



Agricultural Land Application

Office of the County Assessor

Owners of agricultural property must make application to the county assessor in which the special method of valuation is claimed. The burden of demonstrating primary agricultural use is placed on the owner of the land. This burden may be met with objective evidence of a bona fide agricultural use of the land for the year in which application is made. The value of land used primarily for agricultural purpose shall be determined on the basis of the land's capacity to produce agricultural products (NMSA 7-36-20), which has been determined to be 60 acres in Lincoln County.

1. Property Owner's Name: _____ Parcel ID: _____

Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

_____ Total Acreage: _____

2. Legal description of land: _____

3. Use of land during the year preceding this year (last year), for which application is being made:

Pasture: Yes _____ No _____ Farming: Yes _____ No _____

4. If the land is being farmed, complete the following:

a. List crops _____ b. Were crops sold? Yes _____ No _____

c. Number of acres irrigated _____ d. Number of acres farmed _____

5. Do you own livestock? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please complete a Livestock Owners Report.

6. Was land held for speculative land subdivision and sale or was land subdivided? Yes _____ No _____

7. Was land used for commercial purposes of a non-agricultural nature? Yes _____ No _____

8. Was land used for recreation? Yes _____ No _____ Explain _____

9. Was land leased? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, who is the lessee? Name: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

10. Is the land fenced? Yes _____ No _____ Are there buildings on the land? Yes _____ No _____

11. Is the land accessible for visual inspection? Yes _____ No _____

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Date received: _____ Approval: Yes _____ No _____ Verified By: _____

Comments: _____