



2026

Herd Classification Schedule



JANUARY 2026

Area 1

Eastern New York

Albany, Bronx, Columbia, Dutchess, Essex, Fulton, Greene, Hamilton, Kings, Montgomery, Nassau, New York, Orange, Putnam, Queens, Rensselaer, Richmond, Rockland, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Suffolk, Sullivan, Ulster, Warren, Washington, Westchester

North Central Pennsylvania

Bradford, Cameron, Centre, Clinton, Columbia, Elk, Lycoming, McKean, Montour, Northumberland, Potter, Snyder, Sullivan, Tioga, Union

Area 2

Southern Michigan

Allegan, Barry, Berrien, Branch, Calhoun, Cass, Clinton, Eaton, Hillside, Ingham, Ionia, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Kent, Lenawee, Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, Ottawa, St. Joseph, Van Buren, Washtenaw, Wayne

Area 3

Illinois

Adams, Alexander, Bond, Brown, Bureau, Calhoun, Cass, Champaign, Christian, Clark, Clay, Clinton, Coles, Crawford, Cumberland, DeWitt, Douglass, Edgar, Edwards, Effingham, Fayette, Ford, Franklin, Fulton, Gallatin, Greene, Hamilton, Hancock, Hardin, Henderson, Henry, Iroquois, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Jersey, Johnson, Kankakee, Knox, Lawrence, Livingston, Logan, Macon, Macoupin, Madison, Marion, Marshall, Mason, Massac, McDonough, McLean, Menard, Mercer, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, Moultrie, Peoria, Perry, Piatt, Pike, Pope, Pulaski, Putnam, Randolph, Richland, Rock Island, Saline, Sangamon, Schuyler, Scott, Shelby, St. Clair, Stark, Tazewell, Union, Vermillion, Wabash, Washington, Wayne, White, Williamson, Woodford

Central Wisconsin

Langlade, Marathon, Menominee, Oconto, Outagamie, Shawano, Waupaca, Waushara, Winnebago

Area 4

North Central California

Alameda, Alpine, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, Colusa, Contra, Costa, Del Norte, El Dorado, Glenn, Humboldt, Lake, Lassen, Marin, Mariposa, Mendocino, Merced, Modoc, Mono, Napa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, San Francisco, San Joaquin, San Mateo, Santa Barbara, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Solano, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Tehama, Trinity, Tuolumne, Yolo, Yuba

Nevada

All

FEBRUARY 2026

Area 1

Connecticut

All

Western Maryland

Allegany, Garrett

Maine

All

Massachusetts

All

New Hampshire

All

Southwest Pennsylvania

Armstrong, Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Clarion, Clearfield, Fayette, Indiana, Jefferson, Somerset, Westmoreland

Rhode Island

All

Vermont

All

Area 2

Alabama

All

Louisiana

All

Mississippi

All

Area 3

Eastern Iowa

Allamakee, Benton, Black Hawk, Bremer, Buchanan, Butler, Cedar, Chickasaw, Clayton, Clinton, Davis, Delaware, Des Moines, Dubuque, Fayette, Floyd, Grundy, Henry, Howard, Iowa, Jackson, Jefferson, Johnson, Jones, Keokuk, Lee, Linn, Louisa, Mahaska, Mitchell, Muscatine, Poweshiek, Scott, Tama, Van Buren, Wapello, Washington, Winneshiek, Worth

West Central Wisconsin

Adams, Crawford, Grant, Juneau, Lacrosse, Monroe, Portage, Richland, Sauk, Vernon, Wood

Area 4

Arkansas

All

Missouri

All

MARCH 2026

Area 1

New Jersey

All

Eastern Pennsylvania

Berks, Bucks, Carbon, Chester, Delaware, Lackawanna, Lehigh, Luzerne, Monroe, Montgomery, Northampton, Philadelphia, Pike, Schuylkill, Susquehanna, Wayne, Wyoming

Area 2

Southern Indiana

Bartholomew, Brown, Clark, Clay, Crawford, Daviess, Dearborn, Decatur, Dubois, Fayette, Floyd, Franklin, Gibson, Greene, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Johnson, Knox, Lawrence, Martin, Monroe, Morgan, Ohio, Orange, Owen, Perry, Pike, Posey, Ripley, Rush, Scott, Shelby, Spencer, Sullivan, Switzerland, Union, Vanderburgh, Vigo, Warrick, Washington

Kentucky

All

Tennessee

All

Area 3

Southeastern Minnesota

Anoka, Benton, Blue Earth, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Dodge, Faribault, Fillmore, Freeborn, Goodhue, Hennepin, Houston, Isanti, Kanabec, Le Sueur, McLeod, Meeker, Mille Lacs, Mower, Nicollet, Olmstead, Ramsey, Rice, Scott, Sherburne, Sibley, Stearns, Steele, Wabasha, Waseca, Washington, Winona, Wright

Northwest Wisconsin

Barron, Buffalo, Dunn, Eau Claire, Jackson, Pepin, Pierce, Polk, St. Croix, Trempealeau

Area 4

Southern Idaho

Ada, Adams, Bannock, Bear Lake, Bingham, Blaine, Boise, Bonneville, Butte, Camas, Canton, Caribou, Cassia, Clark, Custer, Elmore, Franklin, Fremont, Gem, Gooding, Idaho, Jefferson, Jerome, Lemhi, Lincoln, Madison, Minidoka, Oneida, Owyhee, Payette, Power, Teton, Twin Falls, Valley, Washington

Montana

All

Eastern Oregon

Baker, Malheur, Union, Wallowa

Utah

All

APRIL 2026

Area 1

South Central Pennsylvania

Adams, Cumberland, Dauphin,
Franklin, Fulton, Huntingdon, Juniata,
Lancaster, Lebanon, Mifflin, Perry, York

Area 2

Northern Indiana

Adams, Allen, Benton, Blackford,
Boone, Carroll, Cass, De Kalb,
Delaware, Elkhart, Fountain, Fulton,
Grant, Hamilton, Hancock, Hendricks,
Henry, Howard, Huntingdon, Jasper,
Jay, Kosciusko, Lagrange, Lake,
LaPorte, Madison, Marion, Marshall,
Miami, Montgomery, Newton, Noble,
Parke, Porter, Pulaski, Putnam,
Randolph, St. Joseph, Starke, Steuben,
Tippecanoe, Tipton, Vermillion,
Wabash, Warren, Wayne, Wells,
White, Whitely

Upper Michigan

Alger, Baraga, Delta, Dickinson,
Gogebic, Houghton, Iron, Keweenaw,
Marquette, Menominee, Ontonagon,
Schoolcraft

Western Ohio

Adams, Allen, Auglaize, Brown, Butler,
Champaign, Clark, Clermont, Darke,
Defiance, Delaware, Fayette, Franklin,
Fulton, Greene, Hamilton, Hancock,
Hardin, Henry, Highland, Logan, Lucas,
Madison, Marion, Mercer, Miami,
Montgomery, Ottawa, Paulding,
Pickaway, Pike, Preble, Putnam, Ross,
Sandusky, Scioto, Seneca, Shelby,
Union, Van Wert, Warren, Williams,
Wood, Wyandot

Area 3

Northern Wisconsin

Ashland, Bayfield, Burnett, Chippewa,
Clark, Douglas, Florence, Forest, Iron,
Lincoln, Marinette, Oneida, Price,
Rusk, Sawyer, Taylor, Vilas, Washburn

Area 4

Arizona

All

Southern California

Fresno, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Los
Angeles, Madera, Monterey,
Orange, Riverside, San Benito, San
Bernadino, San Diego, San Luis
Obispo, Tulare, Ventura

MAY 2026

Area 1

Central New York

Broome, Cayuga, Chemung,
Chenango, Cortland, Delaware,
Herkimer, Madison, Oneida,
Onondaga, Ontario, Otsego,
Schuyler, Seneca, Steuben, Tioga,
Tompkins, Wayne, Yates

Area 2

Florida

All

Georgia

All

South Carolina

All

Area 3

Central/Western Iowa

Adair, Adams, Appanoose, Audubon,
Boone, Buena Vista, Calhoun, Carroll,
Cass, Cerro Gordo, Cherokee, Clarke,
Clay, Crawford, Dallas, Decatur,
Dickinson, Emmet, Franklin, Fremont,
Greene, Guthrie, Hamilton, Hancock,
Hardin, Harrison, Humboldt, Ida,
Jasper, Kossuth, Lucas, Lyon, Madison,
Marion, Marshall, Mills, Monona,
Monroe, Montgomery, O'Brien,
Osceola, Page, Palo Alto, Plymouth,
Pocahontas, Polk, Pottawattamie,
Ringgold, Sac, Shelby, Sioux, Story,
Taylor, Union, Warren, Wayne,
Webster, Winnebago, Woodbury,
Wright

Southwestern Minnesota

Big Stone, Brown, Chippewa,
Cottonwood, Jackson, Kandiyohi,
Lac Qui Parle, Lincoln, Lyon, Martin,
Murray, Noble, Pipestone, Pope,
Redwood, Renville, Rock, Stevens,
Swift, Watonwan, Yellow Medicine

South Dakota

All

Eastern Wisconsin

Brown, Calumet, Door, Kewaunee,
Manitowoc, Ozaukee, Sheboygan,
Washington

Area 4

Colorado

All

Kansas

All

Nebraska

All

Wyoming

All

JUNE 2026

Area 1

Western New York

Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua,
Erie, Genesee, Livingston, Monroe,
Niagara, Orleans, Wyoming

North Carolina

All

Western Pennsylvania

Allegheny, Beaver, Butler, Crawford,
Erie, Forest, Greene, Lawrence, Mercer,
Venango, Warren, Washington

Virginia

All

West Virginia

All

Area 2

Eastern Ohio

Ashland, Ashtabula, Athens,
Belmont, Carroll, Columbiana,
Coshocton, Cuyahoga, Erie, Fairfield,
Gallia, Geauga, Guernsey, Harrison,
Hocking, Holmes, Huron, Jackson,
Jefferson, Knox, Lake, Lawrence,
Licking, Lorain, Mahoning, Medina,
Meigs, Monroe, Morgan, Morrow,
Muskingum, Noble, Perry, Portage,
Richland, Stark, Summit, Trumbull,
Tuscarawas, Vinton, Washington,
Wayne

Area 3

Northwestern Illinois

Carroll, Jo Daviess, Lee, Ogle,
Stephenson, Whiteside, Winnebago

Northern Minnesota

Aitkin, Becker, Beltrami, Carlton, Cass,
Clay, Clearwater, Cook, Crow Wing,
Douglas, Grant, Hubbard, Itasca,
Kittson, Koochiching, Lake, Lake of the
Woods, Mahnomen, Marshall, Morrison,
Norman, Otter Tail, Pennington, Pine,
Polk, Red Lake, Roseau, St. Louis, Todd,
Traverse, Wadena, Wilkin

North Dakota

All

Southwestern Wisconsin

Dane, Green, Iowa, Lafayette

Area 4

Northern Idaho

Benewah, Bonner, Boundary,
Clearwater, Kootenai, Latah, Lewis,
Nez Perce, Shoshone

Western Oregon

Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop,
Columbia, Coos, Crook, Curry,
Deschutes, Douglas, Gilliam, Grant,
Harney, Hood River, Jackson,
Jefferson, Josephine, Klamath,
Lake, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion,
Morrow, Multnomah, Polk, Sherman,
Tillamook, Umatilla, Wasco,
Washington, Wheeler, Yamhill

Washington

All

JULY 2026

Area 1

Delaware All

Maryland

Anne, Arundel, Baltimore, Baltimore City, Calvert, Caroline, Carroll, Cecil, Charles, Dorchester, Frederick, Harford, Howard, Kent, Montgomery, Prince Georges, Queen Annes, Somerset, St. Marys, Talbot, Washington, Wicomico, Worcester

Northeastern New York

Clinton, Franklin, Jefferson, Lewis, Oswego, St. Lawrence

Area 2

Northern Michigan

Alcona, Alpena, Antrim, Arenac, Bay, Benzie, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Chippewa, Clare, Crawford, Emmet, Genesee, Gladwin, Grand Traverse, Gratiot, Huron, Iosco, Isabella, Kalkaska, Lake, Lapeer, Leelanau, Luce, Mackinac, Manistee, Mason, Mecosta, Midland, Missaukee, Montcalm, Montmorency, Muskegon, Newaygo, Oceana, Ogemaw, Osceola, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle, Roscommon, Saginaw, St. Clair, Sanilac, Shiawassee, Tuscola, Wexford

Area 3

Northeastern Illinois

Boone, Cook, DeKalb, DuPage, Grundy, Kane, Kendall, Lake, LaSalle, McHenry, Will

Southeastern Wisconsin

Columbia, Dodge, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Jefferson, Kenosha, Marquette, Milwaukee, Racine, Rock, Walworth, Waukesha

Area 4

New Mexico All

Oklahoma All

Texas All

AUGUST 2026

Area 1

Eastern New York

Albany, Bronx, Columbia, Dutchess, Essex, Fulton, Greene, Hamilton, Kings, Montgomery, Nassau, New York, Orange, Putnam, Queens, Rensselaer, Richmond, Rockland, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Suffolk, Sullivan, Ulster, Warren, Washington, Westchester

North Central Pennsylvania

Bradford, Cameron, Centre, Clinton, Columbia, Elk, Lycoming, McKean, Montour, Northumberland, Potter, Snyder, Sullivan, Tioga, Union

Area 2

Southern Michigan

Allegan, Barry, Berrien, Branch, Calhoun, Cass, Clinton, Eaton, Hillside, Ingham, Ionia, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Kent, Lenawee, Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, Ottawa, St. Joseph, Van Buren, Washtenaw, Wayne

Area 3

Illinois

Adams, Alexander, Bond, Brown, Bureau, Calhoun, Cass, Champaign, Christian, Clark, Clay, Clinton, Coles, Crawford, Cumberland, DeWitt, Douglass, Edgar, Edwards, Effingham, Fayette, Ford, Franklin, Fulton, Gallatin, Greene, Hamilton, Hancock, Hardin, Henderson, Henry, Iroquois, Jackson, Jasper, Jefferson, Jersey, Johnson, Kankakee, Knox, Lawrence, Livingston, Logan, Macon, Macoupin, Madison, Marion, Marshall, Mason, Massac, McDonough, McLean, Menard, Mercer, Monroe, Montgomery, Morgan, Moultrie, Peoria, Perry, Piatt, Pike, Pope, Pulaski, Putnam, Randolph, Richland, Rock Island, Saline, Sangamon, Schuyler, Scott, Shelby, St. Clair, Stark, Tazewell, Union, Vermillion, Wabash, Washington, Wayne, White, Williamson, Woodford

Central Wisconsin

Langlade, Marathon, Menominee, Oconto, Outagamie, Shawano, Waupaca, Waushara, Winnebago

Area 4

Northern California

Alameda, Alpine, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, Colusa, Contra, Costa, Del Norte, El Dorado, Glenn, Humboldt, Lake, Lassen, Marin, Mariposa, Mendocino, Merced, Modoc, Mono, Napa, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Sacramento, San Francisco, San Joaquin, San Mateo, Santa Barbara, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Solano, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Tehama, Trinity, Tuolumne, Yolo, Yuba

Nevada All

SEPTEMBER 2026

Area 1

Connecticut All

Western Maryland

Allegany, Garrett

Maine All

Massachusetts All

New Hampshire All

Southwest Pennsylvania

Armstrong, Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Clarion, Clearfield, Fayette, Indiana, Jefferson, Somerset, Westmoreland

Rhode Island All

Vermont All

Area 2

Alabama All

Louisiana All

Mississippi All

Area 3

Eastern Iowa

Allamakee, Benton, Black Hawk, Bremer, Buchanan, Butler, Cedar, Chickasaw, Clayton, Clinton, Davis, Delaware, Des Moines, Dubuque, Fayette, Floyd, Grundy, Henry, Howard, Iowa, Jackson, Jefferson, Johnson, Jones, Keokuk, Lee, Linn, Louisa, Mahaska, Mitchell, Muscatine, Poweshiek, Scott, Tama, Van Buren, Wapello, Washington, Winneshiek, Worth

West Central Wisconsin

Adams, Crawford, Grant, Juneau, Lacrosse, Monroe, Portage, Richland, Sauk, Vernon, Wood

Area 4

Arkansas All

Missouri All

OCTOBER 2026

Area 1

New Jersey All

Eastern Pennsylvania

Berks, Bucks, Carbon, Chester, Delaware, Lackawanna, Lehigh, Luzerne, Monroe, Montgomery, Northampton, Philadelphia, Pike, Schuylkill, Susquehanna, Wayne, Wyoming

Area 2

Southern Indiana

Bartholomew, Brown, Clark, Clay, Crawford, Daviess, Dearborn, Decatur, Dubois, Fayette, Floyd, Franklin, Gibson, Greene, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Johnson, Knox, Lawrence, Martin, Monroe, Morgan, Ohio, Orange, Owen, Perry, Pike, Posey, Ripley, Rush, Scott, Shelby, Spencer, Sullivan, Switzerland, Union, Vanderburgh, Vigo, Warrick, Washington

Kentucky All

Tennessee All

Area 3

Southeastern Minnesota

Anoka, Benton, Blue Earth, Carver, Chisago, Dakota, Dodge, Faribault, Fillmore, Freeborn, Goodhue, Hennepin, Houston, Isanti, Kanabec, Le Sueur, McLeod, Meeker, Mille Lacs, Mower, Nicollet, Olmstead, Ramsey, Rice, Scott, Sherburne, Sibley, Stearns, Steele, Wabasha, Waseca, Washington, Winona, Wright

Northwest Wisconsin

Barron, Buffalo, Dunn, Eau Claire, Jackson, Pepin, Pierce, Polk, St. Croix, Trempealeau

Area 4

Southern Idaho

Ada, Adams, Bannock, Bear Lake, Bingham, Blaine, Boise, Bonneville, Butte, Camas, Canton, Caribou, Cassia, Clark, Custer, Elmore, Franklin, Fremont, Gem, Gooding, Idaho, Jefferson, Jerome, Lemhi, Lincoln, Madison, Minidoka, Oneida, Owyhee, Payette, Power, Teton, Twin Falls, Valley, Washington

Montana All

Eastern Oregon

Baker, Malheur, Union, Wallowa

Utah All

NOVEMBER 2026

Area 1

South Central Pennsylvania

Adams, Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Fulton, Huntingdon, Juniata, Lancaster, Lebanon, Mifflin, Perry, York

Area 2

Northern Indiana

Adams, Allen, Benton, Blackford, Boone, Carroll, Cass, De Kalb, Delaware, Elkhart, Fountain, Fulton, Grant, Hamilton, Hancock, Hendricks, Henry, Howard, Huntingdon, Jasper, Jay, Kosciusko, Lagrange, Lake, LaPorte, Madison, Marion, Marshall, Miami, Montgomery, Newton, Noble, Parke, Porter, Pulaski, Putnam, Randolph, St. Joseph, Starke, Steuben, Tippecanoe, Tipton, Vermillion, Wabash, Warren, Wayne, Wells, White, Whitely

Upper Michigan

Alger, Baraga, Delta, Dickinson, Gogebic, Houghton, Iron, Keweenaw, Marquette, Menominee, Ontonagon, Schoolcraft

Western Ohio

Adams, Allen, Auglaize, Brown, Butler, Champaign, Clark, Clermont, Darke, Defiance, Delaware, Fayette, Franklin, Fulton, Greene, Hamilton, Hancock, Hardin, Henry, Highland, Logan, Lucas, Madison, Marion, Mercer, Miami, Montgomery, Ottawa, Paulding, Pickaway, Pike, Preble, Putnam, Ross, Sandusky, Scioto, Seneca, Shelby, Union, Van Wert, Warren, Williams, Wood, Wyandot

Area 3

Northern Wisconsin

Ashland, Bayfield, Burnett, Chippewa, Clark, Douglas, Florence, Forest, Iron, Lincoln, Marinette, Oneida, Price, Rusk, Sawyer, Taylor, Vilas, Washburn

Area 4

Arizona All

Southern California

Fresno, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Los Angeles, Madera, Monterey, Orange, Riverside, San Benito, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Luis Obispo, Tulare, Ventura

DECEMBER 2026

Area 1

Central New York

Broome, Cayuga, Chemung, Chenango, Cortland, Delaware, Herkimer, Madison, Oneida, Onondaga, Ontario, Otsego, Schuyler, Seneca, Steuben, Tioga, Tompkins, Wayne, Yates

Area 2

Florida All

Georgia All

South Carolina All

Area 3

Central/Western Iowa

Adair, Adams, Appanoose, Audubon, Boone, Buena Vista, Calhoun, Carroll, Cass, Cerro Gordo, Cherokee, Clarke, Clay, Crawford, Dallas, Decatur, Dickinson, Emmet, Franklin, Fremont, Greene, Guthrie, Hamilton, Hancock, Hardin, Harrison, Humboldt, Ida, Jasper, Kossuth, Lucas, Lyon, Madison, Marion, Marshall, Mills, Monona, Monroe, Montgomery, O'Brien, Osceola, Page, Palo Alto, Plymouth, Pocahontas, Polk, Pottawattamie, Ringgold, Sac, Shelby, Sioux, Story, Taylor, Union, Warren, Wayne, Webster, Winnebago, Woodbury, Wright

Southwestern Minnesota

Big Stone, Brown, Chippewa, Cottonwood, Jackson, Kandiyohi, Lac Qui Parle, Lincoln, Lyon, Martin, Murray, Noble, Pipestone, Pope, Redwood, Renville, Rock, Stevens, Swift, Watonwan, Yellow Medicine

South Dakota All

Eastern Wisconsin

Brown, Calumet, Door, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Ozaukee, Sheboygan, Washington

Area 4

Colorado All

Kansas All

Nebraska All

Wyoming All



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