



# APPLICATION AND RETURN FOR AGRICULTURAL CLASSIFICATION OF LANDS

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R. 2/21

Section 193.461, Florida Statutes

This form must be signed and returned on or before **March 1st**.

The undersigned, hereby request that the lands listed hereon, where appropriate, be classified as Agricultural Lands for property tax purposes, by the property appraiser of the county in which the lands are located.

Applicant Name: Address:	Return to: Leigh B Barfield, CFA Madison County Property Appraiser 229 SW Pinckney St Room 201 Madison FL 32340  Attention: Agriculture Department
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Parcel ID: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Legal Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Lands used primarily for agricultural purposes	Number of Acres	How long in this use?	Agricultural Income from this Property Complete for the past 4 years.				
		yrs	Year	Crop or Use	Gross Income	Expense	Net Income
Citrus:		yrs					
Cropland:		yrs					
Grazing Land:		yrs					
Number of Livestock:							
Timberland:		yrs					
Poultry, swine or beeyards:		yrs					
Other:		yrs	Date Purchased :		Purchased Price :		

Has a Tangible Personal Property Tax Return been filed with the county property appraiser for machinery and equipment? If yes, what name was the tangible return filed under? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes  No

Is the real property leased to others? **If yes, attach copy of lease agreement.** Yes  No

Has the real property been zoned to a nonagricultural use at the request of the owner? Yes  No

**As of January 1 of this year, 2024** the lands listed above were used **primarily** for "bona fide" agricultural purposes. Bona fide agricultural purpose means "good faith commercial agricultural use of the land."

I understand that the property appraiser may require supplemental and additional information, other than the application, and I am willing to comply with any reasonable request to furnish such information.

**Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have read the foregoing application and that the facts stated in it are true. If prepared by someone other than the applicant, his/her declaration is based on all information of which he/she has any knowledge.**

_____	_____
Signature	Date
_____	(     ) _____
Email Address	Phone Number

**For Record Purposes Only** This acknowledges receipt of your Application for Agricultural Classification of Lands on \_\_\_\_\_ for the above described property. \_\_\_\_\_ Date

Madison County

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature

### Record of Action of County Property Appraiser

- Application approved and all lands are classified agricultural
- Application disapproved and agricultural classification of lands denied on all lands.
- Application approved in part and disapproved in part. Agricultural classification of lands approved on the following described portion.

_____	_____
Signature	Date



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- 1. How long have you been in the agriculture business?
2. What type of Agricultural Business do you have?
3. Does the landowner operate the business? Yes No
4. Is the property leased to others? Yes No

If the land is leased, a copy of a current and fully executed lease must be attached.

Lessee's Name:

Lessee's Telephone No: E-mail:

Does the (landowner/ lessee) use other land in the county for Bona Fide Ag purposes? Yes No

If so, list the parcel numbers used in this Agriculture Business:

- 5. Is the land used PRIMARILY for bona fide commercial agricultural purposes? Yes No
Explain why. Identify all non-agricultural uses as of January 1.

- 6. Describe the agricultural use if any of the land at the time of purchase.

Describe the agricultural use if any of the land as of January 1.

Describe the agricultural use if any of the land at the time of this application.

- 7. What agricultural improvements have you made to the property?

Are there any barns or buildings located on the parcel? Yes No

Is the land irrigated? Yes No

Is the property fenced (pastureland)? Yes No



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- 8. What non-agricultural improvements have you made to the property? \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. Did you purchase this land with the intent of receiving income from its agricultural productivity? Yes  No
- 10. Do you own or lease any equipment (tractors, harrows, hay balers, etc.) used to support the agricultural activity on this land? Own: Yes  No   
Lease: Yes  No
- 11. Where is the primary location of the equipment? \_\_\_\_\_
- 12. If no equipment - who is the caretaker? \_\_\_\_\_
- 13. Is your primary residence located on the parcel in which you are seeking an agricultural classification? Yes  No
- 14. Do you file a Schedule F (Profit and Loss from Farming) with your IRS income tax return? Yes  No   
If yes, a copy may be requested. Note: All financial information is held confidentially.
- 15. What is the projected gross income the property will produce this year? \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 16. Is there a gate to your property? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes please select one of the following:
  - a. The gate will be unlocked \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Combination to the lock \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. Contact for inspection: Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

The information and answers to questions herein are complete, true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

PRINTED NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicants signature: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_