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MEDIA ADVISORY: TOMORROW IN LANCASTER COUNTY – Governor Shapiro, Secretary Redding to Visit Cherry Hill Orchards to Meet with Pennsylvania Farmers Impacted by Devastating Crop Freeze

Lancaster, PA – Tomorrow, **Governor Josh Shapiro** and **Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture Secretary Russell Redding** will visit Cherry Hill Orchards in Lancaster County to meet with local growers who experienced significant crop loss following a devastating freeze in April.

Governor Josh Shapiro is urging the federal government and the U.S. Department of Agriculture to **expedite disaster assistance** for Pennsylvania farmers affected by the April freeze, including **faster damage assessments and crop insurance payments**. He is also calling for broader federal support to help growers recover financially and **maintain long-term market stability**.

WHO:

Governor Josh Shapiro

Secretary Russell Redding, PA Department of Agriculture

Corey McLeaf, Owner of Cherry Hill Orchards

WHEN:

Friday, May 8, 2026 at 10:30 AM

WHERE:

Cherry Hill Orchards

400 Long Lane,

Lancaster, PA

LIVE STREAM:

pacast.com/live/gov
governor.pa.gov/live/

RSVP:

Press who are interested in attending must RSVP with the names and phones numbers for each member of their team to ra-gvgovpress@pa.gov.