

MGR-17-017: 2018 Crop Year County Spring Crops Program Expansion

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Date

December 18, 2017

To

All Approved Insurance Providers

All Risk Management Agency Field Offices

All Other Interested Parties

From

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Subject

2018 Crop Year County Spring Crops Program Expansion

Background

The Federal Crop Insurance Corporation has expanded the number of counties where certain crops are insurable for the 2018 crop year. The following attachment, 2018 Expansion of Existing Spring Crops Programs, lists the expansion by crop, state, and county for permanently-established (non-pilot) programs.

Action

Approved Insurance Providers should advise agents and in turn producers of the expanded county crop programs for the 2018 crop year to allow producers the opportunity to purchase crop insurance.

DISPOSAL DATE:

November 30, 2018.

Attachment

Crop State Counties

Buckwheat Washington Adams

Corn Mississippi Choctaw

Cotton Virginia Mecklenburg, New Kent

Dry Beans Idaho Franklin

Dry peas Alaska Fairbanks North Star, Southeast Fairbanks

Dry Peas Kansas Decatur, Rawlins

Dry Peas Nebraska Chase, Dundy, Hayes, Hitchcock, Lincoln, Red Willow

Dry Peas Washington Benton

Grain

California San Joaquin Sorghum

Soybeans Mississippi Choctaw

Soybeans New York Albany, Broome, Greene, Rensselaer, Saratoga,

Schenectady

Sunflowers Nebraska Cherry, Dawes

Wheat Minnesota Itasca