

Case Study Research on Shared Land Tenure Models

What this project will do

- Research 10–15 diverse shared land tenure models.
- Write a synthesized report to summarize lessons and inform future models and advocacy.

Task being implemented from the MA Farmland Action Plan⁵

- Action II.A.4 – Increase the amount of privately leased farmland, coupled with agreements designed to meet the needs of farmers.
- Task 1192 – Explore novel, alternative methods of land tenure to meet the needs of beginning, BIPOC, and other historically underserved communities with limited equity or credit.

Project implementing Goal II of the MFAP: Increase access to farmland



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Lead partner – New Entry

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Implementing partners and contact

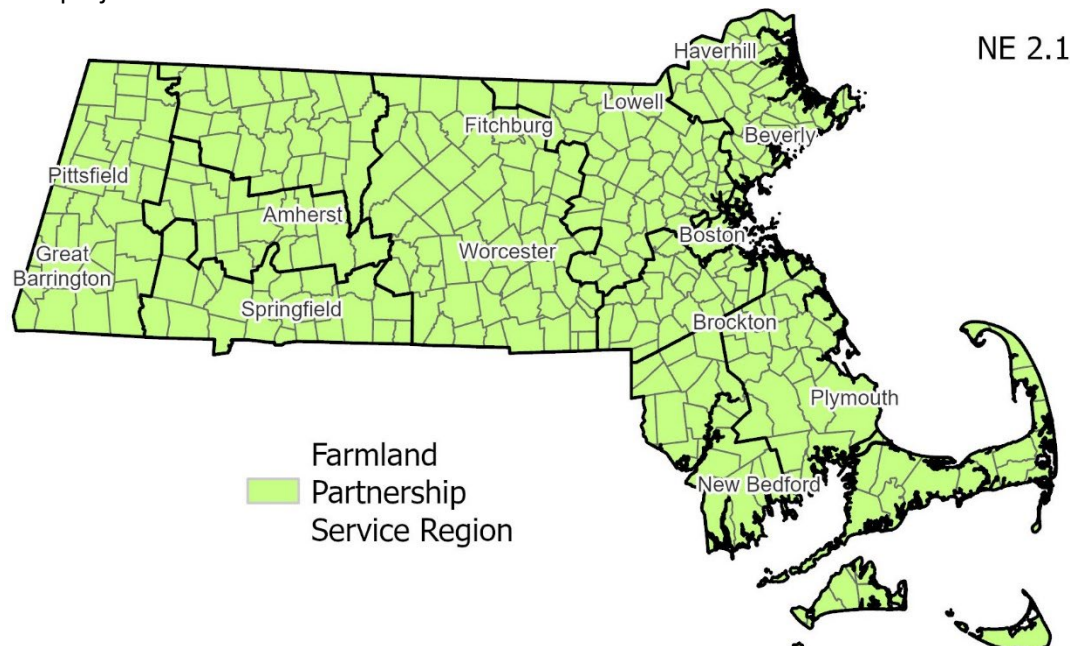
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Learn more

- Visit the [MDAR hosted FPP Project webpage](#)

Geographic area

This project serves all of Massachusetts.



⁵ Two FPP projects implementing one task. Also see [Pilot implementation of Shared Land Tenure Site](#)