This Farmer Training and Certification (FTC) module provides an opportunity for urban and peri-urban farmers to learn how to write nutrient management plans for their own operations. As a grower, you have firsthand knowledge of your own crops, growing areas, and equipment. Who better to write your nutrient management plan than you? This seven-part series will teach you how to do it!

**Required Skills:**
Competency in high school math, familiarity with using a computer keyboard, and the ability to save and retrieve electronic files is essential for completion of the course and nutrient management plan development.

**You will receive:**
- **A comprehensive training binder** – that will be used during the class, serve as a reference during the exam, and used as a valuable resource when you write future plans for your operation;
- **Certification** – producers who pass the exam will be certified by MDA to write their own nutrient management plans; and
- **A discount** - on the purchase price of NuMan Pro, Maryland’s nutrient management planning software.

**Registration Information**
- Space is limited and registrations are accepted on a first-come basis; therefore, **register early**.
- Paid registrations ($20.00) must be received by February 25, 2020.
- For more information, please call 410-841-5959. Classes will be cancelled if there is lack of interest.

Keep this portion for your records

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**Registration Form**

Farmer Training & Certification for Intensive Small Scale Food Production Operations  
University of Maryland Extension, Baltimore City Office  
6615 Reisterstown Rd, Baltimore, MD 21215  
March 4, 6, 10, 11, 13, 18 (exam) and 25 (plan development), 2020  
(snow date March 12)

Return this portion with your payment of $20.00

Name ____________________________

Mailing Address ____________________________

County __________________ City ___________ State _____ Zip Code ____________

Telephone __________________ E-mail __________________

Special accommodations needed? ____________________________

Submit a separate form for each person. Make check payable to Maryland Department of Agriculture.  
Mail completed form and payment by February 26, 2020 to: Nutrient Management Program, Maryland Department of Agriculture, 50 Harry S Truman Pkwy, Annapolis, Maryland 21401.