

# Anderson County Central Appraisal District

## Agricultural Information Sheet

(DO NOT RETURN THIS SHEET)

- QUALIFIED OPEN-SPACE LAND (AGRICULTURE) - MEANS LAND THAT IS CURRENTLY DEVOTED PRINCIPALLY TO AGRICULTURAL USE TO THE DEGREE OF INTENSITY GENERALLY ACCEPTED IN THE AREA AND THAT **HAS BEEN DEVOTED PRINCIPALLY TO AGRICULTURAL USE FOR FIVE OF THE PRECEDING SEVEN YEARS. MUST HAVE 5 YEAR HISTORY TO QUALIFY.**

**"IF NOT COMPLETED IN FULL, APPLICATION WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU."**

**A QUESTION THAT DOES NOT APPLY TO YOU MUST HAVE N/A IN BLANK.**

Improved Pasture <sup>1</sup>	Includes, but not limited to pasture that is mowed, shredded, fertilized, cultivated, seeded and planted with grasses. (Fence and livestock is required)
Unimproved Pasture <sup>1</sup>	Pasture with native grass and has none of the above completed, could have less than 30 trees per acre. (Fence and livestock is required)
Wooded Pasture <sup>2</sup>	Pasture that has less than 200 trees per acre. <u>Must have a sufficient forage base to sustain livestock to qualify.</u> (Fence and livestock is required)
Hay Production	Improved grass that is fertilized and cut regularly (at least twice yearly). (Fence and livestock not required)
Row Crops	Producing for human and/or livestock consumption. (Home garden does not qualify) Copy of IRS Schedule F may be required)
Orchards & Groves	Must meet degree of intensity. Pecan Orchard requires a minimum of 14 trees per acre. Peach/Pear/Plum Orchard requires a minimum of 50 trees per acre.
Wildlife Management	A management plan is required. Can only be filed on existing 1-d-1 land. <u>Shall propagate the population of wild animals for human purpose. 16.6 acres minimum required acres.</u>
Poultry, Bees, Catfish	See Standard for Anderson County

<sup>1</sup>Open pasture should have a minimum of one (1) head livestock per three (3) acres.  
(15 ACRES AND LESS REQUIRES A MINIMUM OF FIVE (5) HEAD LIVESTOCK)

<sup>2</sup>Wooded pasture should have a minimum of one (1) head livestock per five (5) acres.  
Wooded pasture must have a sufficient forage base to sustain livestock to qualify.  
(25 ACRES AND LESS REQUIRES A MINIMUM OF FIVE (5) HEAD LIVESTOCK)  
Horses, mules and or donkeys must be in a breeding program to qualify.