

APPLICATION FOR LOAN GUARANTY

All information must be completed

Name of Applicant _____ County _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Social Security Number _____ Phone _____ Age _____ Birthdate _____

Name of Parent Or Guardian _____

Name of VO-AG Instructor _____ Phone _____

Name of 4-H Leader _____ Phone _____

School _____

Purpose of Loan? _____

Proposed Method of Repayment? _____

Borrower's Signature _____ Parent or Guardian Signature _____

Parent or Guardian Email _____

FFA Advisor or 4-H Project Leader

I AGREE TO AID AND ADVISE THE APPLICANT IN THE PURSUIT OF THE PROJECT AND TO GIVE AMPLE FIELD SUPERVISION OF SAME. I AGREE FURTHER TO ADVISE THE LENDER SHOULD THE PROJECT, AT ANY TIME, SEEM IN DANGER OF FAILURE.

Signature _____ Date _____

LENDER COMPLETE AND REMIT TO MDA AT TIME LOAN IS MADE

Name of Lender _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Email _____

Date of Loan _____ Amount Approved _____ Interest rate _____

VALID ONLY IF \$25 APPLICATION FEE, COPIES OF PROMISSORY NOTE, SECURITY AGREEMENT, FILED UCC-1 STATEMENT, DRIVERS LICENSE OF APPLICANT 18 OR OVER. PRIOR TO A LOAN LOSS PAYMENT BEING MADE, THE LENDER SHALL PROVIDE PROOF OF COMPLIANCE (COPY OF MOU) WITH THE FEDERAL WORK AUTHORIZATION PROGRAM (E-VERIFY). LOANS NOT CO-SIGNED WILL NOT BE GUARANTEED.

Name _____ Signature _____

Title _____ Phone _____ Date _____

ONLY APPLICATIONS RECEIVED WITHIN 60 DAYS OF LOAN DATE WILL BE ACCEPTED

Missouri Department of Agriculture



Crop and Livestock Loan Guaranty Program

"Loan Guaranty Program for 4-H and FFA members"



Crop & Livestock Loan Guaranty Program

The quality of life in our nation and the world depends on agriculture. The future of agriculture is in the hands of our youth. To ensure adequate production of food and fiber to meet future needs, the Missouri Department of Agriculture believes we should protect and provide help for a valuable resource - the rural youth of Missouri.

The Crop and Livestock Loan Guaranty Program offered by the Missouri Department of Agriculture provides financial benefits to Missouri youth who undertake crop or livestock production projects.

Participation in 4-H or FFA activities provides valuable benefits for young Missourians in such areas as:

- Responsibility - Projects are handled from start to finish by the youth. Care must be taken to make the project successful and profitable.
- Experience - Working with livestock gives the member a true idea of what is involved in a farming operation.
- Education - The youth learns the techniques of budgeting, marketing, bookkeeping and financial responsibility through a supervised project.
- Self-Satisfaction - Completion of the project brings a feeling of pride to the youth in knowing they have completed a successful business venture.

ELIGIBILITY

Loans eligible for the program are limited to the purchase of livestock, feed, seed, fertilizer, herbicides, insecticides, fuel, and other miscellaneous out-of-pocket expenses directly related to the project. Up to 25% of the loan may be used to purchase livestock equipment necessary for the successful completion of the project. Examples: feeders, waterers, head gates, farrowing crates, etc.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Borrowers wishing to secure a loan through the loan guarantee program must apply for a loan through a bank, savings and loan association, the Farm Credit System or other eligible lender. Applications may be submitted by filling out the form on the back and following these instructions:

- Sign the application and submit with a \$25 application fee.
- Obtain all other necessary signatures (all loan documents must be jointly signed by a parent or guardian for borrowers less than 18 yrs of age).
- Eligibility is limited to one outstanding loan.
- It is suggested that the borrower maintain a checking account with the lending institution.

LOAN REQUIREMENTS

- Be an active member of 4-H or FFA.
- Be enrolled in a livestock or field crop project and successfully complete the project.
- Have parental consent.
- Have 4-H leader or FFA advisor approval and assistance.
- Meet lender requirements on repayment of the loan.
- Loan amount the department will guarantee is 50% on:
Ages 8 - 21 \$3,000

LENDER INFORMATION

The Missouri Department of Agriculture will guarantee 50 percent of the loan made to a 4-H or FFA member to finance a supervised project for a period of two years. It is also beneficial in that, when making these loans, the lender is cultivating prospective customers.

After receiving the application and upon approval of the loan,

- Mail the application
- \$25 application fee
- A copy of the promissory note
- A copy of the filed stamped UCC-1 statement
- A copy of the security agreement
- A copy of applicant's drivers license if 18 or over
- Prior to a loan loss payment being made, the lender shall provide proof of compliance (copy of MOU) with the federal work authorization program (E-verify).

Send the required documentation to the address listed below.

A blanket Loan Guaranty Agreement will be provided to the lender to cover all FFA and 4-H members, and a letter of notification will be provided indicating the loan application has been accepted.



Missouri Agricultural and Small Business
Development Authority
P.O. Box 630
Jefferson City, MO 65102
Phone: 573-751-2129
Fax: 573-522-2416
Visit our web site at:
agriculture.mo.gov for more
information or additional applications.

Hearing impaired Missourians can contact the department
through Relay Missouri, 1-800-735-2966 (TT/TDD)

Checklist: Please use this checklist to ensure a complete application.

- \$25 application fee
- Completed program application
- MO Driver's License (or other document listed above) if 18 years of age or older
- Signed Certification of Citizenship/Employer Status if 18 years of age or older

You must provide a copy of your valid Missouri driver's license with this application. If you do not have one or are an out of state applicant, you must provide one of the documents listed below:

- U.S. Birth Certificate (certified with embossed or raised seal issued by state or local government)
- U.S. Passport (valid)
- Certificate of Citizenship
- Certificate of Naturalization
- Certificate of Birth Abroad
- Any other document issued by the federal government affirming legal presence in the U.S.

CERTIFICATION OF CITIZENSHIP/IMMIGRATION STATUS

By affixing my (our) signature below, I (we) hereby certify, subject to penalties of perjury, I am the applicant or an authorized representative of the applicant and as such am authorized to make the following affirmation:

I am a United States citizen or have been granted lawful permanent residency* of the United States. I understand that I am required by state law to provide proof of my citizenship, residency, and identity in order to apply for any state programs.

SIGNATURE	TITLE	DATE

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*Pursuant to 208.009.3 RSMo, all applicants, 18 years of age and over, are required to provide proof of citizenship, identity, and residency at the time of applying for any state administered benefits. **You must provide a copy of your valid Missouri driver's license with this application.** If you do not have or cannot provide this, please see "Additional Documentation" for allowed alternatives.