NEBRASKA Farm Business Inc.

Yielding Success Through Financial Management

We are excited to share a fresh new look and feel for our newsletter!

As our team continues to grow and evolve, we've updated the way we deliver news and information to make it more engaging, easier to read, and more useful for you. Our goal is to keep you informed while making sure you can quickly find the updates, highlights, and insights that matter most.

While the format may be new, our commitment remains the same—providing you with timely updates, valuable information, and a closer look at what's happening within our organization.

We hope you enjoy this new format and welcome any feedback as we continue to improve. Thank you for being part of our community!

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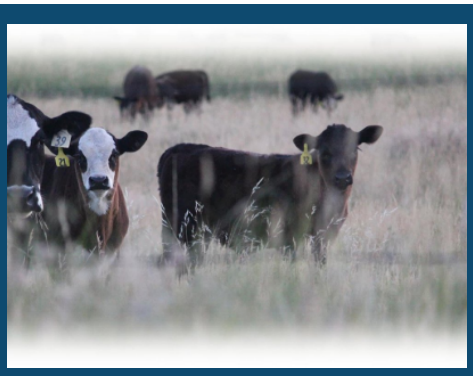

Important Dates

- Office will be closed Monday, May 25th, in observance of Memorial day.
- NAFBAS Conference is June 8011 in Louisville, KY. Several consultants will be attending this conference and will be out of the office.

Important Tax Due Dates

Personal Property Tax Due Date

■ May 1, 2026 — If you need help filing your personal property schedule, be sure to contact your consultant.

General Due Dates

■ June 15, 2026 — 2nd Quarter Individual Estimates
■ August 31, 2026 — Heavy Highway Vehicle Use (Form 2290)
■ September 15, 2026 — 3rd Quarter Estimates
■ January 15, 2027 — 4th Quarter Estimates

Tax Return Extension Due Dates

■ September 15, 2026 — Partnerships & S-Corps
■ October 15, 2026 — Individual & C-Corps

Karbon for Clients - Simple, Secure, and Convenient

We are excited to introduce Karbon for Clients, our new secure client portal designed to make working with our office easier than ever.

Karbon for Clients is simple to use and gives you one convenient place to upload documents, respond to requests, and communicate securely with your consultant. No more searching through emails or dropping off paperwork. Even better, Karbon for Clients now has a mobile app, allowing you to send documents securely anytime, anywhere—right from your phone.

We encourage all clients to begin using the portal for a faster, smoother, and more secure experience.

To help you get started, we have attached a short video tutorial that walks you through the setup process and shows how easy it is to use. If you have any

questions, our team is happy to assist.

Client Portal Overview

2025 Average Books

Keep an eye out for the 2025 Nebraska State Average Books coming your way soon! If you're part of our analysis program, your operation's RankEm reports will be mailed out to you as well. We're planning to have both the books and reports sent by mid-May.

If you're not currently a Nebraska Farm Business Member but would like to get your hands on our average numbers, you can easily order a report through our website at **nfbi.net** or just give our office a call at (402) 464-6324.

Accounting Tips

Farming businesses have unique accounting needs, and keeping accurate, up-to-date records is essential. While farm bookkeeping involves many small steps, staying organized throughout the year can make the process much more manageable. Being proactive now—rather than waiting until fall—will help both you and NFBI work more efficiently.

One of the most secure and convenient ways to submit your documents is through Karbon for Clients. We encourage you to contact our office to get set up if you have not yet. Karbon for Clients can now also be downloaded as an app on your phone. If Karbon for Clients isn't the best fit for you, there are several other ways to send your statements:

- Have your bank send statements directly by mail or secure email
- Email documents to: **accounting@nfbi.net**
- Sign a bank authorization allowing NFBI to receive information on your behalf
- Send documents via USPS

To help our accounting team serve you better, we recommend the following:

- Submit bank and loan statements at least quarterly to improve accuracy and allow time for questions
- Send information on new asset purchases and loans as soon as they occur

- Provide detailed loan statements on a quarterly basis
- Consider having your bank send information directly, or authorize NFBI to retrieve it for you

For clients who handle their accounting at home, here are a few helpful tips:

- Restore your 2025 backup as soon as possible (contact your consultant if you need assistance)
- When opening your 2025 books, carry changes forward into 2026 to ensure balances transfer correctly
- Reconcile your accounts at least quarterly, making sure to enter the “target ending balance”
- Reconcile loan accounts along with your bank accounts

At NFBI, we want you to feel confident in your accounting. We encourage you to schedule an appointment with your accounting specialist to discuss your specific needs. We also offer training for both new and current clients who manage their own bookkeeping.

Staying organized and maintaining regular communication helps us better support you—and keeps your operation running smoothly.

NFB Crop Insurance, Inc.

Spring 2026 Notes

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Planting Season is Here!

MPCI Initial Plant Dates:

Corn - April 10*
Hybrid Seed Corn - April 10
Soybeans - April 25
Milo - April 16*

MPCI Final Planting Dates:

Corn - May 25 or May 31, See below map
Hybrid Seed Corn - May 31
Soybeans - June 5, June 10, or June 15, See below
Milo - June 5 or June 10, See below map

*Initial/final plant dates may vary slightly based on location within the state. Dates may be subject to RMA change.

Review Crop-Hail Coverage:

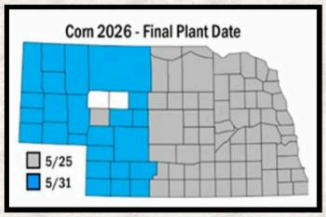
Be sure to review your crop-hail coverage amounts to make sure you're not under-insured. Ensure your coverage protects your investment. Contact me if you are interested in exploring new crop-hail coverage or ensuring you have adequate protection for this 2026 crop year.

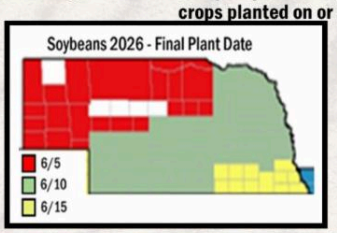
Replant:

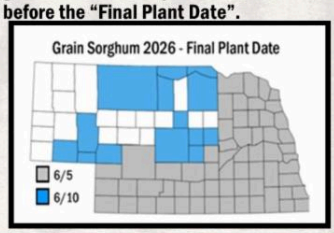
If you are planning on replanting, be sure to contact your insurance agent ASAP, ***BEFORE*** replanting or destroying any crops. Use Initial Plant date not Replant date when certifying at FSA Office. Full Replant benefits only available to crops planted on or after the "Initial Plant Date".

After Planting:

When you are finished planting, certify your acres at your local FSA office with the Form 578 and contact your agent to report your acreage. Full benefits only available for crops planted on or before the "Final Plant Date".







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Recent Postmark Changes by the USPS

March 6, 2026 (LINCOLN, NEB.) — The United States Postal Service (USPS) has updated its Domestic Mail Manual, effective December 24, 2025, regarding Postmarks and Postal Possession. The new rule is intended to improve public understanding of postmarks and their relationship to the date of mailing. The rule advises USPS customers to request a manual postmark at a retail location if they want to ensure that their mail piece receives a postmark containing a date that aligns with the date USPS first accepted possession of their mail piece.

The USPS explains that the postmark now applied at originating processing facilities contain a date that does not necessarily align with the date the Postal Service first accepted possession of the mail piece. The rule goes on to say that the lack of postmark alignment will become more common with implementation of the regional transportation optimization initiative (streamlining and efficiency effort). **Click here** for the USPS updated rule.

Many aspects of Nebraska law, including delivery date for tax documents, rely on the actual postmark stamp to determine the date of delivery. See Neb. Rev. Stat. § 77-27,125.

The Nebraska Department of Revenue (DOR) advises taxpayers to be aware that the postmark may either not appear or align with the date mail is submitted to the USPS. The DOR encourages taxpayers to safely and securely file and pay taxes online. For more information, visit revenue.nebraska.gov. Taxpayers who plan to mail tax documents or other materials to DOR should prepare for this USPS change by either mailing early to allow for sufficient time for documents to arrive at the DOR or by requesting a manual postmark at the USPS post office or retail location.

The DOR reminds taxpayers that the deadline to file individual income taxes is coming up on April 15, 2026.

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