



## Rock Valley Hay Auction (Thur) - Rock Valley, IA

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Hay Auction Weighted Average Report for 8/20/2026 - Final

Compared to last Thursday, Alfalfa and grass hay 7-22 lower. Corn stalks and straw steady. Trade slow to moderate with light to moderate demand as rain affected some of the prices.

### Hay Auction

|              | This Week | Last Reported<br>(8/13/2026) | Last Year<br>(8/14/2025) |
|--------------|-----------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Tons:</b> |           |                              |                          |
| Hay          | 1716      | 1664                         | 1439                     |
| Straw        | 505       | 304                          | 69                       |
| Total        | 2221      | 1968                         | 1508                     |

### Hay (Conventional)

#### Alfalfa - Premium/Supreme (Per Ton)

|                   | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Medium Square 3x3 | 23.00      | 215.00             | 215.00           |                    |                 |
| Medium Square 3x3 | 123.00     | 197.50-232.50      | 205.00           |                    | 2nd Cut         |
| Large Round       | 75.00      | 195.00-210.00      | 205.00           |                    | 1st Cut         |
| Large Round       | 216.00     | 185.00-215.00      | 197.70           |                    | 2nd Cut         |
| Large Round       | 90.00      | 200.00-220.00      | 211.17           |                    | 3rd Cut         |

#### Alfalfa - Fair/Good (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 29.00      | 155.00             | 155.00           |                    |                 |
| Large Round | 59.00      | 140.00-145.00      | 143.22           |                    | 2nd Cut         |

#### Alfalfa - Utility (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 21.00      | 85.00              | 85.00            |                    | 2nd Cut         |



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### Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Premium/Supreme (Per Ton)

|                   | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Medium Square 3x3 | 25.00      | 210.00             | 210.00           |                    | 2nd Cut         |

### Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Fair/Good (Per Ton)

|                   | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Medium Square 3x3 | 19.00      | 150.00             | 150.00           |                    |                 |

### Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Utility/Fair (Per Ton)

|                   | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Medium Square 3x3 | 20.00      | 130.00             | 130.00           |                    |                 |

### Grass - Premium (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 160.00     | 190.00-210.00      | 199.45           |                    |                 |

### Grass - Good/Premium (Per Ton)

|                  | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|------------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Square 3x4 | 25.00      | 185.00             | 185.00           |                    | 2nd Cut         |
| Large Round      | 324.00     | 170.00-185.00      | 176.67           |                    |                 |

### Grass - Fair/Good (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 121.00     | 142.50-165.00      | 150.56           |                    |                 |
| Large Round | 78.00      | 150.00             | 150.00           |                    | 1st Cut         |

### Grass - Utility/Fair (Per Ton)

|             | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round | 225.00     | 125.00-140.00      | 129.29           |                    |                 |

### Grass - Utility (Per Ton)



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|                               | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
|-------------------------------|------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Large Round                   | 58.00      | 95.00-115.00       | 108.45           |                    |                 |
| Large Round                   | 25.00      | 90.00              | 90.00            |                    | 2nd Cut         |
| <b>Straw (Conventional)</b>   |            |                    |                  |                    |                 |
| <b>Corn Stalk - (Per Ton)</b> |            |                    |                  |                    |                 |
|                               | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
| Round                         | 303.00     | 45.00-75.00        | 60.43            |                    | New Crop        |
| <b>Oat - (Per Ton)</b>        |            |                    |                  |                    |                 |
|                               | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
| Round                         | 39.00      | 170.00             | 170.00           |                    | New Crop        |
| <b>Wheat - (Per Ton)</b>      |            |                    |                  |                    |                 |
|                               | <u>Qty</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Description</u> | <u>Crop Age</u> |
| Large Square                  | 16.00      | 92.50              | 92.50            |                    | New Crop        |
| Round                         | 138.00     | 90.00-127.50       | 108.71           |                    | New Crop        |
| Round                         | 9.00       | 50.00              | 50.00            | Excessive Moisture | New Crop        |

Click here for more information on Hay Quality Designation Guidelines

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