Agricultural & Forestal District Advisory Committee

Citizen Members (Producers) 4	**Term 4 years**
VACANT	May 13, 2023 – May 13, 2027
Billy Newman enviroforllc@netscape.net 356 Deer Run Lane Shipman, VA 22971 434-263-4172 (H)	May 13, 2023 – May 13, 2027 (T4)
Susan McSwain losthorseshoe3@gmail.com 3254 Dutch Creek Lane Shipman, VA 22971 434-263-6714 (H)	May 13, 2023 – May 13, 2027 (T5)
Ernie Reed ereed@nelsoncounty.org 971 Rainbow Ridge Road Faber, VA 22938 434-249-8330	May 13, 2023 – May 13, 2027 (T1)
Citizen Members (Other Landowners) 4	
Joyce Burton joybirdpt@gmail.com 96 Old Turtle Place Nellysford, VA 22958 434-361-2328	May 13, 2023 – May 13, 2027 (T3)
Ben Kessler bkessler@gm.slc.edu 1323 Glass Hollow Road Afton, VA 22920 434-227-2317 (H)	May 13, 2024 – May 13, 2028 (UT) (Appointed 06-11-24)
Deborah H. White debbiewhitecpa@gmail.com 749 Glass Hollow Road Afton, VA 22920 (804) 615-9151	May 13, 2023 – May 13, 2027 (UT) (Appointed 12-16-25)
Charlotte L. Rea the.creac1@gmail.com 411 Bland Wade Ln. Afton, VA 22920 540-456-6509 (H) 434-996-7291 (Cell)	August 13, 2023 – May 13, 2027 (T2)

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Board of Supervisors Member

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Establishment: Established by the Code of Virginia §15.2-4300 et seq. and the Code of Nelson County, Chapter 9, Article V. on February 11, 2003.

Members: Consists of 10 members, four (4) agricultural producers, four (4) other landowners, the Commissioner of Revenue and a Board of Supervisors member.

Term: Regular terms are 4 years from May 13th to May 13th with a term limit of 3 consecutive terms except in cases where there are no new applicants to fill the vacancy.

Summary of Duties: To advise the Planning Commission and the County governing body and assist in creating, reviewing, modifying, continuing or terminating districts within the county. In particular, the committee shall render expert advice as to the nature of farming and forestry and agricultural and forestal resources with the district(s) and their relation to the entire county.

Meetings: Meetings are held on an as needed basis. Members serve on a voluntary basis, but the Board of Supervisors may at its discretion, reimburse each member for actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of duties.