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Alaska Farmland Trust is a private, statewide non-profit land trust dedicated to assisting landowners who want to protect their agricultural lands.

Our goal is to secure Alaska's farmland for future generations, promote agricultural infrastructure through enhanced marketing and statewide policy and educate the public about agricultural issues.



1. Secure
2. Promote
3. Educate



SECURED:

315 acres

6 parcels

Under Contract:

75 acres

Applications:1

30 acres



Developer

Alaska
Farmland Trust

\$200,000
Donation



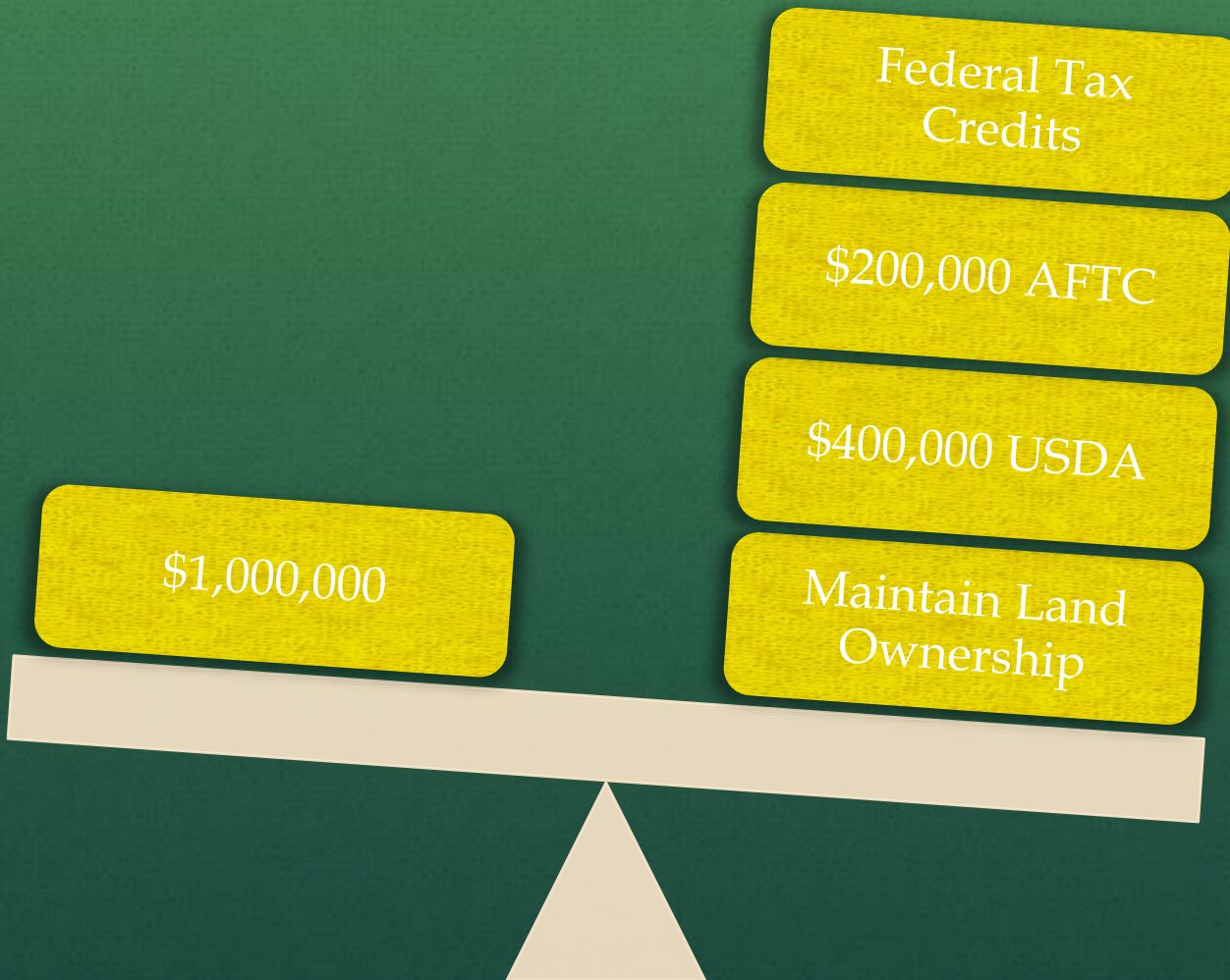
Federal Tax
Credits

\$200,000 AFTC

\$400,000 USDA

Maintain Land
Ownership

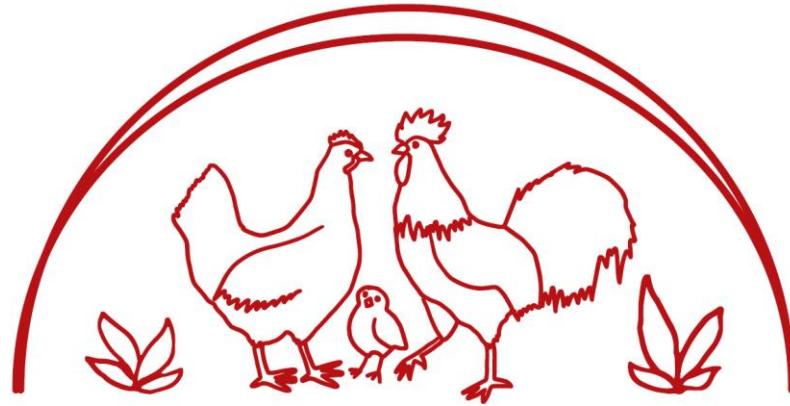
\$1,000,000



Promote agricultural infrastructure through enhanced marketing and statewide policy



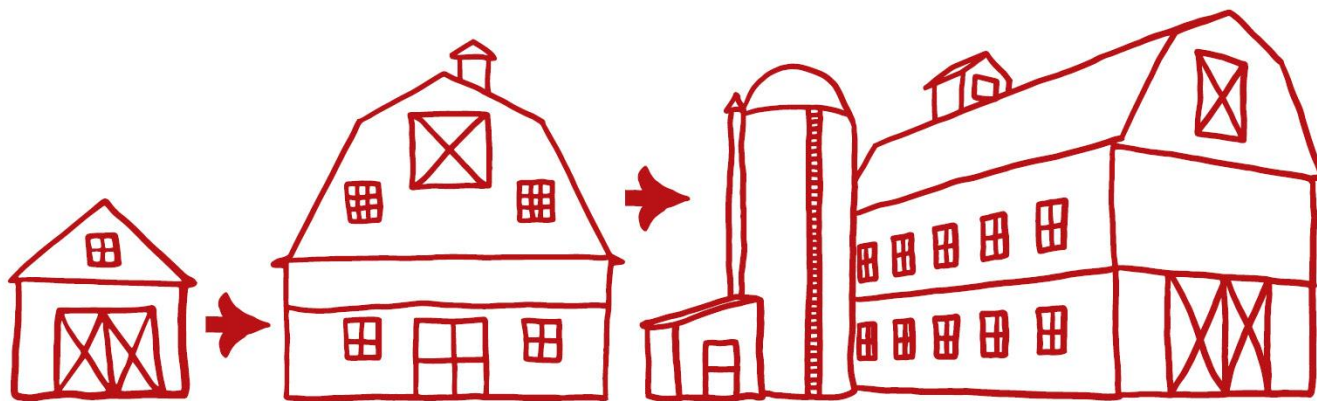
Educate the public about agricultural issues



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#1 IN THE NATION
FOR NEW FARMERS.

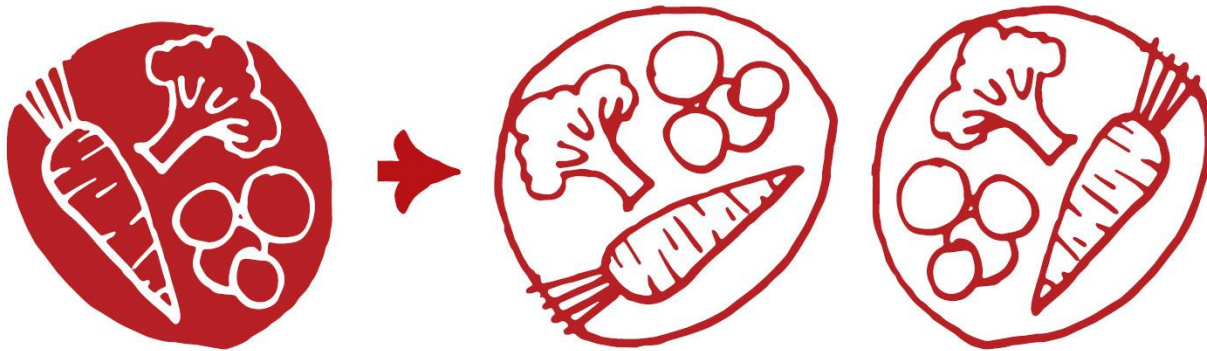
46% of Alaskan farmers have **less than 10 years** of farming experience. We are **#1 in the Nation** for beginning farmers.

THE NUMBER OF ALASKA
FARMS GREW
30%
OVER THE PAST 5 YEARS.



This goes against the national trend of
a 3% decrease in the number of farms -
but we're growing!

THE VALUE OF FOOD
SOLD DIRECTLY
TO CONSUMERS
INCREASED FROM
\$2.2 MILLION IN 2012 TO
\$4.5 MILLION IN 2017



Individual donations



How can you help?

TEXT
TO DONATE!
(907) 802-5892



Corporate donations



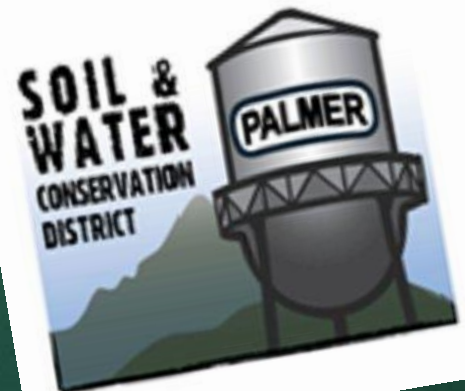
MEA CHARITABLE FOUNDATION
Operation Roundup® Program



A.R.R.C.



Alaska Farm
Bureau



Alaska
GROWN
MAT-SU FARM
BUREAU

We Are Alaska Grown

Fred Meyer



State & Federal Grants



United States Department of Agriculture

Natural Resources
Conservation Service



Committed to the future of rural communities.



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 **ALASKA FARMLAND TRUST**
DRINK BEER, SAVE FARMS! SUMMER CONCERT

The
Ken Pettier
Band

Saturday June 1, 2019 • 6 PM

Paradise Alaska 16105 East Outer Springer Loop, Palmer
Book Now at BrownPaperTickets.com • Family Friendly

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Happy Hour
in the
Greenhouse
at VanderWeele Farm



Food Security?

Definition?

Governments' role?

Short & Long Term strategic
objectives

Public Policy

Recommendations

Food Security?

All Alaskans have access to
affordable, healthy and
preferably local foods



Governments Role?

Promote agricultural infrastructure through enhanced marketing and statewide policy



Short & Long Term Strategies



Public Policy Recommendations



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