



When you join A-FAN, you support animal agriculture in Nebraska—and the farm families who are helping it grow.



"A-FAN gave us the opportunity to look at our options as young farmers and to find out what the legal requirements are to start a livestock operation so that we can make sure that we keep our neighbors as friends."

Brian and Hillary Maricle
St. Edward



"A-FAN made us comfortable in what we were going to do. We were wondering about the permits and everything for Merrick County. A-FAN talked to planning and zoning and double checked everything for us to let us know that we were on the right track. We really appreciated that and A-FAN has done a nice job for us."

Joe and Scott Beck
Genoa



"A-FAN can reach out to people other than just those you think are directly impacted by your livestock operation. A-FAN has been able to work with a lot of different organizations that I never even thought had any interest in what I was doing. Involvement in A-FAN has shown me they have quite a bit of interest in helping me and my operation."

Jim Olsen, Feedlot Owner
Farwell

Help ensure a brighter future for Nebraska agriculture and Nebraska's rural communities.

Livestock production is a critical component of Nebraska's future—providing economic vitality and opportunity for rural communities, adding value to Nebraska's agricultural output, ensuring a market for the co-products of our growing ethanol industry and energizing the economy of the entire state.

The Alliance for the Future of Agriculture in Nebraska (A-FAN) is dedicated to helping livestock producers of all sizes establish or expand their operations in ways that are environmentally responsible, compliant with regulations and sensitive to community expectations.

Best of all, A-FAN provides its services at no charge.

With your membership in A-FAN, you show your support for animal agriculture in Nebraska—and for the families and communities who depend on it.



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Membership Application

Who is A-FAN?

The Alliance for the Future of Agriculture in Nebraska (A-FAN) was formed by leading agricultural membership groups in Nebraska—the Nebraska Cattlemen, Nebraska Corn Growers Association, Nebraska Farm Bureau Federation, Nebraska Pork Producers Association, Nebraska Poultry Industries and Nebraska Soybean Association.

With the support of other membership groups, commodity organizations and private businesses, A-FAN works with individual livestock producers and communities across Nebraska to encourage the development of environmentally responsible, community friendly and economically viable livestock production in the state.

These groups understand that livestock production is a critical component of Nebraska's future—providing vitality and opportunity for rural communities, adding value to Nebraska's agricultural output and energizing the economy of the entire state.

"Working with A-FAN has been a great experience. A-FAN has been a beneficial source of information and has made us feel comfortable throughout the decision making process."

Brandon and Deanna Handrup
Aurora

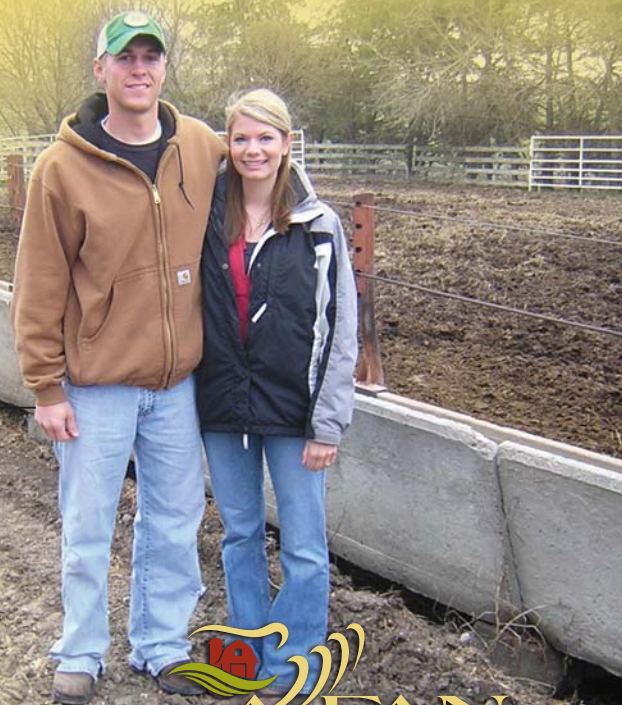
How does being a member of A-FAN help me and my community?

A-FAN was formed to provide Nebraska livestock producers the helping hand they need to survive in today's complex agricultural environment.

A-FAN helps farmers by connecting them with professionals who can help them develop a livestock operation that complies with regulations, is environmentally responsible and meets community expectations. A-FAN also helps farmers establish good relationships with neighbors and the community to foster greater understanding and acceptance of the importance and value of livestock production to their community.

Most importantly, A-FAN provides its services to livestock producers at no charge.

Your investment in A-FAN helps ensure that livestock producers are able to get the assistance they need to improve the prospects of success for themselves—and their communities.



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

YES

I want to be an associate member of A-FAN and make an investment in the future of Nebraska agriculture and Nebraska's rural communities. Please sign me up for a one-year associate membership at the level I've identified in the appropriate membership class.

- Friend of A-FAN* \$25 - \$999 Your Contribution Amount: \$ _____
- A-FAN Visionary* \$1,000 - \$9,999 Your Contribution Amount: \$ _____
- A-FAN Benefactor** \$10,000 or more Your Contribution Amount: \$ _____

* Membership at the Friend of A-FAN or A-FAN Visionary category entitles you to receive the A-FAN e-mail news update as well as be recognized on the A-FAN website as a supporter of A-FAN. You'll also receive information relevant to upcoming events sponsored by A-FAN.

** Membership at the A-FAN Benefactor level, in addition to the entitlements of the Friend of A-FAN and A-FAN Visionary categories, will have the option of participating in an A-FAN Advisory Council.

Name _____ Date _____

Organization _____

Street Address _____ Mailing Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

County _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

- I authorize A-FAN to include me/our organization on its list of A-FAN supporters.
- Enclosed is a check for the amount specified above. (Make checks payable to A-FAN; mail to address below.)
- Please bill me for the amount specified above. (Mail form to the address below.)

Here's some more information about me that A-FAN might find useful. (Check all that apply.)

- I'm a crop farmer I'd like to volunteer my time to help tell others about the value of animal agriculture
- I raise livestock I'd like you to contact me if I can help A-FAN assist livestock producers in my community
- I'm a retired farmer I'm thinking about expanding my existing livestock operation or adding a new livestock operation—please contact me
- I'm a business owner or in a business that supports livestock farming Contact me about adding an A-FAN link to our website

Contributions to A-FAN are NOT deductible as charitable contributions on the donor's federal income tax return. They may be deductible as trade or business expenses if ordinary or necessary in the conduct of the taxpayer's business. Please contact your tax preparer with questions.

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