



2016 GEORGIA FFA DISCUSSION MEET

– APRIL 29, 2016 –

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Georgia Farm Bureau
Young Farmer Committee



– *DISCUSSION MEET TOPICS* –

1. How should Farm Bureau protect and encourage producers' ability to use new technology? How can Farm Bureau work with government and the public to ensure public acceptance while encouraging innovation?
2. Should we draft policy to protect livestock producers from false accusations regarding animal welfare? What could it look like?
3. How do we balance agriculture's water needs with maintaining vibrant communities? How do historical water rights influence this discussion?
4. How can we influence state and local policy that more effectively balances the social and economic interests of farmers and ranchers versus burdensome federal regulation?

AWARDS

Area Finalists (12)

Two per area, \$50

State Finalist

\$100

State Winner

\$250