



Welcome!

Rural living in Wyoming has its rewards and its challenges. Whether you are new to rural living in Wyoming or a longtime resident, we hope you find this guide of interest and practical use.

The guide is brought to you by the Small Acreage Issue Team – a group of natural resource professionals interested in promoting good stewardship of natural resources. We understand the appeal of rural living and want to provide you with the tools and information needed to enjoy your country lifestyle while maintaining the value and aesthetics of the land that attracted you in the first place.



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It is our mission to provide user-friendly information on a variety of topics pertinent to rural living, whether you have a few acres or many. To that end, our diverse team of natural resource professionals has boiled down information in a wide variety of areas. We present that information here and list helpful resources in each section where you can go to get more detailed information.

Don't assume that this guide is the end of the information, but see it as a gateway to a host of informational resources. These resources include:

- ***Barnyards & Backyards*** (B&B) magazine – An award-winning quarterly magazine of useful information.
- B&B website – An information-rich website (barnyardsandbackyards.com) where you can find a host of resources including articles, videos, and current events around the state.
- B&B workshops – We support a variety of educational workshops that take place around Wyoming each year. Visit barnyardsandbackyards.com to see if one is scheduled for a location near you.

Successful living involves a lifetime of learning. We're here to provide practical educational resources to help you live better on your land.

The Small Acreage Issue Team




Check out our ever-growing collection of useful video clips on YouTube.