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# Greenville and Pickens FSA County Updates

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### Next County Committee

**Meeting:** To Be Announced

## Livestock Forage Losses

Livestock producers in both Greenville and Pickens Counties are eligible to apply for program year 2017 Livestock Forage Disaster Program (LFP) benefits on improved pasture acres.

LFP provides compensation to eligible livestock producers who suffer grazing losses for covered livestock due to drought on privately owned or cash leased land or fire on federally managed land.

County committees can only accept LFP applications after notification is received by the National Office of qualifying drought or if a federal agency prohibits producers from grazing normal permitted livestock on federally managed lands due to qualifying fire.

Eligible livestock producers must complete a CCC-853 and the required supporting documentation no later than January 30, 2018 for 2017 losses if you have completed your pasture acreage reports timely. If you have not reported your pasture acres to this office, then the deadline to do this is November 15, 2017 to remain eligible for these program benefits.

Additional Information about LFP, including eligible livestock and fire criteria, is available at your local FSA office or online at: [www.fsa.usda.gov](http://www.fsa.usda.gov).

Please contact the Greenville/Pickens FSA Office at (864) 467-2798, extension 2, to set up an appointment and to discuss information that is required to complete the application.