

APPLICATION
Whole Farm Planning for Beginning Women Farmers
2010-2011 Training Program

Please fill out and return to phil.metzger@ny.usda.gov by **September 30, 2010**

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **Cell:** _____

Email: _____

(Feel free to use the back of this form for more space. This is a competitive application.)

1. How long have you been farming? (Please distinguish between how long you've worked on farms vs. served in a farm management role.)

2. What do you grow or produce?

3. Are you farming full time or part time? (If part time, please describe.)

4. What is the farm's approximate annual gross income currently? What is your target goal for gross income?

5. What does "Whole Farm Planning" mean to you?

6. What do you anticipate this training will allow you to do with your farming operation?

7. How would improved decision making help you with the primary challenges or decisions you are facing currently on your farm?

8. Why should you be chosen to participate in this training? (This is a competitive application process. Please use this space to further make your case.)

**Please return application by Sept. 30 to Phil Metzger
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