

# So, you want to be a farmer— what you need to know before you start



## A Beginning Farmer's Workshop

**February 7, 2018**

**9 am-4 pm**

**Person County Office**

**Building Auditorium**

**304 S. Morgan St.**

**Roxboro, NC**

**Questions:**

Call 336-599-1195 or  
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This will be a full day of education for anyone with little or no experience in agriculture, who is interested in starting a farming operation. Topics will include basic needs for livestock and crops, the terminology of farming, the economics side of farming, equipment, risks and more. Registration covers speakers, materials and lunch. Come for a day filled with learning.

### Agenda (tentative)

9 am	Registration
9:30 am	Opening Remarks
9:45 am	Terminology/Jeopardy
10:05 am	Good Land Cheap
10:30 am	Break
10:50 am	Basic Crop Needs
11:15 am	Basic Livestock Needs
11:40 am	Grants
12 noon	Lunch
12:50 pm	Food Safety
1:15 pm	What Can Go Wrong?
1:30 pm	I Need a Big Tractor
1:45 pm	Call a Vet
2:00 pm	Break
2:15 pm	What the Lender Wants
2:30 pm	Can I make \$\$?
3:30 pm	Q&A/Wrap-Up

Return Registration to: NC Cooperative Extension, Person County

304 S. Morgan St. Rm 123, Roxboro, NC 27573

Pre-registration fee (**before January 31**): \$25 per person  
\$40 for 2 people from same farm

After January 31: \$35 (single person)/ \$50 (2 from same farm)

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

How many will attend? \_\_\_\_\_ Amount paid: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of 2nd person: \_\_\_\_\_ Farm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Make Check Payable to: **Person County**

Persons with disabilities and persons with limited English proficiency may request accommodations to participate by contacting Paul Westfall, North Carolina Cooperative Extension, Person County at 336-599-1195 or Granville County at 919-603-1350 or in person, at least 3 weeks prior to the event.

