

Public Notice

The Department of Agriculture, State of Ohio, will hold a public hearing for the purpose of accepting testimony on the proposed rescission of existing administrative rules **901:8-2-01** and **901:8-2-04**; adoption of proposed new rules **901:8-2-01**, **901:8-2-02.1**, **901:8-2-04** and **901:8-2-13** through **901:8-2-15**; and amendment of existing rules **901:8-2-02**, **901:8-2-03**, and **901:8-2-05 through 901:8-2-12**.

These rules relate to the training and licensure of auctioneers, the conduct of auctions, and the administration of the auction recovery fund. The changes in the rules are being proposed to provide rules for the implementation and administration of the auction recovery fund created in Senate Bill 262 (124th General Assembly), and incorporate other changes made in House Bills 94 and 95 (124th General Assembly).

The hearing will be held Thursday, April 29, 2004, at 8:30 a.m., in Hearing Room 133 (Seminar 'B') Bromfield Administration Building, Ohio Department of Agriculture, 8995 East Main Street, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068-3399.

The hearing will be conducted in accordance with Chapter 119 of the Revised Code. Any person affected by the proposed changes to the rules may appear and be heard in person, by his attorney, or both, may present his position, arguments, or contentions, orally or in writing, offer and examine witnesses, and present evidence tending to show that the proposed changes, if adopted or effectuated, will be unreasonable or unlawful.

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