

To: A. G. Kawamura, Secretary
California Department of Food and Agriculture

The Honorable Board of Supervisors,

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I am pleased to submit, in accordance with Section 2279 of the California Food and Agriculture Code, Plumas and Sierra Counties' Annual Crop Report for 2007. This report summarizes the acreage, production, and gross values of agricultural commodities produced in Plumas and Sierra Counties. It does not attempt to show county inventory, cost of production, or net income of agricultural producers.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the many producers, agricultural business representatives, and public agencies that have cooperated in supplying the data necessary to produce this report. I would also like to express my appreciation for the help that my administrative assistant, Melissa Nisbet has given me in the publication of this report.

Respectably Yours

Tim Gibson
Interim Agricultural Commissioner and
Sealer of Weights and Measures

**PLUMAS COUNTY
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION REPORT - 2007**

LIVESTOCK

Commodity	Number of Head	Total Liveweight	Unit	per Unit	Total
Steers	8,050	60,350	CWT	\$ 109.00	\$ 6,578,150
Heifers	6,700	50,250	CWT	\$ 107.00	\$ 5,376,750
Slaughter	700	8400	CWT	\$ 49.00	\$ 411,600
Other					\$ 130,000
Total Livestock					\$ 12,496,500

FIELD CROPS

Commodity	Acreage	Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Alfalfa Hay	5,500	4	22,000	Tons	\$ 155	\$ 3,410,000
Meadow Hay	3,000	2.2	6,600	Tons	\$ 157	\$ 1,036,200
Grain Hay	1,200	1.9	2,280	Tons	\$ 150	\$ 342,000
Irrigated Pasture	35,000	-	-	Acre	\$ 90	\$ 3,150,000
Non-irrigated Pasture	50,000	-	-	Acre	\$ 6	\$ 300,000
Range Pasture	65,000	-	-	Acre	\$ 1	\$ 65,000
Total Field Crops	159,700					\$ 8,303,200

MISCELLANEOUS CROPS (Nursery, apiary, seed, fruit, potatoes, grain, etc.) **\$ 300,000**

GRAND TOTAL **\$ 21,099,700**

TIMBER

Commodity	Production	Unit	Total
Gross Timber Harvest	136,521	MBF	\$28,070,300
Misc. Timber Prod.		MBF	\$ 1,200,000
Total Timber			\$29,270,300

**SIERRA COUNTY
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION REPORT - 2007**

LIVESTOCK

Commodity	Number of Head	Total Liveweight	Unit	per Unit	Total
Steers	2,550	19,100	CWT	\$ 109.00	\$ 2,081,900
Heifers	2,050	14,800	CWT	\$ 107.00	\$ 1,583,600
Slaughter	200	2,400	CWT	\$ 49.00	\$ 117,600
Other					\$ 15,000
Total Livestock					\$ 3,798,100

FIELD CROPS

Commodity	Acreage	Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Alfalfa Hay	1,200	4.00	4,800	Tons	\$ 155.00	\$ 744,000
Meadow Hay	1,600	2.20	3,520	Tons	\$ 160.00	\$ 563,200
Grain Hay	700	1.90	1,330	Tons	\$ 150.00	\$ 199,500
Irrigated Pasture	11,445	-	-	Acre	\$ 90.00	\$ 1,030,050
Non-irrigated Pasture	20,000	-	-	Acre	\$ 6.00	\$ 120,000
Range Pasture	24,000	-	-	Acre	\$ 1.00	\$ 24,000
Total Field Crops	58,945					\$ 2,680,750

MISCELLANEOUS CROPS (Nursery, apiary, seed, fruit, potatoes, grain, etc.) **\$ 35,000**

GRAND TOTAL **\$ 6,513,850**

TIMBER

Commodity	Production	Unit	Total
Gross Timber Harvest	50,105	MBF	\$ 9,437,100
Misc. Timber Prod.		MBF	\$ 73,000
Total Timber			\$ 9,510,100