Farm Foundation Meeting
June 30, 2009
Little Rock, Arkansas
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Hello Charlie!!!

Hello Angels!
Annual Funding (estimate)

- Institutional Assessments
- Private Funding
- New Technologies for Ag Extension (USDA)
Financially tough times, I need some answers.
Wow, good stuff!
Sizing Up Your Financial Situation

SIZING UP YOUR FINANCIAL SITUATION

Sometimes unforeseen events in life challenge us. They may include unemployment, downsizing, a disability, natural disasters, divorce, or widowhood. Regardless of the reason, you need to take charge during these challenging times. When faced with reduced income or increased expenses, you need to develop a spending plan to help pay your bills. If your income will be affected for more than a month, you will need to adjust your spending habits to maintain control of family finances over an extended period.

Many people try to hide financial problems from themselves or family members. Not facing your problems can be very destructive because the worry and stress caused by financial uncertainty and lack of cash may be worse than the financial problem itself. It is important to look realistically at your situation and actively seek solutions to your problems, despite the discomfort.

Because spending decisions affect the whole family, talk with your family about the situation. Let them know the steps you plan to take to get control of your situation.
1. What provisions does the 2009 economic stimulus bill have that may affect me or my family?
   Published: June 01, 2009

2. What are some "healthy" lunch items I can take to work instead of eating out at fast food restaurants?
   Published: May 28, 2009

3. What steps have been taken to fix our country's economic crisis issues?
   Published: May 27, 2009

4. I live in a condo and the developer went bankrupt. The association is broke and monthly fees are up to $320 without a clubhouse or pool. I am also $100,000 upside down on my mortgage and just barely hanging on. Should I just walk away?
   Published: May 27, 2009

5. My employer signed our small business up for a 401(k) plan with 3% matching several years ago. He still has not contributed any money to the plan. I was let go two months ago. What can I do to recover the match that I should have received?
   Published: May 27, 2009

6. Our office may need to furlough employees. Will we be able to keep our health insurance?
   Published: May 26, 2009

7. What are some effective ways a family can survive a severe economic crisis?
   Published: May 26, 2009
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