FERTILIZER PRODUCTION EXPANSION PROGRAM

ALTERNATIVE 12-29-2022 APPLICATION SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

SAM.gov issues are impacting the timely completion of entity UEI registration. Applicants who have initiated but cannot complete their SAM registration can submit documentation of their efforts and receive alternative FPEP 12-29-2022 application submission instructions.

To receive alternative FPEP 12-29-2022 application submission instructions, submit an email request to: <u>fpep@usda.gov</u> (cc: <u>anthony.crooks@usda.gov</u>) with the following information:

- Applicant Name (SF 424 -- 8.a. Applicant Information, Legal Name);
- Amount of Grant Request (SF 424 18.a. Estimated Funding (\$), Federal);
- Amount of Required Matching Funds (SF 424 18.b. Estimated Funding (\$), Applicant); and
- PDF of all available documentation of attempts to complete a SAM registration, beginning with date of your original request to SAM.gov, and the original incident report.

Alternative FPEP 12-29-2022 application submission requests must be submitted before 5:00 pm Eastern Time, Wednesday, December 28, 2022. Email requests for alternative FPEP 12-29-2022 application submission instructions received after 5:00 pm Eastern Time, Wednesday, December 28, 2022, will not be considered.

The FPEP application deadline is 11:59 pm Eastern Time, Thursday, December 29, 2022. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.