

About Us

The American Forage and Grassland Council (AFGC) is an organization made up of 22 affiliate councils in the United States with over 2,500 members. Our primary objective is to promote the profitable production and sustainable utilization of quality forage and grasslands. AFGC is dedicated to advancing the use of forage as a prime feed resource. AFGC Members represent the academic community, producers, private industry, institutes and foundations. Together, they unite in a common cause to promote and develop the forage industry.



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Membership Opportunities

Types of Membership

Individual Member

A person from any sector with a vested interest in the forage industry but does not belong to a state affiliate council.

Affiliate Member

A person who joins a local or regional affiliate council is automatically an AFGC member.

Affiliate Councils include:

Alabama	Mississippi
Arkansas	Missouri
Florida	North Carolina
Georgia	Ohio
Illinois	Oregon
Indiana	Pennsylvania
Iowa	South Carolina
Kansas	Tennessee
Kentucky	Texas
Louisiana	Virginia
Maryland/Delaware	West Virginia
Michigan	

Student Member

A high school or college student with an education path focused in the forage industry.

"AFGC has been an amazing organization to meet other farmers, ranchers, and scientist trying to solve the same problem I am: How to make an enjoyable living while leaving this land better than I found it."

*-Dan Glenn,
producer member*

"I have been an AFGC member for around 25 years, and the reason I became involved with the board was in gratitude for the relationships I cultivated that helped to make me a better forage producer and a better Extension Educator. The unique relationship involving the public sector, industry and producers provides me well balanced, beneficial information and friendships."

*-Christopher Penrose,
public sector member*

Member Benefits

- Online Membership Directory
- Monthly E-Newsletters
- Quarterly Newsletters
- Subscriptions to *Progressive Forage* and *Hay & Forage Grower*
- Reduced Conference Fees
- Online Job Board
- Certified Forage and Grassland Professional Program (CFGPP)
- Certified Forage and Grassland Apprentice Program (CFGAP)