AMERICAN FARM BUREAU FEDERATION
CLASS 13 APPLICATION
PARTNERS IN ADVOCACY LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

The applicant should carefully read through this entire form and application before filling out any part of it. Each question response must be 1,500 characters or less. This entire form and application must be received by American Farm Bureau Federation (AFBF) at the email address: johnnam@fb.org, ***before 8:00 a.m. Eastern Time on March 23, 2026.***

Applicant: _____

Phonetic Pronunciation: _____

Contact Information:

Address: _____

City: _____, State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Phone: _____Cell Phone: _____Bus. Phone: _____
At which number would you prefer to be contacted? ☐ Home ☐ Cell ☐ Business

E-mail Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

Education/Degree: _____

Short courses or other specialized study: _____

Please list or confirm your involvement and experience with social media:

Blog	Yes☐ /No☐	If yes, please share link: _____
X/Twitter	Yes☐ /No☐	If yes, please share handle: _____
YouTube	Yes☐ /No☐	If yes, please share link: _____
Instagram	Yes☐ /No☐	If yes, please share handle: _____
Facebook	Yes☐ /No☐	If yes, please share link: _____
LinkedIn	Yes☐ /No☐	If yes, please share link: _____
TikTok	Yes☐ /No☐	If yes, please share handle: _____

☐ I hereby certify the information on this entry form and application to be accurate and true statements, made to the best of my ability. By checking this box I am confirming my understanding of the terms of the program and have the support and nomination from my state Farm Bureau.

AFBF reserves the right to use photos and/or any video footage in promoting Farm Bureau. All photos and/or video footage of the undersigned applicant also may be available to sponsors of Farm Bureau events.

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1. Tell us about yourself and your involvement in agriculture.

2. Why are you interested in being a participant in the *Partners in Advocacy Leadership* program and what personal qualities and/or knowledge do you possess that make you a good candidate?

3. What is your involvement in Farm Bureau and what are your goals for your future involvement?

4. What are your goals for the next five years, and how will this training help you meet them?

5. Describe your most successful or impactful experience as an advocate for agriculture.

6. What do you consider the key issues facing the agricultural industry now? How might the issues change in the next five to 10 years? How might your role change?

7. List your leadership and advocacy accomplishments.

ORGANIZATION	ROLE	ACCOMPLISHMENTS

8. What other professional and/or personal-development training have you had? Please describe.

9. What impact do you think you can have on agriculture and within Farm Bureau through effective advocacy?