June 2018 Programs Report

How many times have you said I wish there was a pre-payment report for ARC/PLC? Well, the wait is almost over. Beginning July 3rd, the 2017 ARC-CO / PLC Pre-Payment Report will available. You can find more information regarding the report on FSA Info Bulletin 9000 and 9001. Isn’t it handy that when doing acreage reporting, the acres for whole fields are prefilled so that there is less room for error? These are just 2 suggestions that have come from county offices thru the Programs Submissions on how to make our work more efficient for the benefit of all.

State Program Chairs have an upcoming conference call on July 19th with MWA Program Chair, Jamie Garriott. During the conference call I hope to be able to obtain information regarding any program submissions sent in by Illinois. NASCOE is currently working on a new program flyer. When it is complete it will be made available on the NASCOE website.

Program submissions can be submitted at any time throughout the year, not just for negotiations. Your suggestions can be submitted through the NASCOE website under the PROGRAMS tab. I am including the link for those interested in making a program suggestion. <https://nascoe.org/programs/programs-submission/>

Respectfully submitted,

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