture/Nursery/Greenhouse

☐ Bison/LLamas/Alpacas
- ☐ Vegetables

☐ Mushrooms

☐ Maple Syrup

☐ Other agricultural land use

☐ Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

b. Do you own or raise any: livestock or poultry?

- ☐ Yes [Check all that apply]
- ☐ No [Continue]
- ☐ Beef Cattle☐ Dairy Cattle

☐ Hogs

☐ Sheep

☐ Goats

☐ Chickens/Broilers☐ Turkeys

☐ Equine

☐ Mink

☐ Aquaculture

☐ Ostriches☐ Bee Colonies

☐ Other Livestock

☐ Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Other Poultry

☐ Specify: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Equine/Horses/Mules

[Enumerator: If any commodity in 1a. or 1b. is checked, Go to Item 5. If nothing is checked continue to 1c..]

- c. Is any of the land in this operation CROPLAND (Include idle cropland and cropland in government programs such as CRP, etc.)

☐ Yes [Go to Item 5]

☐ No [Continue]
- d. Do you have facilities for storing whole grains, pulse crops, or oilseeds?

☐ Yes [Go to Item 5]

☐ No [Continue]
- e. Do you have own or operate any CRP/WRP, pasture, woodland, idle land?

☐ Yes [Go to Item 5]

☐ No [Continue]
- f. On June 1, did this operation have more than 99 acres of pasture?

☐ Yes [Go to Item 5]

☐ No [Continue]

2. Do you plan to operate a farm or ranch in the future?

- ☐ Yes [Continue]
- ☐ No[Continue]
- ☐ Don't Know [Continue]

3. What is the reason the operator is not currently farming or ranching? Check reason below.

- ☐ The operator is deceased?
- ☐ The operator is retired?
- ☐ The operation was out of business or sold?
- ☐ The operator is a landlord? (rents entire farm out to someone else)
- ☐ The operator moved out of state? [Specify:\_\_\_\_\_]
- ☐ The operation was on leased land? (Operator gave up lease) [Go to Item 4]
- ☐ The operation was never a farm or ranch. [Go to Item 5]
- ☐ Other Reason? [Explain:\_\_\_\_\_] [Go to Item 4]

What is the name and address of the new operator that has taken over the day-to-day

Operation Name:\_\_\_\_\_

Operator \_\_\_\_\_

Address:\_\_\_\_\_

City:\_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4. When did this change occur? .....

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|    |      |
| MM | YYYY |

5. This Completes the Survey. Thank you for your help.

Respondent Name:\_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_)\_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Please leave any notes that might help the List Frame Section.

Enumerator Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Enum ID:

List Frame Action Taken: \_\_\_\_\_