



Cook County Farm Bureau® is a grassroots organization made up of local farmers from urban, suburban, and rural areas. Members create the policy and direction of the organization and serve in various leadership roles.

OUR MEMBERS

Cook County Farm Bureau is proud to have a diverse group of members including traditional, specialty and urban farmers. To serve all farmers, Farm Bureau provides programming, workshops, seminars, informational resources, urban garden grants and so much more.

POLICY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

Farm Bureau members create and approve the organization's policy. Cook County Farm Bureau has led the efforts to develop and codify policies pertaining to urban agriculture, organic agriculture, specialty crops, food access and government assisted nutrition programs. As a nonpartisan organization, Farm Bureau understands local agriculture and works to implement strong agricultural policies.

To see these policies and more visit bit.ly/3XVScjU.

EDUCATION AND PROMOTION

The Cook County Farm Bureau® Foundation seeks to enhance agricultural knowledge by providing higher education scholarships, supporting beginning and continuing education for farm members, and funding our nationally recognized Ag in the Classroom Department programming.

WHAT WE OFFER

Farm Bureau members are eligible for exclusive farm related and local discounts. Members are also eligible for discounted soil test kits and can promote their business through our Buy Local guide.

Farming members can market farm products and services directly to consumers through our "Shop Local" platform on our website at bit.ly/3m4MtL9.

Members have access to timely and relevant information through the Co-Operator, FarmWeek, and Partners. Agricultural and farming information is also available through Farm Bureau's website, social media accounts, and the Speakers Bureau at cookcfb.org

RELATIONSHIP WITH COUNTRY FINANCIAL

Farm Bureau has a long history of identifying members' needs and creating programs or affiliate companies to fill that need. Early Illinois farmers struggled to find fire insurance. Recognizing this problem, Farm Bureau created an insurance company, Country Financial, to serve farmers and other members. Farm Bureau membership provides access to preferred property/casualty insurance products through Country Financial.

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