For Immediate

Release Date: 07/06/2023

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Winchester, VA ~ Feeder Cattle ($/100wt.) (As of 06/28/2023)

Steers:

300 – 400	$200.00 - $222.00
400 - 500	5 $200.00 - $260.00
500 - 600	$215.00 - $253.00
600 - 700	$187.00 - $233.00
700 - 800	$157.00 - $222.00
800 - 900	$147.00 - $204.00

Heifers:

300 - 400	$160.00 - $225.00
400 - 500	$177.00 - $216.00
500 - 600	$190.00 - $223.00
600 – 700	$180.00 - $199.00
700 - 800	$167.00 - $177.00
800 - 900	$125.00 - $168.00

Slaughter Cows:

Breaker	$83.00 - $91.00
Boner	$75.00 - $86.00
Lean	$70.00 - $78.00

Maryland Grain Bids Prices Per Bushel (As of 06/27/2023)

#2 Shelled Corn	$6.36 - $6.81
#1 Soybeans	$13.54 - $14.75
#1 Wheat	$6.74 - $6.84

Wolgemuth Hay Auction ~ New Holland Hay and Straw Prices Per Ton (As of 06/26/2023)

Alfalfa	$190.00 - $375.00
Mixed Hay	$150.00 - $515.00
Wheat Straw	$155.00 - $200.00

AG Happenings

MDA Changes Nutrient Management Plan Writing

Since 1989, University of Maryland (UM) and Maryland Department of Agriculture (MDA) have cooperated on the development of the Maryland Nutrient Management program. MDA has provided pass through funding from the EPA to employ a Nutrient Management Plan writer in each county in the state. In 1998, Maryland passed laws mandating that any farm with 8,000 lbs. of livestock or $2,500 in agriculture income must have a nutrient management plan. On June 1, 2023, MDA announced major changes to the funding structure for nutrient management planning. MDA will no longer be funding UM Extension offices to write plans for farmers. Farmers are expected as of August 31, 2023 to seek a private consultant to write the plan or be trained to write their own plan. MDA is pledging to have a cost share program that will cover part of the costs of the plans. Please contact our office at 301-334-6960 with any questions or concerns.