



Agriculture Enterprise Area

Preserve farmland. Protect the environment. Grow the economy.

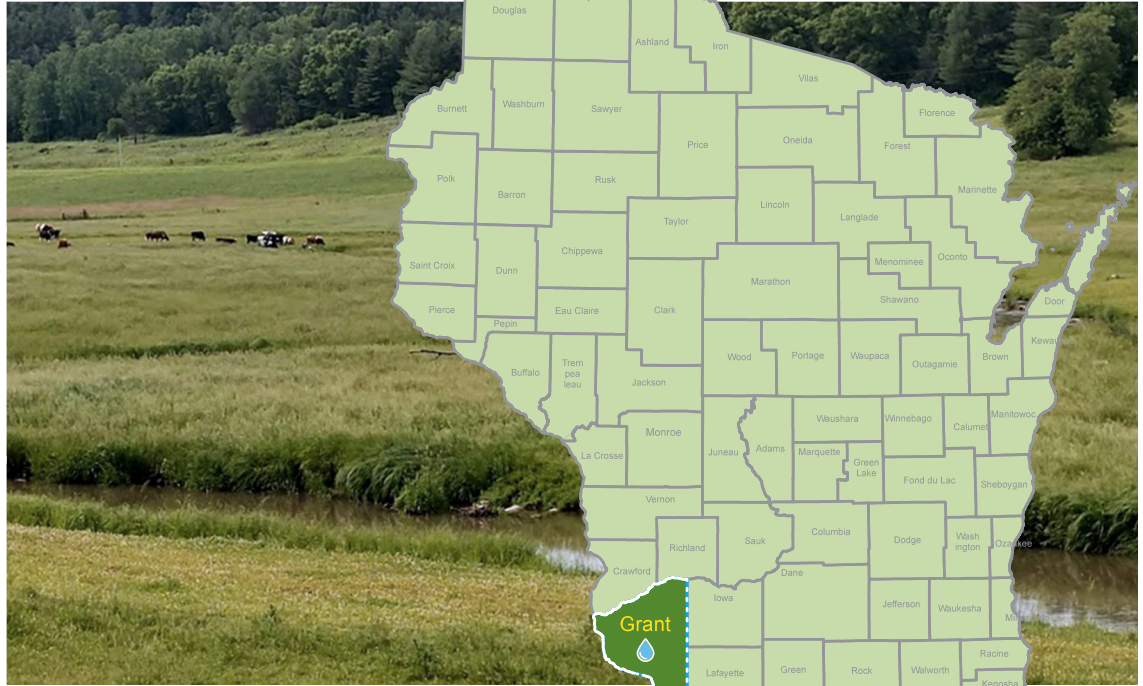
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Castle Rock Township

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LOCAL
GOVERNMENTS

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AG CO-OPS &
BUSINESSES

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PRODUCERS &
LANDOWNERS



County: Grant

Municipalities: Castle Rock

AEA Designation: 2020

Acres: 23,040

This AEA is supported and surrounded by the following ag enterprises, businesses, non-profits and institutions:

- Milk producers
- Beef producers
- UW-Platteville
- UW-Madison Nutrient and Pest Management Program
- UW Division of Extension agriculture educators
- Southwestern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission
- Snow Bottom State Natural Area
- Blue River Watershed, Class I and II trout streams
- CREP participation
- Conventional crop rotations/row crops
- Livestock feed production
- Vineyards and winery
- Aquaculture
- Dairy cattle dealer
- Blackhawk Lake Recreation Area
- Lumber yard
- Local farmer's market
- Southwest Wisconsin Technical College

Preserving Local Agriculture

- Encourage new farmland preservation participation
- Promote conservation practices
- Encourage sustainable agricultural growth

Protecting Natural Resources

- Protect the Snow Bottom State Natural Area
- Preserve trout streams
- Promote upland best management practices

To find out if your land is located in the Castle Rock Township AEA and to sign a farmland preservation agreement, contact **Mike Adams, Soil Conservationist**
Grant County Conservation, Sanitation and Zoning Dept.
Phone: (608) 723-6377 email: madams@co.grant.wi.gov
 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>**