



Farm Credit supports rural communities and agriculture with reliable and consistent credit and financial services, today and tomorrow. Established by the U.S. Congress through the Federal Farm Loan Act of 1916, Farm Credit cooperatives provide American farm families with the financing they need to start, sustain, and grow their operations. Today, Farm Credit cooperatives provide more than \$200 billion in loans, leases, and related services - which is more than a third of the credit needed by U.S. agriculture.

Illinois is served by two separate Farm Credit associations. Farm Credit Illinois is based in Mahomet and serves the southern 60 counties in Illinois; Compeer Financial is based in Sun Prairie, Wisc. and serves the northern 42 counties - along with parts of Minnesota and Wisconsin. Together, the two Farm Credit associations provide Illinois agriculture with more than \$10 billion of financing and more than 3 million acres of crop insurance coverage. The two Associations' cooperative ownership includes 18,000 Illinois farm families, agribusinesses, and rural landowners.

Farm Credit helps improve the quality of life of farmers and of Rural America through its commitment to competitive lending and risk management products, expert financial services and advice, and a partnership-based relationship with each shareholder. Products and services include:

- Farm Real Estate Loans
- Operating Loans
- Equipment Financing
- Agribusiness Loans
- Crop Insurance
- Farm Appraisals

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