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## USDA, NASS Northeastern Region Suspends the Machinery Custom Rates Report

HARRISBURG, PA – The U.S Department of Agriculture’s (USDA) National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS), Northeastern Regional Field Office is suspending the *Pennsylvania Machinery Custom Rates* report which was slated for release in March.

The Custom Rates report is a joint effort between the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture and the Northeastern Regional Field Office, and provides data on custom rate averages by operators and farmers throughout Pennsylvania for various farming activities for the current year.

The decision to suspend this report was not made lightly, but was necessary, given the available fiscal and program resources.

Previous *Pennsylvania Machinery Custom Rates* reports can be found at [https://www.nass.usda.gov/Statistics\\_by\\_State/Pennsylvania/Publications/Machinery\\_Custom\\_Rates/index.php](https://www.nass.usda.gov/Statistics_by_State/Pennsylvania/Publications/Machinery_Custom_Rates/index.php)

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