



# 2024 WNC AgOptions Informational Session

**Thursday, September 21, 2023  
6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.**

You are invited to attend an informational meeting about the 2024 WNC AgOptions grant program for growers and producers. AgOptions staff will be present to discuss the program, go over the 2024 application timeline, and answer questions.

Grants of \$4,000 and \$8,000 are available to farmers located within a 22-county area of Western North Carolina\* in 2024.

**Meeting will take place:  
Burke County Agricultural Building  
130 Ammons Drive  
Morganton, NC 28655**

The Mission of WNC AgOptions:  
Building sustainable farming communities in our mountain region by providing resources directly to farmers who are diversifying or expanding their operations. The ultimate goal of WNC AgOptions is to protect mountain farmland by assisting the longevity of farm enterprises. Priority is given to farmers who have tobacco history.

\*Eligible Counties: Avery, Buncombe, Burke, Caldwell, Clay, Cherokee, Cleveland, Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, Graham, Haywood, Henderson, Jackson, Macon, Madison, McDowell, Mitchell, Polk, Rutherford, Swain, Transylvania, Watauga and Yancey.



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