

ERIE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL DATA STATEMENT

NYS Agricultural and Markets Law requires the submission of an Agricultural Data Statement (ADS) by an applicant to the municipality for a rezoning, special use permit, site plan approval, use variance, or subdivision of parcel(s) occurring on property within a NYS Agricultural District containing a Farm Operation or on property within 500 feet of an active Farm Operation located in an NYS Agricultural District.

Once completed, the ADS:

- **Must** be referred to the Erie County Department of Environment and Planning; and
- **Must** be provided, along with a written notice of the proposed project, to all adjacent landowners identified herein; and
- **Must** be evaluated and considered by the local reviewing board (e.g., planning board, zoning board of appeals, municipal governing board) to determine the possible impacts of the proposed project on Farm Operations with the NYS Agricultural District.

Applicant Name and Address

Owner Name and Address (if different)

Type of Action

Rezone Special Use Permit Site Plan Use Variance Subdivision

Project Address and Municipality: _____

SBL: _____ **Agricultural Assessment:** Yes No

Project Description:

Current Use of Site: _____

History of Farming on the Site:

Other Site Information:

List the name and mailing address of any landowner within a New York State Agricultural District whose property is part of an active Farm Operation and is located within 500 feet of the proposed project. Local assessor may be able to assist with this requirement.

A. Name: _____
Address: _____
Type of Farm: _____

B. Name: _____
Address: _____
Type of Farm: _____

C. Name: _____
Address: _____
Type of Farm: _____

D. Name: _____
Address: _____
Type of Farm: _____

Attach tax map or other map showing the site of the proposed project relative to the location of the Farm Operations identified above. Local assessor may be able to assist with this requirement.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Preparer (if different than Applicant)

Date

The municipality must refer a copy to the Erie County Department of Environment and Planning at 95 Franklin Street, Buffalo, NY 14202 or by email to agriculture@erie.gov, and to all adjacent landowners identified above.