

2024 Certified Livestock Manager Trainings

The Illinois Department of Agriculture and University of Illinois Extension have announced options for Certified Livestock Manager Training needed to meet the requirements of the state's Livestock Management Facilities Act.

LMFA requires facilities with 300 or more animal units to have at least one employee certified in proper manure handling procedures. Employees of facilities with 1,000 or more units must complete one of the training options and pass the Certified Livestock Manager online exam to achieve certification.

The 2024 curriculum is available online or will be offered through the following workshops:

- January 30, Bank of Springfield Center, Springfield.
- January 31, Warren-Henderson Farm Bureau Building, Monmouth (9:00am start time).
- February 1, Grundy County Farm Bureau Building, Morris.
- February 2, Stephenson County Farm Bureau Building, Freeport.
- February 6, Effingham County U of I Extension Office, Effingham.
- February 7, Clinton County U of I Extension Office, Breese.
- February 8, Pike County Farm Bureau Building, Pittsfield.

To register for an in-person workshop or access the online training visit go.illinois.edu/CLMT. Registration opens on Dec. 1 and the training cost is \$70. Questions can be directed to Stanley Solomon at jssolomon@illinois.edu.