REQUEST FOR AGRICULTURAL PREFERENCE RIGHTS
AS 38.05.069 & 11 AAC 67.167

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**APPLICANT'S INFORMATION**

Applicant’s Name(s) ____________________________________________
Mailing Address ________________________________________________
City_________________________ State ________________ Zip Code ______
Phone ______________________ E-Mail _____________________________

*Note: Must be an Alaskan Resident owning and using or leasing and using land for agricultural purposes*

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF BASE FARM:**

(Note: This is owned or leased property that is “adjacent” (having a common boundary or corner with auction the parcel or separated by a stream or road from the auction parcel). Attach a copy of lease or title of property.

________________________________________________________________________

located in Township__________________, Range___________________, __________ Meridian,
Section(s)________________________ containing______________________ acres, more or less.

Comments to support legal description:
________________________________________________________________________
DESCRIBE YOUR BASE FARM:
At least 50% of the cropland on the “base farm” must be currently cleared and otherwise devoted to “agricultural purpose” as defined in AS 38.05.069 Preference to persons for agricultural purposes. If applicant has a state parcel under contract, you must be current with any land clearing requirements and in compliance with all contract conditions.

Total Acres ____________________________  Total Acres of cropland ____________________________

Acres cleared or otherwise devoted to agriculture ____________________________

Please describe the activities used on the “base farm” and number of acres devoted to the activities that take place (example: grain xx acres, livestock xx acres, storage xx acres etc.). ____________________________

DESCRIBE YOUR NEED FOR ADDITIONAL ACREAGE:
1. Draw a scaled development plan below, showing your current “base farm” in relation to the auction parcel being applied for. Show existing and planned agricultural improvements, activities and conservation measure such as windbreaks, ponds, etc.:
2. Provide a written description and proposed schedule for developments on the auction parcel and how you will incorporate it into your existing “base farm”:

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3. Describe your “base farm” as an economic unit and provide a statement of the need for additional acreage to create a more sustainable economic unit:

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MAKE PAYMENT: $175 (Receipt Type: 5A)

Note: this is a non-refundable filing fee

This application will not be considered unless it is complete with all the requested information attached and the required fee is accompanied with the application.

Cash or Card Payment can be made through the Public Information Centers listed at the top of this form

Or

Checks should be made out to the Department of Natural Resources and the completed application can be returned to:

Department of Natural Resources
Division of Mining, Land, & Water
Land Sales Section
550 W. 7th Ave, Suite 640
Anchorage, AK 99501

I certify that the above and attached information provided is true to the best of my knowledge. I have read and understand the agricultural preference right statute and regulation (AS 38.05.069 & 11 AAC 67.167).

Applicant Signature of Applicant ___________________________ Date Received ___________________________

Date stamp ___________________________

AS 38.05.035(a) authorizes the director to decide what information is needed to process an application for the sale or use of state land and resources. This information is made a part of the state public land records and becomes public information under AS 40.25.110 and 40.25.120 (unless the information qualifies for confidentiality under AS 38.05.035(a)(8) and confidentiality is requested, AS 43.05.230, or AS 45.48). Public information is open to inspection by you or any member of the public. A person who is the subject of the information may challenge its accuracy or completeness under AS 44.99.310, by giving a written description of the challenged information, the changes needed to correct it, and a name and address where the person can be reached. False statements made in an application for a benefit are punishable under AS 11.56.210. In submitting this form, the applicant agrees with the Department to use “electronic” means to conduct “transactions” (as those terms are used in the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act, AS 09.80.010 – AS 09.80.195) that relate to this form and that the Department need not retain the original paper form of this record: the department may retain this record as an electronic record and destroy the original.