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TO: All Approved Insurance Providers
All Risk Management Agency Field Offices
All Other Interested Parties

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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

2018 EXPANSION OF EXISTING SPRING CROPS PROGRAMS

<u>Crop</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Counties</u>
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 Sorghum	California	San Joaquin
Soybeans	Mississippi	Choctaw
Soybeans	New York	Albany, Broome, Greene, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady
Sunflowers	Nebraska	Cherry, Dawes
Wheat	Minnesota	Itasca