

Privacy Policy

Your privacy is very important to us. At Maryland Farm Bureau we have a few fundamental principles that we follow:

- We don't ask you for personal information unless we truly need it.
- We don't share your personal information with anyone except to comply with the law, develop our products, or protect our rights.
- We don't store personal information on our servers unless required for the on-going operation of our site.

It is our policy to respect your privacy regarding any information we may collect while operating our websites.

Website Visitors

Like most website operators, Maryland Farm Bureau collects non-personally-identifying information of the sort that web browsers and servers typically make available, such as the browser type, language preference, referring site, and the date and time of each visitor request. Our purpose in collecting non-personally identifying information is to better understand how our visitors use the website. From time to time, we may release non-personally-identifying information in the aggregate, e.g., by publishing a report on trends in the usage of the website.

Maryland Farm Bureau also collects potentially personally-identifying information like Internet Protocol (IP) addresses for logged in users and for users leaving comments on our blogs. We only disclose logged in user and commenter IP addresses under the same circumstances that it uses and discloses personally-identifying information as described below, except that blog commenter IP addresses are visible and disclosed to the administrators of the blog where the comment was left.

Gathering of Personally-Identifying Information

Certain visitors to our website choose to interact with us in ways that require us to gather personally-identifying information. The amount and type of information that Maryland Farm Bureau gathers depends on the nature of the interaction. For example, those who wish to receive newsletters via email, we collect their emails. In each case, Maryland Farm Bureau collects such information only insofar as is necessary or appropriate to fulfill the purpose of the visitor's interaction with us. We do not disclose personally-identifying information other than as described below. And visitors can always refuse to supply personally-identifying information, with the caveat that it may prevent them from engaging in certain website-related activities.

Aggregated Statistics

Maryland Farm Bureau may collect statistics about the behavior of visitors to its websites. For instance, we may monitor the most popular pages on our site. We may display this information publicly or provide it to others. However, we do not disclose personally-identifying information other than as described below.

Protection of Certain Personally-Identifying Information

Maryland Farm Bureau discloses potentially personally-identifying and personally-identifying information only to those of its employees, contractors and affiliated organizations that (i) need to know that information in order to process it on Maryland Farm Bureau's behalf or to provide services available on our website, and (ii) that have agreed not to disclose it to others. Some of those employees, contractors and affiliated organizations may be located outside of your home country; by using Maryland Farm Bureau's website, you consent to the transfer of such information to them. Maryland Farm Bureau will not rent or sell potentially personally-identifying and personally-identifying information to anyone. Other than to its employees, contractors and affiliated organizations, as described above, Maryland Farm Bureau discloses potentially personally-identifying and personally-identifying information only in response to a subpoena, court order or other governmental request, or when Maryland Farm Bureau believes in good faith that disclosure is reasonably necessary to protect the property or rights of Maryland Farm Bureau, third parties or the public at large. If you are a registered user of our website and have supplied your email address, Maryland Farm Bureau may occasionally send you an email to tell you about new features, solicit your feedback, or just keep you up to date with what's going on with Maryland Farm Bureau and our services. If you send us a request, we reserve the right to publish it in order to help us clarify or respond to your request or to help us support other users. Maryland Farm Bureau takes all measures reasonably necessary to protect against the unauthorized access, use, alteration or destruction of potentially personally-identifying and personally-identifying information.

Cookies

A cookie is a string of information that a website stores on a visitor's computer, and that the visitor's browser provides to the website each time the visitor returns. Maryland Farm Bureau uses cookies to help us identify and track visitors, their usage of our website, and their website access preferences. Maryland Farm Bureau visitors who do not wish to have cookies placed on their computers should set their browsers to refuse cookies before using our website, with the drawback that certain features of Maryland Farm Bureau's website may not function properly without the aid of cookies.

Business Transfers

If Maryland Farm Bureau, or substantially all of its assets were acquired, or in the unlikely event that Maryland Farm Bureau goes out of business or enters bankruptcy, user information would be one of the assets that is transferred or acquired by a third party. You acknowledge that such transfers may occur, and that any acquirer of Maryland Farm Bureau may continue to use your personal information as set forth in this policy.

Ads

Ads appearing on our website may be delivered to users by advertising partners, who may set cookies. These cookies allow the ad server to recognize your computer each time they send you an online advertisement to compile information about you or others who use your computer. This information allows ad networks to, among other things, deliver targeted advertisements that they believe will be of most interest to you. This Privacy Policy covers the use of cookies by Maryland Farm Bureau and does not cover the use of cookies by any advertisers.

Comments

Comments and other content submitted are not saved on our servers.

Privacy Policy Changes

Although most changes are likely to be minor, Maryland Farm Bureau may change its Privacy Policy from time to time, and in Maryland Farm Bureau's sole discretion. Maryland Farm Bureau encourages visitors to frequently check this page for any changes to its Privacy Policy. Your continued use of this site after any change in this Privacy Policy will constitute your acceptance of such change.