

## **Acres USA**

[www.acresusa.com/magazines/magazine.htm](http://www.acresusa.com/magazines/magazine.htm)

America's largest, oldest commercial-scale organic and sustainable farming magazine.

## **Alaska Division of Agriculture**

[dnr.alaska.gov/ag/](http://dnr.alaska.gov/ag/)

Free marketing assistance. Alaska Grown promotion program. Small grants available for specialty crop research and marketing programs.

## **Alaska Farm Service Agency**

<http://www.fsa.usda.gov>

Loans, Transportation Reimbursement Program, Help with your business plan.

## **Alaska Food Policy Council**

<https://akfoodpolicycouncil.wordpress.com/>

Over 175 members whose goal is to provide recommendations and information regarding comprehensive policies that improve Alaska's food systems.

## **Alaska Natural Resource Conservation**

<http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/site/ak/home/>

Financial incentives for soil, water, wildlife conservation—including reimbursement for a percentage of the cost of a high tunnel (a popular program).

## **Alaska Small Business Development Center**

<http://aksbdc.org/>

Free one-to-one business counseling and workshops

## **American Farmland Trust**

[www.farmland.org](http://www.farmland.org)

American Farmland Trust is a national conservation organization dedicated to protecting farmland, promoting sound farming practices, and keeping farmers on the land.

## **AKSourceLink**

<http://www.aksourcelink.com/>

"Linking Alaska's small businesses to the right resource at the right time"

Search by "agribusiness" or peruse general resources.

Also see: <http://www.aksourcelink.com/businesses/resource-library/agribusiness>

## **ATTRA National Sustainable Agriculture Information Service**

<https://attra.ncat.org/>

Many publications—and find an internship, educational opportunity, or ask an expert.

## **Calypso Farm and Ecology Center**

[www.calypsofarm.org](http://www.calypsofarm.org)

Calypso's Farmer Training Program is an intensive experiential education program focused on providing the skills, inspiration and experience necessary for participants to embark on starting their own small farm with confidence. For more information, see:

<http://www.calypsofarm.org/education/training/>

## **Farm Aid**

[www.farmaid.org](http://www.farmaid.org)

Offers direct services of many kinds.

## **Google Extension Nationwide**

<http://www.extension.org/search>

Search for research-based information nationwide.

## **The Greenhorns**

[www.thegreenhorns.net](http://www.thegreenhorns.net)

A grassroots organization devoted to supporting new farmers in America.

## **National Young Farmer Coalition**

[www.youngfarmers.org](http://www.youngfarmers.org)

Offers resources and support to young farmers in America.

## **Rodale Institute**

[www.rodaleinstitute.org](http://www.rodaleinstitute.org)

Expert resources (see New Farm content) for crop and livestock production, direct marketing, local food systems, policy campaigns, and community-building.

## **Start2farm.gov**

<http://start2farm.gov/>

Website of the Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Program (BFRDP). Asks if you are, "Thinking about farming?" or "Already Farming?" Helps connect you with a BFRD.

## **UAF Cooperative Extension Service and School of Natural Resources and Extension**

[www.uaf.edu/ces](http://www.uaf.edu/ces) and [www.uaf.edu/snre](http://www.uaf.edu/snre)

Ask your local Extension agent about your specific situation. Find over 300 Alaska specific, research-based publications as well as agriculture research.

## **USDA New Farmers Website**

<http://www.usda.gov/newfarmers>

One stop website for USDA programs, grants, and assistance.