

## Sample Interview Questions for Farmers

1. What do you grow and how much acreage do you farm?
2. What are your plans for the future – do you want to expand your farm operations?
3. Are there ways the town supports or hinders your ability to farm?
4. Would the formation of a local agricultural commission be beneficial to you as a farmer?  
*(would have to describe what it is and what it might do)*
5. Are there places that are important to you as a farmer – other farms or businesses that help you or that you believe are important?
6. Do you agree with this definition of what a farm is: *(Dessa to supply definition)*
7. What's your source of water? (Town water, private wells, public water supply, other)  
Have you experienced problems in the past? How might your water supply this affect future plans?
8. Is some portion of your farming organic? What part? What part is "natural" (meaning no additional use of chemical pesticides, GMOs etc.)?