

## Farm

The farm crew was able to complete pesticide license training this week with materials provided to Jason by the county extension office. All personnel now working at the farm have a current pesticide applicators license.

Ryan and I were able to make a trip to Tifton and pick up needed tillage equipment parts. We also used this time to meet with CAES personnel stationed in this area and to visit various farm areas.

## Research

Purchase orders have been submitted for fertilize and chemical needs for the 2008 growing season. Decisions are being made with regard to plot areas based on requests that have been received for this year.

## Comments

We were able to meet with Dr. John Dowd of the Geology department this week. His advice concerning the location of a well was that there was no sure way to pick a guaranteed high producing site based on known underground formations and the most important factors in picking a site should probably be utility connections and proximity to where the water is needed.