

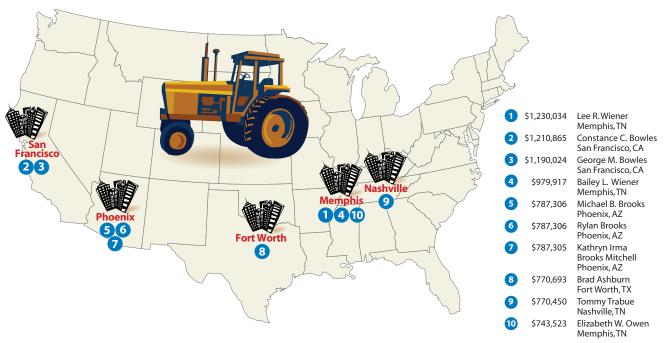
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TOP 10 URBAN 'FARMERS'

It's no surprise that farmers who reap the biggest federal crop subsidies live in rural areas. It's a bit of a shocker, though, that plenty of city slickers — some related to each other — are among the 350,000 folks who culled bushels of cash out of the \$25 billion in annual subsidies. The "Top 10" subsidy recipients who live in big cities raked in from \$743,500 to \$1.2 million in 2003-2005.



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Source: Environmental Working Group Farm Subsidy Database, www.mulchblog.com

Notes: A big city is defined as one with a population exceeding 500,000. Amounts are for federal crop subsidies distributed in program years 2003-2005, the latest data available. A total of 165,000 farm businesses and more than 350,000 individuals received subsidies in those years.

For more, see "How Farm Subsidies Harm Taxpayers, Consumers, and Farmers, Too" at heritage.org or click here.

