

MAINE FSA/NRCS 2013 JOINT ELIGIBILITY TRAINING

- **April 25, 2013** – Maine FSA/NRCS State Office Conference Room
967 Illinois Avenue, Bangor, Maine
- **April 30, 2013** – Maine Forest Products Council Conference Room
535 Civil Center Drive, Augusta, Maine
- **May 2, 2013** - Central Aroostook Service Center Conference Room
735 Main Street, Presque Isle, Maine

Agenda

8:30 am– 9:00 am	Gathering
9:00 am – 9:05 am	Welcome, Introductions, Announcements, Opening Remarks– Susan Arrants, Maine NRCS ASTC for Programs & Ken Gustin, Maine FSA EO
9:05 am – 10:35 am	Program Eligibility Documentation and Determinations – Ken Gustin To include the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• AGI Provisions• Farm Operating Structure Review• MIDAS Applications
10:35 am –10:45 am	Break
10:45 am –11:45 am	Shared Responsibility for Eligibility– Susan Arrants To include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Applicant/Participant Eligibility• Land Eligibility• Eligibility screening process/tools• Diagnosing & Solving Eligibility Issues
11:45 am – 12:45	Lunch (on your own)
12:45 pm – 1:15 pm	Communication is Key – Susan Arrants
1:15 pm – 1:25 pm	Break
1:25 pm – 2:30 pm	Update on HEL/WC Compliance Review Process – Tony Jenkins, Maine NRCS State Soil Scientist
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Question & Answers/ Wrap Up – Group
3:00 pm	Adjourn-Safe Travels