

Farmland Protection Passes 25,000-Acre Mark

HARRISBURG (Dauphin Co.) — The Pennsylvania Agricultural Land Preservation Board approved easement purchases for 15 farms in eight counties, protecting 1,751 acres of prime farmland from development.

For the first time, easements were approved for purchase in Monroe County. A total of 25,253 acres in 21 counties have been preserved in the program's first three years.

"We're pleased to have two Monroe County farms help us over the 25,000-acre mark for farmland protection," said State Agricultural Secretary and Board Chairman Boyd E. Wolff. "Being so close to New Jersey, Monroe County is under a lot of pressure from developers."

The board also approved Montour County's farmland protection program.

A breakdown of the properties

— by county, owner, township, acreage, and purchase cost — follows:

- Adams — Ernest F. Krape and Sons, Mt. Pleasant Township, 196 acres, \$306,231.

- Adams — Donald P. and Betty J. Rhodes, Straban Township, 158 acres, \$231,778.

- Bucks — Gerald F. Ulmer, Durham Township, 168 acres, \$747,244.

- Chester — Paul T. Simpser, Jr. and Barbara M. Richards, East Marlborough Township, 61 acres, \$288,241.12.

- Chester — Larry and Eileen Wenger, West Caln Township, 58 acres, \$161,965.08.

- Cumberland — Edgar and Judith Heberling, West Pennsboro Township, 198 acres, \$214,000.

- Dauphin — Randy S. and Deborah L. Greider, Jackson Township, 51 acres, \$74,006.44.

- Dauphin — Stephen J. and

Jody Snyder, Upper Paxton Township, 153 acres, \$204,332.82.

- Lancaster — Frank R. and Doris M. Burkhardt Farm #1, West Hempfield Township, 86 acres, \$214,922.50.

- Lancaster — Frank R. and Doris M. Burkhardt Farm #2, West

Hempfield Township, 79 acres, \$173,828.60.

- Lancaster — John H. and Thelma J. Wolgemuth, Mount Joy Township, 85 acres, \$178,956.

- Monroe — Barry and Donna Foulk, Jackson Township, 27 acres, \$90,646.65.

- Monroe — William, Stephen

and Jonathan Miller, Jackson Township, 77 acres, \$245,999.81.

- Westmoreland — William W. and Majorie E. Buttermore, East Huntingdon Township, 204 acres, \$520,361.84.

- Westmoreland — Lyman D. Stoner, East Huntingdon Township, 150 acres, \$309,675.52.

Joneses Named To NMPF Advisory Council

SOUTHAMPTON (Bucks Co.) — Sean and Tammy Jones of Lumberton, N.J., were elected to serve a one-year term as chair-couple of the National Milk Producers Federation (NMPF) Young Cooperator Advisory Council, it was announced at the organization's annual meeting in Las Vegas, Nev.

The Young Cooperator Advisory Council is responsible for planning and overseeing the National Young Cooperator pro-

gram, which is held in conjunction with NMPF's annual meeting. The three-day program is designed for farm couples under age 36.

Sponsored by Atlantic Dairy Cooperative, the Joneses will oversee the Council, which includes 10 representatives from across the United States. In addition, they will serve as honorary NMPF board members following their year of service, attending the 1994 summer board meeting and the 1994 annual meeting.

The Joneses were named Atlantic's 1992 Outstanding Young Cooperators. They farm in a family corporation consisting of Sean's father and brothers. Lester C. Jones & Sons Inc. consists of 1,600 acres and 854 head of Holstein cattle.

Atlantic Dairy Cooperative represents more than 3,500 dairy farm families in Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia.

College Of Ag Sciences Names Clark

UNIVERSITY PARK (Centre Co.) — Lisa A. Clark, a Penn State senior from Kersey, has been selected to be the student marshal for the College of Agricultural Sciences fall commencement. Clark will lead the procession of 127 graduating seniors at the ceremony on Saturday, January 9, at 9:30 a.m. in the Recreation Building on Penn State's University Park Campus.

Clark, who majored in agricultural science, is the daughter of Theresa Clark of Kersey. Clark was chosen to be marshal in recognition of her outstanding academic performance. Clark was on the dean's list eight times.

As an undergraduate, she worked in the agronomy department as an aide to a senior research technician and Ph.D. candidate. She also conducted undergraduate research projects. In the summer of 1991, she worked for the Dairy Herd Improvement Association. She currently works at Centennial Springs Farm in Port Matilda.

The faculty marshal at the ceremony will be Dr. Connie D. Baggett, associate professor of agricultural and extension education. Dr. John A. Dutton, dean of the College of Earth and Mineral Science and professor of meteorology, will deliver the commencement address.

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