MARYLAND STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS & TAXATION

AGRICULTURAL USE DECLARATION OF INTENT

ACCOUNT # _____ DISTRICT _____ MAP _____ BLOCK _____ PARCEL _____
(if there is more than one account, please list all accounts numbers)

Purchaser Name(s): _____

Property Address: _____

Total Acreage of Parcel(s): _____

Total Acreage to continue and/or be placed in the Agricultural Use Assessment: _____

I, (We) _____, the purchaser(s) of the real property located at _____ and described above herby declare our intention to continue and/or place into agricultural use the property acreage referenced above in accordance with the provision of the Maryland Annotated Code Tax Property Article §8-209 for a period of at **least FIVE (5) Full consecutive Taxable Years following the date the deed is recorded among Land Records.**

I (We) understand that i**f any portion of the acreage described above fails to meet requirements for the agricultural use assessment during this five (5) year term, it will be considered a violation of this Declaration of Intent.** Upon violation, the department will impose the agricultural transfer tax, surcharge, and 10% penalty based upon the current fair market value appraisal of the acreage being removed from the agricultural use assessment in accordance with Maryland Annotated Code Tax Property Article §13-305. The ceasing of agricultural activities; or the construction of non-agricultural structures; or non-agricultural site improvements on all or parts of the parcel will be considered a violation of this Declaration of Intent during its term. I (We) understand that we must notify the Department of Assessments and Taxation if any of the acreage described above does not remain in agricultural use under penalties of perjury. The department's agricultural use regulations are within the Code of Maryland Regulations (COMAR) Title 18, Subtitle 02, Chapter 03.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE AGRICULTURAL USE ASSESSMENT AND ITS REQUIREMENTS USE THE QR CODE TO THE LEFT
or
PLEASE CONTACT YOUR LOCAL ASSESSMENT OFFICE.

I (We) DECLARE, UNDER THE PENALTIES OF PERJURY, THAT THIS DECLARATION (INCLUDING ANY ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS, FORMS AND/OR STATEMENTS) HAS BEEN EXAMINED BY ME (US) AND THE INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN, TO THE BEST OF MY (OUR) KNOWLEDGE, INFORMATION, AND BELIEF, IS TRUE, CORRECT AND COMPLETE.

SIGNATURE_____DATE _____

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This form seeks information for the purpose of an Agricultural Use Declaration of Intent. Failure to provide this information will result in the imposition of the agricultural transfer tax & surcharge. However, some of this information would be considered a "personal record" as defined in General Provisions Article, §4-501. Consequently, you have the statutory right to inspect your file and to file a written request to correct or amend any information you believe to be inaccurate or incomplete. Additionally, personal information provided to the State Department of Assessments and Taxation is not generally available for public review. However, this information is available to officers of the State, county or municipality in their official capacity and to taxing officials of any State or the federal government, as provided by statute.

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REAL PROPERTY DIVISION

Listed below are the **mailing addresses** for local assessment offices

ASSESSMENT OFFICE MAILING ADDRESSES	PHONE	FAX	EMAIL
Allegany County Assessments 112 Baltimore Street, 3rd Floor, Cumberland, MD 21502	(301) 777-2108	(301) 777-2052	sdat.alle@maryland.gov
Anne Arundel County Assessments 45 Calvert St., 3rd Floor, Annapolis, MD 21401	(410) 974-5709	(410) 974-5738	sdat.aa@maryland.gov
Baltimore City Assessments Wm. Donald Schaefer Tower, 6 Saint Paul Street, 11th Floor, Baltimore, MD 21202	(410) 767-8250	(410) 333-4626	sdat.baltcity@maryland.gov
Baltimore County Assessments Hampton Plaza, 300 E Joppa Road, Suite 602, Towson, MD 21286	(410) 512-4900	(410) 321-4148	sdat.blco@maryland.gov
Calvert County Assessments State Office Bldg. 200 Duke Street, Room 1200, Prince Frederick, MD 20678	(443) 550-6840	(443) 550-6850	sdat.calv@maryland.gov
Caroline County Assessments Denton Multi-Service Center, 207 South 3rd St, Denton, MD 21629	(410) 819-4450	(410) 819-4441	sdat.crln@maryland.gov
Carroll County Assessments 15 E Main Street, Suite 229, Westminster, MD 21157	(410) 857-0600	(410) 857-0128	sdat.carl@maryland.gov
Cecil County Assessments District Court Multi-Service Center, 170 East Main Street, Elkton, MD 21921	(410) 996-2760	(410) 996-2770	sdat.cec@maryland.gov
Charles County Assessments Southern Maryland Trade Center, 101 Catalpa Drive Suite 101A, LaPlata, MD 20646	(301) 932-2440	(301) 932-2189	sdat.char@maryland.gov
Dorchester County Assessments 501 Court Lane, PO Box 488, Cambridge, MD 21613	(410) 228-3380	(410) 228-3704	sdat.dor@maryland.gov
Frederick County Assessments 5310 Spectrum Dr, Suite E, Frederick, MD 21703	(301) 815-5350	(301) 663-8941	sdat.fred@maryland.gov
Garrett County Assessments County Courthouse 317 East Alder St., Room 106, PO BOX 388, Oakland, MD 21550	(301) 334-1950	(301) 334-5018	sdat.gar@maryland.gov
Harford County Assessments Mary E.W. Risteau District Court Multi-Service Center, 2 South Bond Street, Suite 400, Belair, MD 21014	(410) 836-4800	(410) 838-5914	sdat.harf@maryland.gov
Howard County Assessments District Court Multi-Service Center, 3451 Court House Dr, Ellicott City, MD 21043	(410) 480-7940	(410) 480-7960	sdat.how@maryland.gov
Kent County Assessments 114-A Lynchburg Street, Chestertown, MD 21620	(410) 778-1410	(410) 778-1525	sdat.kentco@maryland.gov
Montgomery County Assessments 30 W. Gude Drive, Suite 400, Rockville MD 20850	(240) 314-4510	(301)424-3864	sdat.mont@maryland.gov
Prince George's County Assessments 14735 Main Street, Suite 354B, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772	(301) 952-2500	(301) 952-2955	sdat.princeg@maryland.gov
Queen Anne's County Assessments Carter M. Hickman District Court Multi-Service Center, 120 Broadway Suite 7, Centreville, MD 21617	(410) 819-4160	(410) 819-4170	sdat.qaco@maryland.gov
St Mary's County Assessments Carter Building, 23110 Leonard Hall Drive, Room 2059, PO Box 1509 Leonardtown, MD 20650	(301) 880-2900	(301)475-4856	sdat.stm@maryland.gov
Somerset County Assessments 11545 Somerset Avenue, Princess Anne, MD 21853	(410) 651-0868	(410) 651-1995	sdat.som@maryland.gov
Talbot County Assessments 29466 Pintail Drive, Suite 12, Easton, MD 21601	(410) 819-5920	(410) 822-0048	sdat.talb@maryland.gov
Washington County Assessments 3 Public Square, Hagerstown, MD 21740	(301) 791-3050	(301) 791-2925	sdat.wash@maryland.gov
Wicomico County Assessments Salisbury District Court Multi-Service Center, 201 Baptist Street, Box 8 Salisbury, MD 21801	(410) 713-3560	(410) 713-3570	sdat.wic@maryland.gov
Worcester County Assessments One West Market Street, Rm. 1202, Snow Hill, MD 21863	(410) 632-1196	(410) 632-1366	sdat.wor@maryland.gov

ALL ASSESSMENT OFFICES ARE OPEN MONDAY - FRIDAY 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM,
EXCEPT BALTIMORE CITY WHICH IS OPEN 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

For a complete list of office locations visit http://dat.maryland.gov/realproperty/Pages/Maryland-Assessment-Offices.aspx

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