

USDA Plans Incentives To Boost Ethanol, Biofuels

PARK Ridge, Ill. - Farmers may soon be getting incentives to produce more crops for ethanol and bio-based fuels.

A plan to provide several hundred million dollars in incentive payments to bioenergy producers was announced at the same time as a Clinton Administration plan to phase out the use of MTBE in gasoline.

Ethanol production needs to increase to replace the MTBE which is added to gasoline in some areas of the country to help gasoline burn more cleanly. The change comes because MTBE has contaminated water supplies and has been identified as a threat to public health.

Glickman directed USDA's

Commodity Credit Corp., to provide up to \$100 million to producers during the current fiscal year and up to \$150 million in 2001 and 2002.

The incentive payments are part of the Clinton administration's initiative to increase the demand for commodities and provide farmers with more income.

The ethanol industry has grown from 100 million gallons in 1981 to almost 1.5 billion gallons in 1999, Glickman said. More than 5 percent of U.S. corn production, or 550 million bushels, is used every year to produce ethanol, according to Glickman.

"Rural income will rise as farm income increases and new jobs will be created by new ethanol plans," he said.

In announcing the phaseout of MTBE, Environmental Protection Agency Administrator Carol Browner said use of the chemical posed a potential public health threat. "We're not yet at a crisis stage, but we have a real concern," Browner said.

The administration wants Congress to amend the Clean Air Act to reduce or eliminate use of methyl tertiary butyl ether (MTBE), but set no time frame for elimination of the additive.

State of New Jersey State Agriculture Development Committee Public Auctions of 2 Preserved Farms

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Auction: May 2, 2000
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****PUBLIC AUCTION**** **ANNUAL INVENTORY REDUCTION AUCTION** AT **CATSKILL TRACTOR INC., 60 CENTER ST., IN THE VILLAGE OF FRANKLIN, NEW YORK (JUST OFF MAIN ST., RTE. 357)** ****FRIDAY, APRIL 14th, 2000****

*****10:30 AM*****

(NO SMALL STUFF BE ON TIME.)

TRACTORS: Case IH 5140 Maxxum Cab 4WD; IH1566 Cab; IH1086 Cab; IH186 Hydro ROPS; IH826 Cab; IH806 Cab; IH686D Row Crop; IH 574D; Cub; Farmall Super M; Massey MF3140 4WD Cab; MF698 4WD Cab; MF690 2WD Cab; MF362 4WD w/Loader; MF1010 4WD Dsl Compact; MF150 Dsl; MF165 Dsl; MF202G Ind w/Loader; MF50G; Ferguson 20; Allis 6080 2WD Cab; C; CA w/Sickle Bar Mower; AC G w/Equip; Belarus 572 4WD w/Cab & Loader; Long 360 2WD; Kubota L2000 4WD Dsl Compact; Kubota B6000 w/Deck; Gehl SL3610 Skid Steer.

New Holland 6640 4WD Platform, Near New...

SPECIAL ...NEW...Case Model 1825 Skid Steer...

1968 C50 Chev Silage Truck, 14' Dump Box w/5' Sides, All Good.

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NOTE: Tractors will be sold throughout the sale in lineup with other machinery, don't be late...expect many more consigned tractors by sale time...

*****FIELD EQUIPMENT*****

New McConnell 771 Hi Dump Wagon

Case IH 8312 Center Pivot Disc Mower (sharp); (2) Gehl DC2330 Disc Mowers; JD1327 Disc Mower; Hesston 1014 Hydro Swing; NH 489 Haybine; M&W 1500 Round Baler; JD336 Baler w/Thrower; JD24T Baler w/Thrower; Kuhn 381 Rake; Kuhn 300GM Rake; Kuhn 300GT Rake; NH 55 Rake; NH 256 Rake w/Dolly; (2) Fahr Tedders; Fahr KH40 Tedder; Fahr KH500 Tedder (w/big tires); 31' Bale Conveyor w/Mower.

Gehl MS175 Box Spreader, Nice; (4) MS309; (2) MS312; (8) MS315 Gehl Scavenger Spreaders; NH667 RH Barrel; Nuhawk 200 LH Barrel; JD790 RH Barrel; NH304 Side Slinger.

Gehl 8335 TMR Mixer w/Scale; Knight Little Auggie Mixer w/Scale; Gehl F7190 Feeder Wagon. Gehl MX100 Grinder Mixer w/Scale & All Options, Extra Screens, Like New Condition, Nicest We've Seen.

Gehl CB1260 w/Head; CB1060 w/Head; CB1060 Tan w/Head; CB1060 Tan w/3 Row; CB1000; CB760 w/Head; (2) CB750; IH720 w/Head Choppers. Gehl F887 Blower; NH27; Blower Pipe; Dion Box on Tandem; Dion Box on Sgle; Gehl 710 Box; JD Box on Gear; Jiffy Hy Dump Box; Dual Hi Dump Box; NI323 1 Row Picker; New Meyer 20' Feeder Wagon. Case IH900 6 Row Planter w/Auger (real sharp); Deere JD1550 Power Seeder (like new); JD7000 4 row planter; IH 4 row planter; Brillion 5' Seeder; Deere 13 Run Grain Drill.

Kverneland 5 Bott Reset Plow; Kverneland 3 Bott Reset Plows; IH710 5 Bott Plows; IH710 3 Bott Semi Mt Plow; Oliver 6 Bott Plow; Allis 4 Bott Semi Mt Plow; Allis 3 Bott Plow; Taylorway 12 Shank Chisel Plow; 13' Perfecta; Hutchmaster 14' Tandem Disc Harrow; JD 16' Tandem Disc; JD115 13' Tandem Disc; IH HD 8' Offset Disc; Ford 219 8' Offset Disc; Sunflower Hyd Fold 12' Offset Disc; 16' 3 Pt Folding Harrow; 16' Brillion Cart Harrow; Brillion Land Roller; 6' 9 Tine Cultivator; (2) Ferguson 7' Cultivator; 6' Drag; 8' Aerway (like new).

John Beam 6 Row Corn Worm Sprayer For Sweet Corn; 2 Row Potato Planter; JD 2 Row Potato Picker; Demco 300 Gal, 28' Boom Trailer Sprayer; Side Mount Tanks; Killbros Gravity Box On Gear; Eurospan Hopper Spreader; Rovibec Feed Cart; Round Bale Probe; Wic Bedding Chopper; Rovibec Bedding Chopper; Bush Hog 255 Rotary Cutter; 20.8-38 Duals (IH Hub Type); 20.8-38 Hook Type Duals, Hoof Trim Table; 15 Loop Stalls; Allis Power Plant; Oliver 1610 Front Loader w/Valve; New Bush Hog Blade & Cutter.

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Closing Date Monday 5:00 P.M.

of each week's publication

Internet Sale Register will be updated every Sat. at 2:23 P.M.

APRIL

WED APR 12 - 1:30PM Belleville Livestock Market Gene Glick, auct

THURS APR 13 - 1 PM Short Notice, 50 Head Herd Dispersal, milking equip & haylage S of Strasburg, Bell Rd By Amos E & Arnes Kauffman Mel Hoover auct

FRI APR 14 - 8AM Annual Spring Equip Trk & Trl Auction

Midatlantic Contractors Auction, Fredenck Fairgrounds, Md Wolfe aucts

FRI APR 14 - 10:30AM Annual inventory reduction auction at Catskill Tractor Inc., 60 Center St in the village of Franklin, NY Catskill Tractor, Inc

SAT APR 15 - 9AM 9th Annual Spring Extravaganza Auction, tractors, equip. Held Alleg Co Fairgrounds, Angelica, NY R G Mason Aucts

PUBLIC AUCTION 34+ ACRE LANCASTER COUNTY FARM FARM EQUIPMENT, TOOLS THURS., APR. 20, 2000 3:00 P.M.

Located between Elizabethtown and Bainbridge Lancaster County PA at 3704 Amosite Road, Bainbridge, Pa. From Elizabethtown go west on Route #241 (Bainbridge Road) to right on Risser Road to left on Amosite to farm on right.

2 1/2 story frame house with 3 bedrooms, large living room with fireplace, dining room, family room and eat-in kitchen Oil hot air heat with private water/sewer. Bank barn, garage/shed, butcher shed, etc Pasture with stream. For fact sheet and to inspect this property call 717-367-8000. Terms 10% deposit day of auction with balance in 45 days. Real Estate to be offered at 6:00 PM Int. 606 utility tractor & loader & 3 bottom plow, Farmall "M" with hydraulics, John Deere 40 with wide front & cults with side dresser, NH 477 haybine, JD #5 mower, JD hay rake, JD 3 pt. Disc, JD 3 pt subsoiler with attachment to lay pipe, JD #28 transport disc, JD manure spreader, Farmec 24' hay elevator, 3 flat wagons, bin wagon, NH #68 baler, 2 wheel trailer, Bush Hog 3 pt. 5' rotary mower, Manson sprayer, cultipacker, Simplicity 12 HP 38" riding mower, chain saw, iron kettles, cross cut saw, 1 man saw, splitting maul, wedges, axes, block & tackle, chains, cables, electric & hand grass seeders, jacks, patio blocks, socket sets, wrenches & hand tools, lumber, hand cultivator, lawn cart, garage doors, hog feeders & trough, chicken crates, berry crates & boxes, electric fence, 40' wooden ladder, pony cart, harness, horse saddle & bridle, file cabinet, desk, vises, air compressor, lawn mowers, small wood burning stove, small cook stove, heaters, bunk beds, baby bed, dressers, Maytag wringer washer, wire baskets, butter churn, canning jars, lard cans, tubs, books, dishes, clothes tree, hutch, tables, assorted household items and many other items to numerous to mention

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TUES., APRIL 25, 2000

At 9:00 A.M.

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Sale to be held at Minisink Highway
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APRIL 15, 2000

10:00 AM

Joe Miedema, Auctioneer

NEW EQUIPMENT: 5-6-7-8' Rakes, Scraper Blades, Fertilizer Spreaders, 4-5-6' Bush Hogs; 5-6' Finishing Mowers - Rototiller. **USED EQUIPMENT:** MF 20-20 4x4, Kubota B7200 w/Loader 4x4, 1520 Ford 4WD Loader; 535 Hours; Farmall Cub H, Ford 8N, MF65. **TILLAGE:** 2-3-4 Bottom Plows; AC, Two Row No Till Planter, 10' John Deere Disc, 10' International Disc; 2 & 4 Row Cultivators; **HAY EQUIPMENT:** NH 630 Round Baler, NH 310 Baler w/Kicker; IH Baler; Hesston 1010 Center Pivot Haybine, NH 479 Haybine; JD 214 Baler w/Kicker; NH-NI-JD Hay Rakes; 16' Pipe Elevator; 3 Beater; 6 Wheel Badger Wagon; Wic '93 Round Bale Unroller; Bedding Chopper; **TRUCKS:** 87 Toyota, All Size Trailers; Riding Lawn Mower, **ANTIQUES:** Blacksmith Forge, Vise, Tongs; Large Drill Press; T Bar Wooden Wood Lathe; Butcher Block, Platform Scale; Broad Ax, Hand Corn Planters, Ladder, Hay Knife, Milk Bottles; Cans; Strainer, Bottle Cappers, Flail, Copper Still; Old Wall Maps, NYS Railroad and Steamship Map; Old Car Parts, Pedal Car, Old Crocks; Bottle Fanning Mill; Aluminum Boat; Tractor Cab H or M; Plus More To Come.