

2026 NEW ENGLAND REGENERATIVE LIVESTOCK FARMING GRANT

by American Farmland Trust

\$10,000 GRANTS AVAILABLE

FUNDS ARE INTENDED TO SUPPORT FIELD-BASED CONSERVATION PRACTICE PROJECTS
THAT IMPROVE SOIL HEALTH, WATER QUALITY, AND POLLINATOR HABITAT.
APPLICANTS CAN REQUEST UP TO \$10,000 UNDER THIS FUNDING OPPORTUNITY.

APPLY SEPTEMBER 15 - OCTOBER 24, 2025

ELIGIBILITY

- See map on next page for eligible counties
- Applicants must have been raising livestock for a minimum of one year
- A project may involve one or more of the following: an individual farmer, a farm family, a group of farmers with a cooperative business, or a non-profit entity
- Letter of support required
- Prior awardees may apply

ELIGIBLE FOR FUNDING

- Cover crop seed
- Pollinator habitat establishment
- Pasture establishment/reseeding
- Reduced tillage equipment
- Fencing to support rotational grazing
- Livestock watering systems
- Soil amendments and application

NOT SURE IF YOUR PROJECT IS ELIGIBLE?

Contact our staff for assistance: **Kristen Irvin** | Program Coordinator kirvin@farmland.org | 413-419-0023

TIMELINE

September 15, 2025: Applications OPEN
October 24, 2025: DEADLINE to submit
applications (by 5:00pm)

- January 2026: Awards announced
- Awardees have until June of 2026 to implement funded projects.
- 80% of awarded amount paid in early 2026; remaining payment made in Summer 2026

NOT ELIGIBLE FOR FUNDING

- Expenses incurred prior to award
- Purchase of livestock animals
- Barns or sheds
- Cold storage or farm stands
- Processing equipment, washrooms/packhouses
- Website development or marketing materials
- Classes/Trainings
- Aquaculture, forestry or equine operations
- Operations producing only for personal/household or family consumption

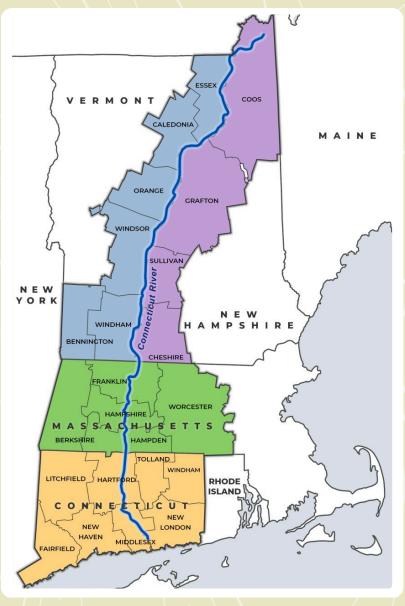




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APPLY BY FRIDAY OCTOBER 24, 2025, NO LATER THAN 5:00PM **AWARDS ANNOUNCED IN JANUARY 2026**



ELIGIBLE COUNTIES

NEW HAMPSHIRE

- Coos
- Sullivan
- Grafton
- Cheshire

VERMONT

- **Essex**
- Windsor
- Caledonia
- Windham
- Orange
- Bennington

CONNECTICUT

- Litchfield
- New Haven
 New London
- **Fairfield**
- Tolland
- Windham

- Hartford
- Middlesex

MASSACHUSETTS

- Berkshire
- Hampden
- Franklin
- Worcester
- **Hampshire**