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### **Actuality: Definitions of Water Jurisdiction Categories under WOTUS**

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EPA Acting Administrator for Water Dave Ross explains the six categories of jurisdiction of waters in the U.S. under a proposed redefinition of "The Waters of the U.S." rule.

### **NATIONAL DAIRY FARM PROGRAM FOSTERS QUALITY, IMPROVEMENT**

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**Audio with Emily Yeiser (YEI-zer) Stepp, Senior Director, National Dairy FARM Program**

When faced with consumer questions over how milk is produced, consider this: 98 percent of the U.S. fluid milk supply is involved in the National Dairy FARM program — and meets rigorous standards for quality. Quality animal care. Quality environmental stewardship. And quality products for consumers. Emily Yeiser Stepp (YEI-zer Step) explains...tape

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The National Dairy FARM Program involves dairy farmers, cooperatives and processors around the country. Their goal is to document progress on the nation's dairy farms, and share that story with consumers...tape

Cut #2 :22 OC..."right direction"

The FARM program holds producers to the highest standard of animal care, and environmental and antibiotic stewardship. Oftentimes, it's simply documenting the good practices already in place on the farm...tape

Cut #3 :27 OC...”be sustainable”

Earlier this year, Tyson Foods announced certification requirements for fed cattle — including culled dairy cows. Dairies that have completed the FARM Animal Care 3.0 evaluation meet those requirements and are eligible to ship cattle to Tyson...tape

Cut #4 :22 OC...”to this”

Visit [National Dairy Farm Dot Com](http://NationalDairyFarmDotCom) to learn more about the program created by the National Milk Producers Federation and Dairy Management Inc.