

Kansas Farm Bureau to honor tradition, heritage on family farms

MANHATTAN — Kansas Farm Bureau is continuing in 2025 its recognition for “Sesquicentennial Farms” in conjunction with its annual “Century Farm” program. The Century Farm program honors Farm Bureau members who own farms of at least 80 acres within the same family for 100 years or more. The Sesquicentennial Farm recognition goes to farms in the same family for at least 150 years.

“Kansas farmers and ranchers have a lot to be proud of,” Joe Newland, Kansas Farm Bureau president, says. “One thing we take pride in is our value in the traditions and strong family ties through generations of rural living. Kansas Farm Bureau is honored to celebrate those through the Century Farm and Sesquicentennial Farms programs.”

The deadline for consideration to be part of the 2025 programs is May 15. Kansas Farm Bureau has recognized 3,210 Century Farms and 132 Sesquicentennial Farms since their inception. Complete details for qualification and applications for both programs can be obtained at county Farm Bureau offices across Kansas or on the KFB website, www.kfb.org/centuryfarm.

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REGARDING REVISED MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Pursuant to K.S.A. 82a-1029 the Board of Directors of the Northwest Kansas Groundwater Management District No. 4, hereby gives notice of a public hearing on its state-approved Revised Management Program, to be held February 19, 2025, beginning at 2 p.m. C.S.T., at the Sheridan County 4-H Building, HWY 23, Hoxie, Kansas. The alternate date is Wednesday, February 26, 2025. A copy of the proposed plan is available for inspection in the offices of the groundwater management district. Any person desiring to be heard in this matter, must file with the groundwater management district board, at the office, a written statement of his or her intent to appear and a summary of the testimony he or she intends to present, in duplicate, at least five (5) days in advance of the hearing date.

Attest: Brett Oelke, GMD 4 Board President

We want to hear from YOU!

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Fun in the snow... and ice!



Local Hill City boys slid across the icy road after a hard days work. (courtesy photo)



Addison Pittman, Elly Kelley, and Bentley Pittman braved the cold weather to enjoy sledding down the big hills in the city park. (Photo | Braelynn Lemon)



As the snow began to fall in Hill City and Graham County over the weekend the children were able to get out and enjoy the wintery weather. The winter storm canceled schools Monday and Tuesday giving kids extra time to enjoy the outdoors.

(L) Roland Smith created a snow angel in the fresh snow. (courtesy photo)

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Appendix 4-A: Notice of Annual Meeting (for the election of one supervisor)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Graham COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT

To all qualified electors residing within the boundaries of the Graham County Conservation District, notice is hereby given that pursuant to K.S.A. 2-1907, as amended, on the 21 day of January, 2025, at 10 a.m. @, an annual meeting of the Graham County Conservation District will be held at the Hill City Jr./Sr. High School
1 Ringneck Drive Hill City, KS. 67642.

The meeting agenda shall include the following business items:

ONE:

The supervisors of the Graham County Conservation District shall make full and due report of their activities and financial affairs since the last annual meeting.

TWO:

The supervisors shall conduct an election by secret ballot of qualified electors there present, of one supervisor to serve for a term of three years from date of said meeting.

The term of Janet Billips is expiring.

All in the county of Graham in the State of Kansas.

By Janet Billips
Chairperson
Graham County Conservation District

Attest

Jeri McNeal
District Secretary / Manager

Two Day January Consignment Auction

Tues. Jan. 21st & Wed. Jan. 22nd 2025

At lot East of Brush, CO at Jnct of Hwys 34 & 71

Advertising Deadline for the Auction is

FRIDAY, January 3rd 2025.

Selling Farm & Construction Equip, Tractors, Loaders, Forklifts, Skid Steers, Semi & Farm Trucks, Vehicles, ATV's, all types of Trailers, Livestock Equipment, Farm & Construction Attachments & more.

ALL ITEMS WILL INCLUDE ONLINE BIDDING CAPABILITIES, Live On-Site Bidding Plus Phone & Absentee Bidding.

Make sure you call in your items to take advantage of our extensive advertising package.

CONTACT AMA WITH QUESTIONS ABOUT WHAT ITEMS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

Auctioneers Miller & Associates

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Land for Sale

620 Acres Irrigated - Thomas County, KS

Located 7 miles North and 2 miles East of Oakley, KS. The Buyer shall receive all of the 2025 growing wheat crop and all applied fertilizer on the open cropland acres. The Buyer shall also receive all of the Seller's mineral rights. **\$5,200/Acre**

160 Acres Prime Cropland - Thomas County, KS

Located 7 miles North and 3 miles East of Oakley, KS. The Buyer shall receive all of the Seller's interest in the mineral rights, including the Seller's 1/2 interest in the production from an existing oil well. **\$3,800/Acre** (www.homelandre.com)



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Land for Sale

640 Acres Irrigated - Logan County, KS (Including Outstanding Improvements)

Located 1 mile South of Oakley, KS on US Highway 83. This is a highly productive Irrigated farm in a great location. The Buyer shall receive all of the 2025 growing wheat crop and all applied fertilizer on the open cropland acres. The Buyer shall also receive all of the Seller's interest in the mineral rights and shared production from a neighboring oil well. This property is priced at **\$6,000,000.00!** For additional information and drone footage visit our website @ www.homelandre.com



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