

Keeping Farmers on the Land During COVID-19

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COVID-19 Resources for Farmers and Ranchers

National Young Farmers Coalition

- ✓ [Young Farmers COVID-19 Response](#)
- ✓ [Resource Library](#)
- ✓ ["Keeping Farmers on the Land in COVID-19" blog series, post #1](#)
- ✓ [COVID-19 state-by-state guidance for farmers](#)

U.S. Department of Agriculture:

- ✓ [Farmers.Gov](#)

National Association of State Departments of Agriculture:

- ✓ [COVID-19 Resources](#)

Ways Land Trusts and Land Access Orgs Are Supporting Producers in their Communities

American Farmland Trust

- ✓ [Farmer Relief Fund](#)
- ✓ [Farming in a Pandemic](#) video series

Maine Farmland Trust

- ✓ [Four Ways to Support Maine Farms Right Now](#)

PCC Farmland Trust

- ✓ [Supporting Local Farms During COVID-19](#)

Columbia Land Conservancy

- ✓ [Community Response to COVID-19](#)

Land for Good

- ✓ [Farm & Food System Resources during COVID-19](#)

Adirondack Emergency Food Packages

- ✓ [Food access effort that connects with farm viability and purchasing from local farms](#)

WA Association of Land Trusts

- ✓ [COVID-19 Resources for Land Trusts](#)

PA Land Trust Association

- ✓ [Monitoring in a Pandemic](#)

Land Access Resources Mentioned

Soul Fire Farm Reparations Map: <http://www.soulfirefarm.org/get-involved/reparations/>

Minnow: <https://civileats.com/2020/02/24/an-enormous-land-transition-is-underway-heres-how-to-make-it-just/>

Northeast Farmers of Color Land Trust: <https://nefoclandtrust.org/>

What Some Other Land Trusts Are Doing (comments provided during the webinar)

- ✓ “At our land trust we are switching to remote sensing for our annual monitoring. While we miss the field work and face to face connection, this is giving us the opportunity to speak individually with landowners for a more detailed conversation about their property and resources they need right now.” Colorado West Land Trust
- ✓ “We are looking into fiscal sponsorship of a local business who is looking to accept donations for their work in local food distribution but does not operate as a 501(c)(3). Also helping local farmers locate no cost housing for interns and providing financial relief for those looking at higher cost rent while housing resources are even slimmer than usual.” Friends of the Farms
- ✓ “SILT is doing live land walks via Face Book weekly.” Sustainable Iowa Land Trust
- ✓ “We called a few landowners just to check in on them. They were so grateful and it strengthened our relationship. We got an invitation to visit in person when COVID calms down.” Northwest Arkansas Land Trust