



Alaska Farm Bureau

The Voice of Agriculture

What is the Farm Bureau?

- ▶ Largest farm advocacy organization
- ▶ Independent, grassroots organization
- ▶ Policy driven organization



The Alaska Farm Bureau's mission is to improve the economic well-being and expansion of agriculture and to enrich the quality of life for all Alaskans.

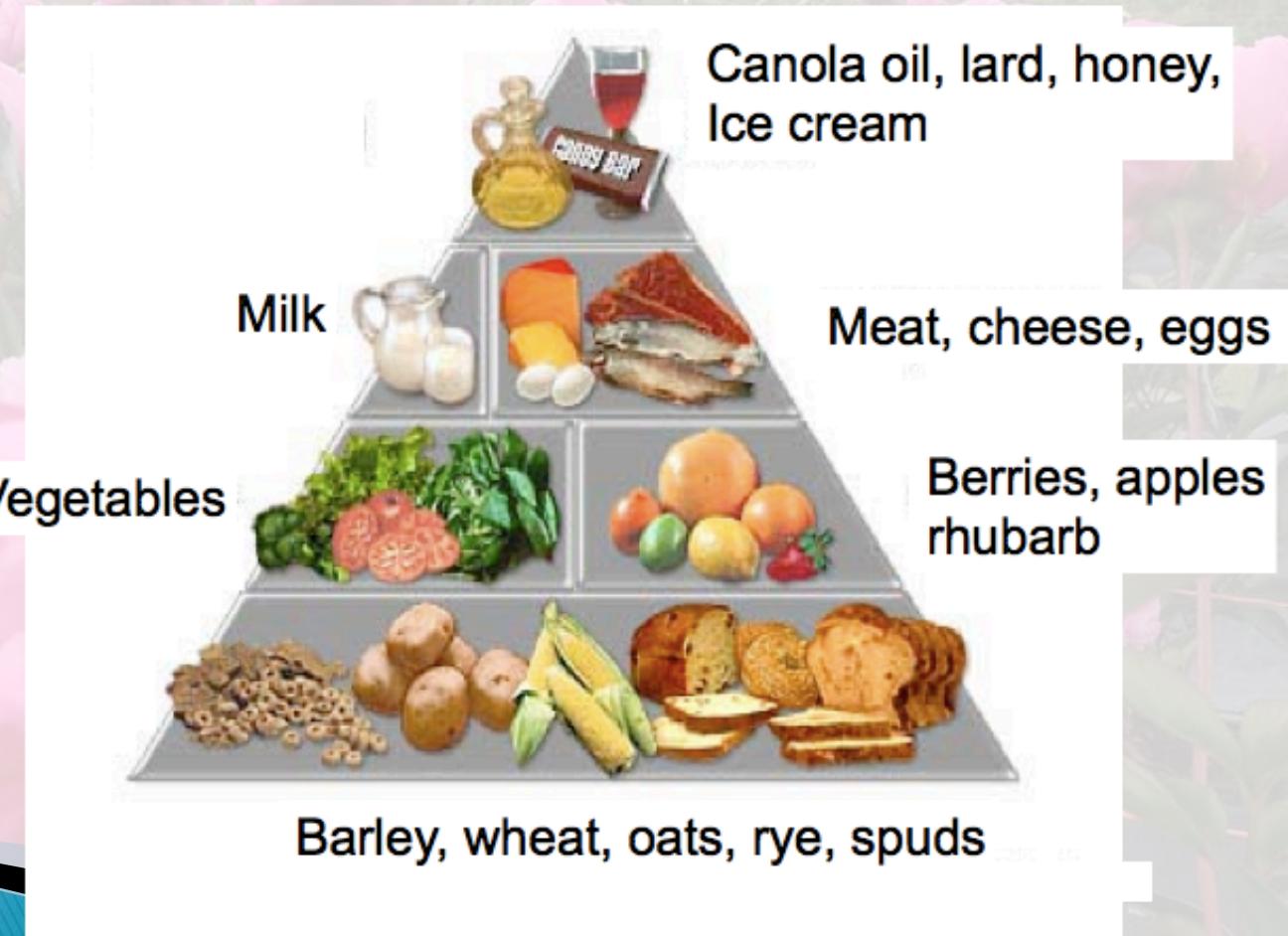
- ▶ Promote policies that expand farming opportunities
- ▶ Promote Education & Ag Awareness
- ▶ Work to secure the future of family farms in Alaska

- 90 day supply in bins, feedlots, and storage bins
- Balanced diet
- Incorporate local food into the food system



Food Security Goals

Alaska Food Pyramid



How much do we need?

Food	90 Day Supply	Current Production
Spuds	1200 acres	560 acres
Carrots	50 acres	46
Milk	28M pounds	3.3M pounds
Grains (processed)	12,000 acres	200 acres
Red Meat	13M pounds	1.1M pounds
Poultry	9.75M pounds	25K pounds

A large agricultural tractor is shown harvesting a field of golden crops, likely wheat or barley. The tractor is positioned in the center-left of the frame, moving from left to right. In the background, there is a line of trees with autumn-colored leaves. The sky is clear and blue. The overall scene is a rural agricultural setting.

**WORKING TOGETHER
ON POLICY TO
STRENGTHEN OUR
AGRICULTURE
INDUSTRY**



**\$5 Week on Alaska
Grown = \$188
Million Impact**

POLICY

Land

“best use”

Affordability

Accessibility

Suitability

Taxes

Regulatory

FSMA

Animal Authorities

Meat Tax

Animal Waste
Emissions

Markets

Small Farm
Exemptions

“Cottage Food”

Product Preference

Farmer’s
Markets/Food Hubs

A man is operating a red tractor in a field. He is wearing a light-colored shirt and dark pants. The tractor is carrying a large, dark, irregularly shaped object, possibly a piece of equipment or a large bag. In the background, there is a large pile of hay or straw. The sky is overcast and hazy.

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