





Our mission is to cultivate a community passionate about preserving our agricultural heritage, educating and feeding our neighbors, and growing a sustainable future.

PROGRAMS:

- Little Farmers (3-5 years old)
- Farm Kids Club (5 years old & up)
- Heritage Homeschool (5-18 years old)
- Summer Camps (5-18 years old)
- Power of Produce (1-12 years old)
- Veteran & Beginning Farmer Series
- Living Landscapes (Adults)
- Heritage Skills (Adults)

HISTORY

1990's As a result of two visionaries who desired to preserve the agricultural heritage of Cullman County, the Alabama Agriculture Museum and Hall of Fame began

2000 The North Alabama Agriplex board was established under Senate Bill 323

2013 Agriplex Heritage Center opened

2014-2020 Food for Life AmeriCorps Grant

2020 Corner property purchased for expansion

2022 Kickoff Home for the Harvest Capital Campaign

2025 Groundbreaking and Construction of Community Hub

OUR PLANS

To better serve our community, we are expanding our campus which will feature a 8,505 square foot community hub, teaching kitchen and administrative areas shared with the Cullman County

Extension office.



OUR LEADERS



Rachel Dawsey
Executive Director

As director, Rachel oversees 9 staff members working with schools, communities, organizations, and local businesses. In 2024, the Agriplex had over 25,000 participants including from 23 schools. Already in 2025, we have served over 30 counties.



Mike Roden Board President

Board MembersMike Roden

Bonnie Baty Billy Troutman Paul Pinyan Lee Haynes Joann Minnett Greg Anderson Suzanne Wood Amelia Mitchell Will Bonds Tyler Monday



Amanda Stanton Foundation President

Foundation Board Members

Amanda Stanton Matt Kinsland Audrey Crabb Rachel Dawsey Tom Williamson Suzanne Rollo Richard Crabb Stefani Nelson





Community Impact

- Create a gathering space to foster social connections and a sense of community
- Teach garden to table skills classes to develop lifelong, sustainable living habits for all ages
- Improves the local communities health and well being through nutrition education
- Creates a lasting legacy of healthier eating habits for future generation
- Provide workforce development in agriculture and food services

Expanded space to allow more opportunities for our community

WHAT

Modern Demonstration/Teaching Kitchen
Cullman County Extension Office Wing
Multiuse Classroom

Multipurpose Breezeway

North Alabama Agriplex Office Wing



A capital campaign to raise 3.2 million by 2025

HOW

Level of Tiered Giving	Gift Amount	Gifts Needed	Total
Harvesters	\$100,000	3	\$300,000
Cultivators	\$50,000	6	\$300,000
Growers	\$25,000	6	\$150,000
Sowers	\$10,000	10	\$100,000
Seeds	\$5,000	15	\$75,000
Roots	\$1,000	75	\$75,000

