St. Lawrence County farmers urged to join plastics recycling project

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MADRID — St. Lawrence County received a Northeast SARE (Sustainable Agricultural Research and Education) grant



to recycle 20 tons of used ag plastics over the next year, and is seeking farmers to participate in the project.

In exchange for preparing the plastics for recycling, the county will collect and bale the material at no cost to the farmer

Interested farmers are asked to attend a half-hour information session to be held before the Cooperative Extension and American Dairy Association's joint annual dinner on at 7 p.m. Oct. 29 at the Madrid Community Center.

The information session will begin at 6:30 and provide an overview of the project and its timeline.

Following the information session, participants will receive two complimentary meals at the joint annual dinner which will feature turkey and all the fixings.

Farmers are asked to register for the event by contacting Cooperative Extension at 379-9192.

When registering, inform staff that you will also attend the information session.

The last day to register is Oct. 23.