

#### WFRP CHECKLIST

Insured:	Policy Number:
Agency:	Crop Year:
Agent:	State:

## **FORMS REQUIRED AT SALES CLOSING:**

□Application
$\square$ WFRP Consent Form (blanket form requiring one signature for all forms). If not used, then all forms must signed.
$\Box$ 5 years of Schedule F forms (excluding lag year) if new policy. This could be three or four years for Micro Farm.
$\Box$ 1 year of Schedule F (excluding lag year) if carryover policy.
$\square$ WFRP Packet – Used for both WFRP and Micro Farm policies. The New and Renewal packets include the following required forms.
□ Allowable Revenue Worksheets

- Five forms each for new policies and one form each for carryover policy.
- Complete in chronological order starting with the earliest year and ending with the most recent year. (The Whole Farm History Report will not calculate correctly if these are in the wrong order).

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## ☐ Whole Farm History Report

- If indexing applies and there is a value on lines 11A & 11B, then the Indexed Average needs to be marked with either 'Yes' or 'No'.
- Insurance Options of Revenue Substitution, Revenue Exclusion, or Revenue Cup (if previously insured) can apply.

# ☐ Farm Operation Report

Intended Section only – Columns 6 through 13E completed.

## ☐ Expected Value and Yield Source Document Certification Worksheet

- Columns 5, 6, 7, 12, & 14 will pre-fill from the information provided in the Farm Operation Report.
- Columns 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, & 15 must be completed.
- For Micro Farm, complete Part 3 'Combined Direct Marketing Commodity Information' to determine the value applied on the Farm Operation Report.
- Verifiable records supporting this information should be included.

□Yield	and	Revenue	Report
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Blank Forms used for creating APH databases for crops that are not insured with an MPCI policy. Need at least four years of history up to 10 years. If the crop does not have four years of actual history, a replacement yield must be applied. This is derived from source documents used for price (ex. NAP yields). The source documents used are the same documents used for the expected yield in the Farm Report.

# ☐ Inventory Report

• The Beginning Inventory must be completed even if there is a zero and the insured does not have any inventory as of the beginning of the insurance period.

# ☐ Accounts Receivable Report

The Beginning Section should be completed or zero applied.

# ☐ Market Animal and Nursery Inventory Report

 Include beginning inventory. If there is a value in column 13, then it should be carried to the Farm Operation Report as Cost/Basis, column 13B.

## **□** Narrative

 Provide a detailed description of the farm operation, which includes information regarding each commodity and how it is farmed with the intent and final disposition.

# □PAW or FUR (Forage Underwriting Report) if applicable.

## ☐ Underlying SOC/SOI and APH to verify yield and acres used for MPCI commodities.

- If commodities are insured with an underlying MPCI policy, supply a copy of the APH with the packet.
- If the Acreage Reporting Date for commodities with underlying MPCI coverage is before the WFRP Sales Closing Date, provide a copy of the Schedule of Insurance/Summary of Coverage. If not, then it is due by the Revised Farm Operation Report deadline of July 15<sup>th</sup>.

#### APPLICATION AND WFRP CONSENT FORM AT SALES CLOSING

#### □ PRODUCER INFORMATION

- Verify that the name and tax ID number of the Entity matches the Schedule F or other tax documents used. If not, provide an explanation.
- o Review SBI's and signature.

# ☐ Were another person/entity's tax forms used?

- Yes
- No
- o If yes, did the insured obtain control of at least 90% of the other person's farm operation (land and facilities)?
  - Yes
  - No
- If yes, did the other person have an insurable interest in all commodities produced on the farm operation obtained?
  - Yes
  - No
- o If yes, is there verifiable documentation such as a lease or purchase agreement or inheritance included?
  - Yes
  - No
- o If yes, was a written request to use the other person's farm tax forms submitted with application?
  - Yes
  - No
- o If yes, were copies of the other person's tax forms for each year included?
  - Yes
  - No
- o If yes, does the completed Whole-Farm History Report represent the combination of the Allowable Revenue of the insured and other person's farm tax forms for the applicable year?
  - Yes
  - No

# □ COVERAGE/POLICY INFORMATION

- The County listed on the application should be the county with the highest expected revenue. All other counties (if applicable) should be listed.
- o Coverage level and Tax Filer type (Late Fiscal, Early Fiscal, or Calendar) should be listed.
- Any options, such as Revenue Exclusion (RX), Revenue Substitution (RS), or Revenue Cup (RC).
- All MPCI Underlying policies (if applicable) must be listed and keyed in FMHA.
- Conditions of Acceptance Questions completed.

## **□WFRP CONSENT FORM**

Review insured's signature, agent's signature, and signature dates.

## ALLOWABLE REVENUE WORKSHEETS AND SUPPORTING SCHEDULE F'S

- Yes
- No All 5 years are REQUIRED unless a BFR.
- o If No, is this Producer applying for BFR benefits?
  - Yes
  - No
- o If Yes for BFR Benefits, are there at least three years of farm tax forms in the whole-farm history period and was revenue earned during the lag year?
  - Yes
  - No
- If Substitute Schedule Fs were completed, was all information that would appear on the Schedule F included?
  - Yes
  - No
- o If Substitute Schedule Fs were completed, they must be signed by the insured and agent, and anyone who may have completed the form. These are not included on the WFRP Consent Form.

☐ **Allowable Revenue Worksheets** – Are these completed in chronological order for each year in the whole farm history period?

- o Yes
- o No

# \*Items to Note\*

- o Allowable Revenue
  - Cooperative Distributions are not allowable unless directly related to the sale of the commodity.
  - Other Income is not allowable unless directly related to the production of the commodities that the IRS requires to report.

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	$\square$ Revenue for each year should match what is on the Allowable R	evenue forms (the FMH packet				
	automatically calculates this information)					
	$\Box$ Any changes to figures in the history of a renewal policy will require a revised Allowable Revenue form with an explanation of the change.					
	☐ Verify that values match what is keyed in FMHA.					
	☐ Verify that the Indexed Average question is marked Yes or No (the	FMH packet calculates the values if either				
	Yes or No is selected).					
	☐ If Revenue Options are on the Application, verify one is selected.					
	□ Expanded Operation – the maximum increase is 35%.					
	If a value is added, was documentation included?					
	• Yes					
	■ No					
	<ul> <li>If yes, documentation should include the expansion for the la</li> </ul>	g year, which may include such items as a				
	lease or purchase agreement, or 578's.	, ,				
	<ul> <li>If No, Expanded Operations cannot be accepted without docu</li> </ul>	mentation.				
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	$\Box$ The Intended section should be completed. If policy has Perennial Completed at SCD.	Commodities, Revised section may be				
	☐ Make sure the commodity and rate codes are entered (these can be	e found in the Actuarials or if keyed in				
	FMHA, these are auto filled and can be taken from that information).	,				
	$\Box$ Separate lines for commodities should be included if there are diffe and yields.	rent prices from contracts, varieties, shares,				
	☐ If a weighted average for contracts is used, a weighted average wor	ksheet should be included.				
	☐ Are there commodities listed as Purchase for Resale?					
	<ul> <li>Yes – needs to be indicated on the FOR and marked in FMHA.</li> </ul>					
	o No					
	☐ Are there any Organic Commodities?					
	o Yes					
	o No					
	☐ If yes, an Organic Certificate should be uploaded by the Revised FOI	R deadline of July 15 <sup>th</sup> .				
	☐ Is this a vertically integrated Operation?	•				
	Yes – is explanation included?					
	o No					
	☐ Are any commodities nursery related?					
	<ul> <li>Ves – has an inspection been completed in the last 5 years?</li> </ul>					

○ No – order an inspection.

Yes

 $\Box$  Are there any perennial commodities listed?

• Yes – PAW or FUR required. Has an inspection been completed in last 5 years?

	No – order an inspection.
	<ul> <li>No</li> <li>□ FMH packet calculates Average Revenue and Approved Revenue. Verifying this matches how FMHA is calculating.</li> </ul>
EXPEC	TED VALUE AND YIELD SOURCE DOCUMENTATION FORM- See Section 18 of Policy
Comm	odities, Codes, Yields, and Values flow from the Farm Operation Report in FMH packet.
	☐ Are yields reasonable and supported for each commodity?
	o Yes
	o No
	☐ Is there an underlying MPCI policy?
	<ul><li>Yes</li></ul>
	■ No
	<ul> <li>If yes, do yields match the yields reported on that policy?</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>Yes</li></ul>
	■ No
	<ul> <li>If no, are there verifiable records supporting the yield during the 5-year whole-farm history period and</li> </ul>
	lag year per the Yield & Revenue Report?
	☐ Yields must match underlying policy unless the AIP (Section 18) has approved an explanation.
	$\square$ Are expected values reasonable and supported for each commodity?
	o Yes
	o No
	ce of the commodity is the price that you can expect to receive when the commodity is harvested and based on the ng sources, in order of priority:
*1. Co	ntract Price
	Yes – must be included at SCD or by RFOR deadline if received after SCD.
	No – then go to next.
*2. Pri	ce received for sold commodity.
	Yes – need copies of settlement sheets to verify price.

No – then go to next.

\*3. The price that we agree best reflects the price you can expect to receive on your farm and for the market where your commodity will be sold, obtained from the most applicable following source for your farm operation (sources under this paragraph do not have an order of priority):

- AMS/NASS/Economic Research Service or other government agency
  - Yes copies of verifiable evidence must be included.
  - No then go to next.
- FCIC published prices for the area where the commodity is normally sold.
  - o Yes screenshot or copy of actuarial documents must be attached.
  - No then go to next.
- Current local, average, cash bid price in market commodities is normally sold.
  - o Yes-verifiable documentation must be attached.

- No then go to next.
- The average price offered by at least two commercial buyers: one selected by insured and one selected by FMH.
  - Yes verifiable documentation must be attached.
  - No then go to next.
- Prices from a reliable disinterested third-party source
  - Yes verifiable documentation must be attached.
  - No then go to next.
- The average market price used to calculate NAP payments for the area where you normally sell the commodity (including the direct market price if applicable)
- Other price information provided or approved by RMA.
- Average price received for the three most recent years if no disinterested third-party source exists.
  - Yes verifiable documentation must be included.
  - o No

If price or yield cannot be determined for a commodity because an acceptable price source doesn't exist or expected yield can't be established, the expected value of the commodity will be zero and all revenue from that commodity will be considered revenue-to-count (Section 18 (i)).

## **INVENTORY REPORT**

- Only the Beginning Inventory Section should be completed with values based on the beginning of the insurance period.
- o Each place where a commodity is stored should be listed.
  - If the insured doesn't submit a beginning inventory report, including zero inventory, note the policy because any revenue received from these commodities produced or purchased for resale in prior policy years reported on the insured's tax forms will be included as revenue-to-count at claim time.
- The count of measurement of the insured's quantity of the commodity should use the unit of measure in which the commodity is marketed, such as bushels, tons, hundredweight, etc.
- o Insured must have verifiable records available if requested by AIP.

## **ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE REPORT**

- Only the Beginning Amount or balance in each section should be completed (if applicable).
- Listed on separate lines per buyer/creditor.

## MARKET ANIMAL & NURSERY INVENTORY REPORT

- Only needs to be completed if there are market animals or nursery products listed on the FOR
- Only the Beginning Inventory should be filled out.
  - If column 13 has a value, this value needs to be added to the Cost/Basis column for that commodity.
- Can request an inspection for complete and accurate count of animals and nursery commodities.

## NARRATIVE (last page of FMH packet)

o It should be completed giving a detailed description of the insured's farm operation, including commodities and further explanation as to how prices and yields are derived.

## **PAW OR FUR**

- Must be completed for perennial or forage commodities.
- o Inspections may need to be requested based on these forms. Inspections should be ordered on new policies if we do not have underlying MPCI policy with current inspections completed.

#### **UNDERLYING MPCI SOC & APH DOCUMENTS**

- o If policy is with FMH, we can pull forms and verify yields, acres, and MPCI liability.
- o If MPCI is with other AIP, agent must include documents at SCD or SOC by the Revised FOR deadline (July 15<sup>th</sup>).
- o MPCI policy number and AIP must be keyed in FMHA under the Farm Report tab and MPCI liability must be included.
  - The MPCI liability is a manual entry and must be added and keyed manually to be used for premium rating if elected to opt-in.

# REVISED FARM OPERATION REPORT (JULY 15TH)

- Did the county where the majority of the expected revenue to be earned change within the policy year (4a on FOR)?
  - Yes must be indicated on RFOR and keyed in FMHA.
  - No
- Did all commodities carry over from Intended to Revised Section?
  - Yes
  - o No
- o Were commodities modified from the Intended Farm Operation Report?
  - Yes
  - o No
- If yes, did the additional commodities meet the guidelines of the Expected Values and Yields (Section 18 of policy)?
  - o Yes
  - o No
- Additional commodities that were not listed on the Intended FOR must include the expected value and yield source on the Expected and Value Yield Source Certification Worksheet with verifiable documentation.
- The Narrative must be updated to explain any changes made to the farm operation from the Intended to the Revised FOR.
  - Example: replanted crops and replacement crops (was notice of loss filed?) See Paragraph 49 of WFRP Handbook for replanted and replacement crop examples.
  - o Example: Farm management decision made to not plant an intended crop. This would carry over on the revised as zero and removed completely in FMHA.
- o If the Revised FOR was already submitted and past the July 15<sup>th</sup> deadline, was the AIP notified within 30 days of the commodity change(s)?
  - Yes review changes and determine if appropriate documentation was attached to verify change.
  - o No revenue will be considered as revenue-to-count at claim time.

#### REVISED FARM OPERATION REPORT SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

- All contracts MUST be attached. If an insured receives a contract after the SCD, this is the only time a price
  can be changed from the Intended to the Revised FOR.
  - o If contracts are not available, then the contract price will be removed and the price will be determined by the expected value hierarchy and priority list (Section 18 of policy).
- All PAWS and FURS must be attached if added commodities. Should have already been included at SCD.
- Organic Certificate must be included if there are organic commodities.
  - If there is not an organic certificate by July 15, organic commodity lines must be changed to conventional and conventional expected values MUST be used.

# **UNDERLYING MPCI SOC & APH**

- o If the underlying crop's ARD was prior to the WFRP SCD, then the SOC's should have been included with the Intended Farm Operation Report at SCD. If not, then due by the Revised FOR deadline.
- o If underlying MPCI is with FMH, then can reference policy number or attached SOC and APH documents.
- o If underlying MPCI is with another AIP, agent must include SOC to verify acreage and MPCI liability for premium rating.