



Agriculture Enterprise Area

Preserve farmland. Protect the environment. Grow the economy.

SNAPSHOT

The Headwaters of Southeast Monroe County

5
LOCAL
GOVERNMENTS

10
AG CO-OPS &
BUSINESSES

99
PRODUCERS &
LANDOWNERS



County: Monroe

Towns of: Clifton, Glendale, Wellington, and Wilton

Acres: 86, 380

AEA Designation: 2014

This AEA is supported by the following agriculture enterprises and businesses:

- Agronomy
- Fish farms
- Food warehouses
- Grain dealer and warehouse
- Deer farm
- Retail food establishments
- Implement dealer
- Licensed egg producer
- Several bed and breakfasts
- Transportation
- Veterinary medicine
- Amish farms and businesses
- National organic program certified operations and businesses
- Livestock truckers
- Elroy-Sparta bike trail
- Livestock Genetics
- Food processing plants
- Milk producers

Investing in the Local Ag Economy

- Agreement enrollments
- Incentives to cover conservation costs
- Tax credits

Helping Your Community

- Protect soil and water
- Establish zoning
- Preserve farmland

To find out if your land is located in the Headwaters AEA and to sign a farmland preservation agreement, contact

Monroe County Land Conservation Department, Bob Micheel at

(608) 269-8976 or

bob.micheel@co.monroe.wi.us.

To start or join a current AEA, contact your county land conservation department where your land is located.

What is an AEA?

Agricultural enterprise areas (AEAs) are community-led efforts establishing designated areas important to Wisconsin's agricultural future. As part of the state's Farmland Preservation Program, AEAs strive to support local farmland protection goals, the agricultural economy, and environmental efforts. Learn more at <https://farmlandpreservation.wi.gov>