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Date

January 23, 2020

To

All Approved Insurance Providers

All Risk Management Agency Field Offices

All Other Interested Parties

From

Richard H. Flournoy, Deputy Administrator /s/ Richard H. Flournoy 1/23/2020

Subject

Apple Tree Crop Insurance Program Approval Effective for the 2021 and Succeeding Crop Years

Background

The Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC) Board of Directors approved the Apple Tree crop insurance program for the 2021 and succeeding crop years.

Action

The following documents will be available by close of business today on the RMA website at www.rma.usda.gov:

- Apple Tree Crop Provisions (21-APT)
- Apple Tree Crop Insurance Comprehensive Tree Value (21-APT-A)
- Apple Tree Fire Blight Endorsement (21-APT-B)
- Apple Tree Insurance Standards Handbook (FCIC-20550U)
- Apple Tree Loss Adjustment Standards Handbook (FCIC-20550L)

The 2021 crop year sales closing date for the Apple Tree Insurance Program is April 15, 2020. Interested producers should contact a crop insurance agent for further information. A list of agents can be found on the RMA website at www.rma.usda.gov/tools-reports/agent-locator.

DISPOSAL DATE

December 31, 2020