

GENERAL INFORMATION

Number of years as a farm operator: _____ Percentage of total income earned from farming: _____ %

Number of days spent in "off-farm" employment: _____ What is the "off-farm" employment? _____

Is Nominee: Sole Proprietor Partner Salaried Manager Other: _____

If other than sole proprietor, what percentage of policy and management decisions do you make? _____ %

Indicate the total number of acres operated: _____ Tillable: _____ Grazing or non-tillable: _____

Of the above total, indicate the number of acres:

Owned individually: _____ Owned in partnership: _____ Percentage owned in partnership: _____ %

Rented individually: _____ Rented in partnership: _____ Percentage rented in partnership: _____ %

The following questions shall be answered on up to two separate pages. Please see the Outstanding Young Farmer Nomination Form Information Sheet for additional instructions on how to complete the questions.

1. How and when did nominee get started?
2. Why did nominee enter farming and what were his/her goals? What are they now?
3. Explain the role soil and water conservation practices play in nominee's farming operation.
4. What are the organizations that the nominee is a member of in his/her community?

CROP AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION HISTORY

ITEM	YEAR STARTED <i>(as a full time operator)</i>			CURRENT YEAR <i>(or last three-year average)</i>		
	Acres	Yield/Acre	Total Sales	Acres	Yield/Acre	Total Sales
Crops			\$			\$
			\$			\$
			\$			\$
			\$			\$
			\$			\$
			\$			\$
Livestock (types & breeds)			\$			\$
			\$			\$
			\$			\$
			\$			\$
			\$			\$
			\$			\$

CERTIFICATION

"I certify that the above information is correct and accurate to the best of my knowledge."

Signature of Nominee _____ Date _____