

Funding Sources for Agriculture

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University of Maryland Extension Poultry Specialist Jennifer Timmons has developed a list of government agencies and non-profit organizations that can help chicken growers and others in agriculture identify funding sources and technical assistance for their operations. This is a very welcomed tool because it might be the only list of its type for Delmarva chicken growers. This list continues to be developed and additions and revisions will be added as programs change or new programs are implemented. Visit Dr. Timmons' website www.mdchick.umd.edu to gain access to the list that shows programs, details, and contact information. You can call Dr. Timmons at 410-742-1178 to request a copy.

The list provides information about financial and technical assistance programs related to business expansion and modernization, new energy sources on farms, energy efficiency, environmental and conservation practices, farmland preservation, disaster assistance, and much more.

Agencies and organizations working with growers in Maryland, Delaware, and Virginia are listed. □