



The Urban Farm at Stapleton Needs Your Help!

Sometime during the night or early morning of January 21-22, 3 sheep, 8 goats, and 2 rabbits were killed in their pens at The Urban Farm at Stapleton. Two dogs were found on the property and were taken into custody.

All of us at The Urban Farm are devastated by the loss of these animals and the impact on the children who cared them as part of our educational program designed to develop responsibility, discipline, resilience, and problem solving skills in children and youth. Our immediate priority is helping them to cope with the loss.

This last weekend should have been a time of celebration of the animals, and the children who worked with them. A number of the sheep and goats raised at The Urban Farm were off-site at the National Western Stock Show. One of them was named Grand Champion in its class and several other animals received awards.

The Urban Farm has set up a special fund to replace the sheep and goats and to improve their pens so that an incident like this cannot happen again and so they can bring the sheep back to the farm. Please consider contributing to the Fund, please visit our website or Facebook page for further information, and please make note that your contribution is for goats and sheep.

We would like to express our deepest thanks to all the organizations that worked with us to investigate this tragic incident.

The Urban Farm at Stapleton is an independent, nonprofit organization that provides experiential learning and practical work experience to young people in a farm setting. Our purpose is to inspire excitement for learning while fostering personal confidence, resilience, teamwork, and real-world problem solving skills. All contributions to The Urban Farm are tax deductible.



We will be rebuilding and YOU can help!!! Please visit www.theurbanfarm.org for more information or to donate.