Farm Service Agency California State FSA Office 430 G Street, #4161 Davis, CA 95616-4161

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## Dear Producer:

Did you suffer crop losses in the last three years? If so, read this letter carefully. You may be eligible for a disaster payment from the Farm Service Agency (FSA)!

According to USDA records, you had purchased crop insurance for the 2005, 2006, and/or 2007 crop years and thus, may now be eligible to receive benefits from FSA's Crop Disaster Program (CDP). Congress has made this program available to producers who either have insured their applicable crop with a federal crop insurance policy or obtained coverage from FSA's Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program.

Under the 2005 – 2007 CDP, you may receive benefits for one of these years if you were prevented from planting a crop or suffered crop losses due to a natural disaster. These benefits may be provided even if you did not receive an indemnity and is in addition to any amounts you received from crop insurance. Crop losses could be either quantity losses in excess of 35% or quality losses in excess of 25%, as determined by FSA. In order to apply for benefits, the program application (FSA-840), production records and leases (if necessary), marketing contracts (optional), and other required forms must be filed at the FSA office.

If you are interested in applying for benefits under this program, you must file an application at your local FSA office before the end of the signup period (to be announced). Contact your FSA office to make an appointment to discuss your eligibility for this program or to obtain additional information. You may also access the FSA website (www.fsa.usda.gov) for more information. California FSA office locations are provided on the reverse side of this letter.

Sincerely,

John G. Smythe

State Executive Director

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FSA Office	Counties Served	Telephone
Location		Number
Alturas	Modoc	530-233-4391
Auburn	El Dorado, Nevada, and Placer	530-885-6505
Bakersfield	Kern	661-336-0967
Colusa	Colusa	530-458-5131
Dixon	Napa and Solano	707-678-1931
El Centro	Imperial	760-352-4418
Elk Grove	Amador and Sacramento	916-714-1104
Eureka	Del Norte and Humboldt	707-442-6058
Fresno	Fresno	559-276-7494
Hanford	Kings	559-582-1071
Hollister	San Benito and Santa Clara	831-637-4360
Indio	Riverside and San Diego	760-347-3675
Lancaster	Los Angeles, Orange, and San Bernardino	661-942-9549
Madera	Madera	559-674-4628
Merced	Mariposa and Merced	209-722-4119
Minden, NV	Alpine, Inyo, and Mono	775-782-3661
Modesto	Stanislaus and Tuolumne	209-491-9320
Oroville	Butte	530-534-0112
Petaluma	Marin and Sonoma	707-664-8593
Red Bluff	Tehama	530-527-3013
Redding	Shasta and Trinity	530-226-2568
Salinas	Monterey, San Mateo, and Santa Cruz	831-424-7377
Santa Maria	Santa Barbara and Ventura	805-928-9269
Stockton	Alameda, Calaveras, Contra Costa, and San Joaquin	209-472-7127
Susanville	Lassen, Plumas, and Sierra	530-257-4127
Templeton	San Luis Obispo	805-434-0398
Ukiah	Lake and Mendocino	707-468-9225
Visalia	Tulare	559-734-8732
Willows	Glenn	530-934-4669
Woodland	Yolo	530-662-3986
Yreka	Siskiyou	530-842-6123
Yuba City	Sutter and Yuba	530-671-0850