



# FARM BUREAU SAN DIEGO COUNTY

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## Membership Assistance Application

The San Diego County Farm Bureau offers a limited number of donated agricultural memberships to financially challenged farmers wishing to join the organization for the first time, or to existing members experiencing unusual difficulties (such as extreme weather or physical injuries) and unable to pay full dues payments. Membership assistance is valid for 1 year. Qualified applicants must be part of an active farm operation. If selected, the fact that you were awarded membership assistance will remain confidential. Awardees may not apply again after receiving membership assistance.

**About Us:** The San Diego County Farm Bureau, serving as the voice of local farmers, is a non-profit organization with a mission to foster San Diego agriculture through education, public relations and public policy advocacy in order to promote the economic viability, sustainability and community building of agriculture. In San Diego County, the Farm Bureau is the leading advocate for the farm community and we work closely with agricultural operators, elected officials, government agencies, educators, the public and the media.

Agricultural memberships include:

- *San Diego Grown*, a quarterly San Diego County Farm Bureau newsletter
- *Ag Alert*, a weekly printed newspaper for California agriculture
- *Monday Updates*, weekly Farm Bureau emails discussing relevant agricultural issues

To apply for membership assistance, please answer the following questions:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please provide a brief description of your farm, including history or anything special about you and your farm.**

What do you grow?

How large is your farm?

How long have you been farming?

What are your long term farming goals?

Why would you like to be part of the San Diego County Farm Bureau?

How did you find out about the San Diego County Farm Bureau Membership Assistance Program?

How will Membership Assistance benefit you and your farm?

What circumstances led you to seek membership assistance?

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Submit application**

- Save the pdf and email application to [katie@sdfarmbureau.org](mailto:katie@sdfarmbureau.org) with **Membership Assistance Application** in the subject line. Once submitted, you will receive a confirmation email. **OR**
- Print and mail to:

*San Diego County Farm Bureau  
Membership Assistance Program  
420 S. Broadway, Suite 200  
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