



Mike DeWine, Governor Jim Tressel, Lt. Governor Brian Baldridge, Director

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

May 6, 2025, from 9:00 A.M to 9:30 A.M.

Ohio Department of Agriculture Bromfield Administration Building Hearing Room 133 (Seminar "B") 8995 East Main Street Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068-3399

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 924.12(B), The Ohio Department of Agriculture will hold a public hearing for the purpose of accepting testimony to determine whether the marketing and research program of the Ohio Sheep and Wool Marketing Program should continue or if it should be submitted to producers for referendum.

The public hearing will be held from 9:00 am to 9:30 am or until all parties in attendance have had the opportunity to be heard.

The hearing will be conducted in accordance with Chapter 119 of the Revised Code. Any person affected by the operating program may appear and be heard in person, by his attorney, or both, may present his position, arguments, or contentions, orally or in writing, offer and examine witnesses, and present evidence tending to show that the operating program should or should not be continued.

More information on the operating program, as well as the current version of the program, can be found by visiting the Department's website at https://agri.ohio.gov/divisions/markets/resources/CommodityMarketingPrograms or by visiting the Register of Ohio at www.registerofohio.state.oh.us.

Any person who wishes to present their position, arguments, or contentions in writing, other than at the public hearing, may do so by either mailing their written comments to the Ohio Department of Agriculture, c/o Legal Section, 8995 East Main Street, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068; by email at agrecomments@agri.ohio.gov. Written comments sent by mail shall be postmarked no later than the day of the hearing.

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