

Student References (May'06)

Agriculture in BC

Legal/Political Issues:

Smart Growth BC - www.smartgrowth.bc.ca

BC Ministry of Agriculture and Lands - www.agf.gov.bc.ca

BC Ministry of Agriculture and Lands - Strengthening Farming - www.agf.gov.bc.ca/resmgmt/sf

Agricultural Land Commission - www.alc.gov.bc.ca

Farm Industry Review Board - www.firb.gov.bc.ca

Farm Folk City Folks - www.ffcf.bc.ca

West Coast Environmental Law Research Foundation - www.wcel.org/

Environmental Issues

Pollution of Aquifers:

BC Environment Aquifer Page - <http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/wat/gws/>

BC Groundwater Association - <http://www.bcgwa.org/education.htm>

Agrochemical entry into groundwater - http://res2.agr.ca/publications/hs/chap10_e.htm

Riparian Management:

Alberta Cows and Fish Riparian Management information - <http://www.cowsandfish.org/>

BC Woodlot Association - <http://www.woodlot.bc.ca/swp/agro/docs/AgroGuideChapter05.pdf>

Soil Management:

SOIL Web - UBC - <http://www.landfood.ubc.ca/soil200/>

BC Ministry of Agriculture and Lands -

<http://www.agf.gov.bc.ca/resmgmt/publist/600series/610000-1.pdf> or

<http://www.agf.gov.bc.ca/resmgmt/publist/600series/610000-6.pdf>

Soil Conservation Council of Canada - <http://www.soilcc.ca/>

Water Use Issues:

WaterBucket - <http://www.waterbucket.ca/waterbucket/index.asp>

Water Use planning LWBC - <http://lwbc.bc.ca/03water/overview/wup/index.html>

Damage by Wildlife to Farmland:

Resource Management Branch -

http://www.agf.gov.bc.ca/resmgmt/fppa/Refguide/activity/870218-60_wildlife_damage_interior_bc.pdf

CWS - Private Land Stewardship - <http://www.pyr.ec.gc.ca/EN/Wildlife/habitat/stewardship.shtml>

FarmWest.com - <http://www.farmwest.com/index.cfm?method=pages.showPage&pageid=254>

Delta Farmland and Wildlife Trust - <http://www.deltafarmland.ca/index.html>

Greenhouses:

BC Greenhouse Growers Association - <http://www.bcgreenhouse.ca/>

Genetically Modified Foods:

Canadian Food Inspection Agency - GMO Fact Sheet –

<http://www.inspection.gc.ca/english/sci/biotech/safsal/gmoogme.shtml>

Health Canada – Genetically Modified Foods -

http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fn-an/gmf-agm/index_e.html

Fish Farming:

BC Salmon Farmers Association - <http://www.salmonfarmers.org/>

Urban Neighbour Issues

Dust/Odour/Noise issues:

BC Ministry of Agriculture and Lands - www.agf.gov.bc.ca

BC Ministry of Agriculture and Lands - Strengthening Farming - www.agf.gov.bc.ca/resmgmt/sf/

Subdivisions Next to ALR:

BC Ministry of Agriculture and Lands - Strengthening Farming

<http://www.agf.gov.bc.ca/resmgmt/sf/edge/index.htm>

Mushroom Composting Odor

BC Ministry of Agriculture and Lands - BC Agriculture Composting Handbook –

<http://www.agf.gov.bc.ca/resmgmt/publist/300series/382500%2D0.pdf>

BC Ministry of Agriculture and Lands – Strengthening Farming: Right to Farm – Composting –

http://www.agf.gov.bc.ca/resmgmt/fppa/refguide/activity/870218-29_Composting.pdf

Use of ALR Land

Provincial Agricultural Land Commission - <http://www.alc.gov.bc.ca/>