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Mineral is an important topic for all beef producers, without it, well you've got a lot of issues. But there are hundreds of different mineral options, so how are you supposed to know which one is the best fit for your herd? We understand how tough it can be for new, or even experienced producers, to create a mineral program, but we're here to help! Reach out to your salesman or call the office today to ask about our current mineral promotions.

MINERAL YEAR-ROUND

BUILDER BRAND

Beef Builder 6% Item number 11600-B

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Beef Builder 6% Cinnagar Item number 11603-B

Beef Builder 6% C5600 IGR Item number 11606-B

Beef Builder 6% C5600 Cinnagar Item number 11608-B

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Beef Builder R1200 Breeder Item number 11011-B

Beef Builder Green Pasture Hi Mag Item number 11110-B

Beef Builder Green Pasture Hi Mag C5600 Item number 11111-B

Beef Builder 8% Item number 11800-B

Beef Builder 10% Item number 11900-B

Beef Builder R1000 Item number 11410-B

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RangeLand Pro Mineral 6 Hi Mag AU5600 Item number 3003242-106

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RangeLand Pro Mineral 6 AU5600 Item number 3003270-106

RangeLand Pro Mineral 8 Item number 3003534-106

RangeLand Pro Mineral 8 AU5600 Item number 3003533-106

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RangeLand Pro Mineral 12 AU 5600 Item number 3003432-106

RangeLand Pro Mineral 12 Item number 3003527-106

RangeLand Pro Wht Past Mineral B1440 Item number 3003569-106

P6 Mineral AU5600/Altosid Item number 4678269-106

Summer Stocker Mineral AU/8/Altosid Item number 4675495

Summer Stocker R1360 Item number 4676552

Summer Stocker BF Min AU3500 Item number 4690003-106

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RECOMMENDED MINERALS

NOVEMBER, DECEMBER, JANUARY & FEBRUARY

Choose a basic mineral with Rumensin. *Availa options available

MARCH, APRIL & MAY

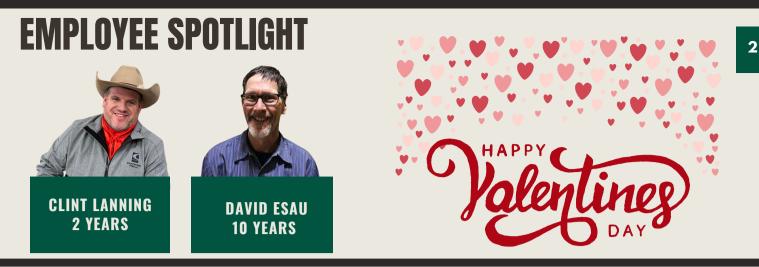
Time for a Hi Mag mineral. *Breeder options available *Fly Control options available

JUNE, JULY, AUGUST, SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER

Choose a medicated mineral with added fly control.

*Fescue options available





Agriculture Risk Coverage and Price Loss Coverage Programs Receive 2018 Farm Bill One Year Extension, Farmers Can Now Enroll for the 2024 Crop Year

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) today announced that agricultural producers can now enroll in the Farm Service Agency's (FSA) <u>Agriculture Risk Coverage</u> (<u>ARC</u>) and <u>Price Loss Coverage (PLC</u>) programs for the 2024 crop year. Producers can enroll and make election changes for the 2024 crop year starting Dec. 18, 2023. The deadline to complete enrollment and any election change is March 15, 2024.

On Nov. 16, 2023, President Biden signed into law H.R. 6363, the Further Continuing Appropriations and Other Extensions Act, 2024 (Pub. L. 118-22), which extended the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018 (Pub. L. 115-334), more commonly known as the 2018 Farm Bill, through September 30, 2024. This extension allows authorized programs, including ARC and PLC, to continue operating.

"Having the Farm Bill extension in place means business as usual for Agriculture Risk Coverage and Price Loss Coverage program implementation for the 2024 crop year — nothing has changed from previous years," said FSA Administrator Zach Ducheneaux."These programs provide critical financial protections against commodity market volatilities for many American farmers so don't delay enrollment. Avoid the rush and contact your local FSA office for an appointment because even if you are not changing your program election for 2024, you still need to sign a contract to enroll."

ARC and PLC are part of a broader USDA safety net that also includes crop insurance and marketing assistance loans. Producers are reminded that ARC and PLC elections and enrollments can impact eligibility for some crop insurance products. Producers on farms with a PLC election can purchase Supplemental Coverage Option (SCO) through their Approved Insurance Provider; however, producers on farms where ARC is the election are ineligible for SCO on their planted acres for that crop on that farm. Unlike SCO, the Enhanced Coverage Option (ECO) is unaffected by an ARC election. Producers may add ECO regardless of the farm program election. Upland cotton farmers who choose to enroll seed cotton base acres in ARC or PLC are ineligible for the stacked income protection plan (STAX) on their planted cotton acres for that farm.

For more information on ARC and PLC, producers can visit the <u>ARC and PLC webpage</u> or contact their local <u>USDA Service Center</u>. Producers can also make elections and complete enrollment <u>online with level 2 eAuth</u>.

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