

# 100th Annual Meeting

March 26, 2020 7:00 p.m. (Conference Call)

Our Mission: Be the voice, resource, and advocate for farm families and agriculture, while promoting stewardship for today and future generations.

## Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau® 100<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting March 26, 2020

Welcome

Call to Order

Notice of the Meeting

Minutes of the 99th Annual Meeting

Financial Report

Election of Directors

President's Report

Manager's Report

New Business

Adjournment

Harvest for All Raffle Drawing



## Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau® <u>Board of Directors</u>

### **Officers:**

President	Richard Beuth*
Vice President	
Secretary	Julie Newhouse
Treasurer	

## **Remaining Directors:**

Trevor Olson Brent Pollard Phillip Raines\* John Reid Brian Sisson Clay Sohner

\* Directors whose term expires or resigned

#### Staff

Ann Marie Cain, FBCM	Manager
Diane Cleland	Ag Literacy Coordinator
Doni Nelson	Ag Literacy Educator
Katie Rudy	Ag Literacy Educator
Holly Wakeley	Ag Literacy Educator
Christy Youtzy	Ag Literacy Educator

Sandy Mitchell	Membership Secretary/Bookkeeper
Sheri Lee	Administrative Assistant
Tammy Wakeley	Administrative Assistant

## 2019-2020 Committee Chair

Young Leader's Committee	David Hunt
Centennial Celebration Committee	Brent Pollard

#### 99th Annual Meeting Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau, Rockford, Illinois

The 99th Annual Meeting of the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau was held at the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau building, Rockford, Illinois on March 19, 2019. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. by President Richard Beuth, who led us in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

The Official Notice of the Annual Meeting was read by Secretary Julie Newhouse. Ann Marie Cain, member of the Credentials Committee, certified that a quorum of the voting members was present in person or by proxy and that official business could be conducted. Julie Newhouse reported that we have received 180 valid proxies naming the President to cast votes on their behalf.

President Richard Beuth then announced that the minutes of the 98th Annual Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau Meeting held on March 20, 2018 were printed in the booklet. As no member requested that the minutes be read aloud, President Beuth asked for a motion to approve the 98<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting Minutes as printed. A motion was made, seconded, and passed to approve the minutes as printed.

President Richard Beuth called upon Board Treasurer, Sidney Moate, to give the Financial Report. The Statement of Financial Position and Statement of Activities, as printed in the booklet, were presented as well as the Financial Report for the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau Foundation, which was also included in the Annual Meeting booklet. A motion to approve the Financial Report as given was made, seconded and passed.

President Richard Beuth introduced the board of directors.

President Richard Beuth then called on Gary Greenlee, who served as Chairman of the Nominating Committee, to report on the results of the Nominating Committee and to conduct the election. The following persons have been nominated to serve on the Farm Bureau Board of Directors for the ensuing three-year period: Richard Beuth, Cody Book, Jeremy Franseen, Julie Newhouse and Clay Sohner. We hereby certify that they are voting members in good standing and duly qualified to serve on the Board of Directors of the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau. The Nominating Committee consisted of the following members: Larry Larson, Trevor Olson, Brent Pollard, John Reid, Brian Sisson and Gary Greenlee, Chairman. Gary Greenlee then asked if there were any nominations from the floor. Having asked and being that there were no nominations from the floor, Chairman Gary Greenlee then asked the Secretary to cast a unanimous ballot for the following: Richard Beuth, Cody Book, Jeremy Franseen, Julie Newhouse and Clay Sohner to serve a three-year term as Director of the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau. Secretary Julie Newhouse then cast the unanimous ballot for the above mentioned as Directors of the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau.

Gary Greenlee congratulated the newly elected directors and turned the meeting back over to President Richard Beuth who then introduced the newly elected directors Richard Beuth, Cody Book, Jeremy Franseen, Julie Newhouse and Clay Sohner.

President Richard Beuth then asked for a motion for the authority for the Board of Directors to appoint voting delegates to the IAA Annual Meeting to be held in December 2019. A motion was made, seconded, and passed. President Richard Beuth referred to the President's and Manager's Reports provided in the booklet. President Richard Beuth asked for a motion to approve the actions of the Board of Directors for the past fiscal year. The motion to approve the Board's actions was made, seconded and passed.

President Beuth then asked the members if there was any other business to come before the meeting. Richard Beuth noted upcoming events highlighted in the booklet. As there was no other business, a motion was made, seconded, and passed to adjourn the business meeting.

Julie Newhouse, Secretary

#### Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau Statement of Financial Position 12/31/2019

ASSETS				
CURRENT ASSETS		<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>
Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$	26,394	\$	32,735
Short-Term Investments	\$	38,710	\$	84,248
Accounts Receivable	\$	22,373	\$	18,435
Prepaid Expenses	\$	8,150	\$	11,434
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	\$	95,627	\$	146,852
INVESTMENTS				
Investments in Cooperatives & Partnerships	\$	337	\$	337
Long-Term Marketable Securities	\$	1,698,657	\$	1,494,529
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Total Investments	\$	1,698,994	\$	1,494,866
<b>PROPERTY, PLANT, EQUIPMENT</b> Building and Equipment Less: Accumulated Depreciation				
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Land NET PROPERTY, PLANT, EQUIPMENT	\$	124,825	\$	93,524
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	1,919,446	\$	1,735,242
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Accounts Payable	\$	2,912	\$	-
Deferred Dues Revenue	\$	332	\$	3,964
Other Deferred Revenues			\$	-
Accured Salaries	\$	3,066	\$	12,504
Corporate Income Taxes Payable	\$	777	\$	_
Other Taxes Accrued and Payable	\$	8,799	\$	8,604
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TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$	15,886	\$	28,025
NET ASSETS				
Without Donor Restrictions	\$	1,903,560	\$	1,707,217
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$	1,919,446	\$	1,735,242

#### Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau Statement of Activities 12/31/2019

<u>REVENUE</u>		<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>
Membership Dues	\$	98,725	\$	100,794
Transition and Sync/Gap Payments	\$	-	\$	2,691
Interest, Dividends, & Other Refunds	\$	41,182	\$	50,394
Realized/Unrealized Gain	\$	188,894	\$	(173,684)
Franchise Income	\$	160,555	\$	153,355
Rental Income	\$	65,209	\$	61,121
Commerical Dept. Income	\$	3,819	\$	3,140
Fee for Service to Insurance	\$	63,846	\$	61,932
AITC Grants & Donations	\$	52,309	\$	63,611
Miscellanous Donations	\$	-	\$	1,917
Prime Timers Income	\$	13,621	\$	14,820
Reinstatement Fees and Other	<u>\$</u>	1,020	\$	610
TOTAL REVENUE	\$	689,180	\$	340,701
EVDENCES				
EXPENSES General Mtgs., Travel, & Salaries	\$	281,297	\$	284,701
Building	\$	28,744	\$	11,713
Office	\$	38,939	\$	38,836
Publicity	\$	6,813	\$	7,037
Activities & Programs	\$	51,870	\$	66,022
TOTAL GENERAL FARM BUREAU	\$	407,663	\$	408,309
Extension Contribution	\$	14,400	\$	14,400
Cost of Services to Insurance Co	φ \$	2,794	\$	2,692
Commerical Department	ֆ \$	2,794	φ \$	2,692
Rental Property Operations	ֆ <u>\$</u>	48,945	\$	61,493
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TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	476,471	\$	489,540
Unrestriced Net Assets before income taxes	\$	212,709	\$	(148,838)
Federal & State income taxes	\$	16,367	\$	15,898
Change in Unrestricted Net Assets	\$	196,342	\$	(164,736)
Net Assets- Beginning of Year	\$	1,707,218	\$	1,871,954
<u>Net Assets- Year End</u>	\$	1,903,560	\$	1,707,218

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4. From the drop-down menu, select: **Agriculture and then Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau** 

5. Enter your codes (up to 5 at a time)

6. Click the donate button.



On behalf of the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau Foundation, Thank You for your Support!

## Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau® Foundation 2019 Board of Directors

## **Officers:**

President	Carl Dumoulin, Hampshire
Vice President	John Cleland, Capron
Secretary	Brian Lyons, Rockford
Treasurer	

## **Remaining Directors:**

Ron Waldschmidt, Davis Deborah Walsh, Durand

## Staff

Ann Marie Cain, FBCM	Manager
Sandy Mitchell	Accounting



#### Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau Foundation Statement of Financial Position 12/31/2019

ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS		<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$	92,523	\$ 109,636
Short-Term Investments	\$	14,680	\$ 36,135
Accounts Receivable	\$	-	\$ -
Prepaid Expenses	\$	-	\$ -
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	\$	107,203	\$ 145,770
<b>INVESTMENTS</b>			
Long-Term Marketable Securities	\$	90,927	\$ 79,621
Total Investments	\$	90,927	\$ 79,621
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$</u>	198,130	\$ 225,391
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS			
NET ASSETS			
Retained Earnings	\$	225,305	\$ 213,431
Net Income	\$	(27,175)	11,960
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$	198,130	\$ 225,391

#### Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau Foundation Statement of Activities 12/31/2019

<u>REVENUE</u>		<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>
AITC Designated Contributions	\$	25	\$	25,125
Fundraising Contributions	\$	5,080	\$	15,235
IFB Transition Payments	\$	-	\$	2,850
Dues Notice Income (EFT)	\$	9,865	\$	11,853
Dues Notice Income (E-Commerce Stand Alone)	\$	4,652	\$	4,100
Contributions (unrestricted)	\$	-	\$	25
Grants	\$	1,400		
Farm Breakfast Income	\$	14,631		
Raffle Income	\$	547		
Unrealized G/L on Investment	\$	11,307	\$	(6,930)
Interest/Dividents	\$	290	\$	1,551
CD Interest	\$	416	\$	768
Saving Interest	\$	8	\$	17
TOTAL REVENUE	\$	48,220	\$	54,594
EXPENSES				
Ag in the Classroom	\$	35,000	\$	35,000
Scholarships	\$	18,000	\$	8,875
Auditing Fees	\$	625	\$	600
Professional Fundraising	\$	-	\$	250
Fundraising Letter Campaign	\$	5,860	\$	4,227
General Expenses	\$	10	\$	25
Printing Expenses	\$	-	\$	3,011
Meeting Expenses	\$	61	\$	31
Farm Breakfast Expenses	\$	9,997	\$	(8,344)
Raffle Fundraising	\$	5,928	\$	(1,042)
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>\$</u>	75,480	<u>\$</u>	42,633
NET INCOME	\$	(27,260)	\$	11,960

## 2019 Foundation Scholarships Awarded

The Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau<sup>®</sup> Foundation awarded twelve, \$1,500 scholarships. These scholarships are for students of Farm Bureau members that are enrolled in a college or university and are majoring in an agricultural field of study.



Recipients include Kaitlin Asche of Pecatonica. Kaitlin will be a sophomore at the University of Wisconsin-Platteville in the fall. She is majoring in Agribusiness. Kaitlin is the daughter of Allen and Mary Asche.



Our second scholarship recipient is Rebecca Baird of Durand. Rebecca is the recipient of the Lawrence & Hazel McColl Memorial Scholarship. She will be a freshman at Iowa State University in the fall. She will be majoring in Environmental Science. Rebecca is the daughter of David

and Reita Baird.



Our third scholarship recipient is Holly Black of Rockton, IL. Holly will be a sophomore at the University of South Dakota in the fall. She is majoring in Medical Biology and Sustainability (Environmental focus). Holly is the daughter of Mike and Ann Black.



Our fourth scholarship recipient is Austin Brockmann of Garden Prairie. Austin will be a junior at University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign in the fall. He will be majoring in Agribusiness and Agri-accounting. Austin is the son of Gary and Vicky Brockmann.



Our fifth scholarship recipient is Daniel Daly of Pecatonica. Daniel is the recipient of the Lawrence & Hazel McColl Memorial Scholarship. He will be a freshman at Kirkwood Community College in the fall. He is majoring in Ag Production and Agribusiness. Daniel is the son of David

and Carrie Daly.



Our sixth scholarship recipient is Genevieve Ellingson of Poplar Grove. Genevieve will be a freshman at University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign in the fall. She will be majoring in Crop Sciences and Plant Biotechnology. Genevieve is the daughter of John and Toni Ellingson.



Our seventh scholarship recipient is Ray Hildebrandt of South Beloit, IL. Ray will be a senior at the University of Wisconsin-Platteville in the fall. He is double majoring in Ag Business and Dairy Science. Ray is the son of Ken and Amy Hildebrandt.



Our eighth scholarship recipient is Brock Irwin of Belvidere. Brock will be a junior at University of Wisconsin- River Falls in the fall. He is majoring in Dairy Science. Brock is the son of Mark and Melissa Irwin.



Our ninth scholarship recipient is Travis Jacobs of Pecatonica. Travis will be a freshman at Highland Community College this fall. He will be majoring in Agricultural Management with an emphasis in Crop Management. Travis is the son of Todd and Debbie Jacobs.



Our tenth scholarship recipient is Alicia Limones of Caledonia. Alicia will be a junior at Ellsworth Community College in the fall. She is majoring in Agriculture Education. Alicia is the daughter of Beth Limones.



Our eleventh scholarship recipient is Alexis Sell of Garden Prairie. Alexis will be a sophomore at Iowa Lakes Community College this fall. She is majoring in Animal Science. Alexis is the daughter of Scot Sell.



Our twelfth scholarship recipient is Abby Stevens of Caledonia. Abby will be a freshman at University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign in the fall. She will be majoring in Animal Science. Abby is the daughter of Daryl and Karin Stevens.

The 2020 Scholarship application process will begin November 1<sup>st</sup>. The funds for the scholarship awards come from the support of our members and income generated from interest. If you would like to make a contribution to the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau<sup>®</sup> Foundation for the purpose of providing scholarships, we would encourage you to do so.

The Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau<sup>®</sup> Foundation is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization; therefore, your donation is tax deductible within IRS guidelines. If you would be interested in donating to the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau<sup>®</sup> Foundation, contact the Farm Bureau office at 815-962-0653 and we will be glad to assist you in the process. [12] Ag in the ClassroomAdopt-a-ClassroomSummer Ag InstitutesSummer CampsFarm BreakfastFundraisingConsumer OutreachCounty Fairs and more!

#### WINNEBAGO-BOONE FARM BUREAU INTERNSHIP

AGRICULTURAL FIELDS OF STUDY

- Location: Rockford, Illinois
- Dates: May-August 2020
- **Pre-requisites:** Graduating high school senior or current college student, enrolled in a college/university for the upcoming semester studying Agriculture, Communications, Marketing, or Education
- **Requirements:** Approximately of 25 hrs./week (days with occasional evenings and weekends)
- Salary: \$11/hour

#### **Responsibilities:**

- Promote and facilitate Ag-in-the-Classroom and Consumer Education projects
- Assist with a week-long, graduate credit Summer Ag Institute for teachers.
- Assist with public relations efforts through social media, newsletters, press releases and other correspondence
- Coordinate County Fair activities and volunteers
- Assist with fundraising for the comprehensive Ag Ed program in Boone and Winnebago counties.
- Other duties as assigned

Contact: Ann Marie Cain, Manager at 815-962-0653 or email <u>wbfbmanager@live.com</u>

Applications are available at <u>www.winnebagoboonefarmbureau.org</u>

#### Application Deadline is March 1<sup>st</sup>.







## WINNEBAGO-BOONE AG LITERACY ANNUAL MEETING REPORT 2019-20



Students learn how all their favorite pizza ingredients start on a farm!

## AITC HIGHLIGHTS September 1, 2019-March 31, 2020

AITC CLASSROOM PROGRAMS: 1017

STUDENTS SERVED: 28,803

TEACHERS SERVED: 1060

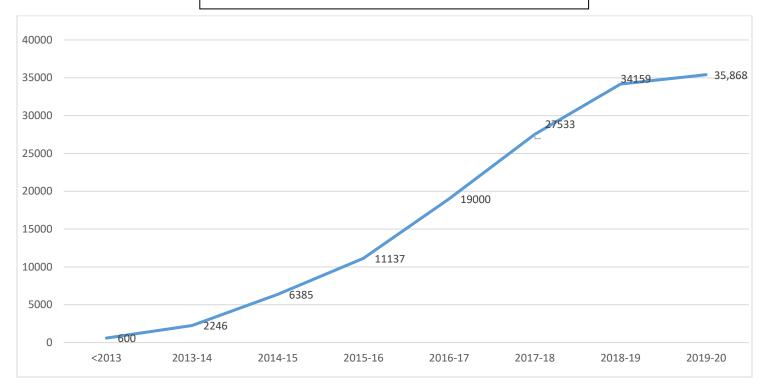


ADD'L STUDENTS REGISTERED THROUGH MAY: 7,065

## ESTIMATED TOTAL STUDENTS 2019-20: 35,868

AITC currently serves over 60 schools in 8 school districts as well as private and parochial schools in our two county area. Thanks to your support, AITC continues to grow so we can be a voice for agriculture in the community!

## NUMBER OF STUDENTS IMPACTED ANNUALLY 2013-2020



#### Summer Ag Institute 2019



Ag All Around Us 2020



<u>2020 Upcoming Events</u> Lockwood Park Ag Days, May 7 & 8 Summer Ag Institute, June 15-18 Winnebago Park District Summer Camp Belvidere YMCA Summer Camp Boone and Winnebago County Fairs

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## **SUMMER AG INSTITUTE** JUNE 15-18, 2020

#### A Hands-On Learning Experience for Educators

During this four day program, teachers will learn first-hand about agriculture and how to incorporate ag lesson plans into their classroom curriculums. Program participants will travel to area farms and agribusinesses and also enjoy classroom presentations from industry experts. The first day will be held at the Stephenson County Farm Bureau, 210 W. Spring St., Freeport from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. On June 16<sup>th</sup>, the group will board a coach bus at the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau, 1925 S. Meridian Rd., Rockford to begin three days of tours throughout Illinois. The bus will return to Rockford around 4:30 p.m. on June 18<sup>th</sup>.

Price to attend the four day program is \$250 per person. Price includes bus transportation, hotels, lunch on Monday and Tuesday and breakfast on Wednesday and Thursday. Two graduate credits are available through St. Francis University for an additional \$200. Graduate registration and credit is completed directly on-line with St. Francis.

This program is a collaborative effort presented by...







Summer Ag Institute 2020

A great hands-on four day learning experience for educators

Two Graduate Credits or 30 PDCH Available

Meet farmers and agribusiness leaders and learn about today's agriculture

Experience hands-on lesson plans and receive free teaching resources

MAIL REGISTRATIONS TO:

Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau 1925 S. Meridian Rd. Rockford, IL 61102

> Postmarked by May 8, 2020

## Farm Breakfast Hosts

- 2019 Luckey Dairy Farm
- 2018 Hildebrandt Farms
- 2017 Family Af-Ayr Farm
- 2016 Aves Dairy Farm
- 2015 Friendly Franseen Acres
- 2014 Friendly Franseen Acres
- 2013 Johnson Farms
- 2012 Susie's Garden Patch
- 2010 Ward View Farm
- 2009 James & Marilyn Turner
- 2007 Kevin & Julie Aves
- 2006 Family Af-Ayr Farm
- 2005 Brent Mueller
- 2004 Kevin & Julie Aves
- 2000 Fred & Ann Hildebrandt
- 1999 Joedy & Mary Ulrich
- 1998 Dale & Lisa Fitzgerald
- 1997 Ron & Sylvia Mueller







2019 FARM BREAKFAST FUN!









## 23rd Annual Farm Breakfast

## June 20, 2020 6:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

At the Friendly Franseen Acres 22799 Highway 76 Poplar Grove, IL



To Benefit:







COUNTRY Financial is proud of our relationship with the Winnebago-Boone County Farm Bureau, and salute them on their 100th anniversary!



Maria Martinez Belvidere 815-544-2184



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Bob Anderson BWS Agency Manager Rockford 815-633-9313

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**General Manager's Message 2019** 

2019 will be a year long remembered by those of us in the agricultural sector. It has provided challenges that most of us have not seen, and some of those challenges will carry into 2020. The long weather delays in both planting and harvest caused issues for our patrons, for our employees, and for our strategic partners throughout the industry.

Despite all the challenges faced, Conserv FS's financial statements show another excellent return for our shareholders. Our pretax income for fiscal 2019 was just over \$6.8 million, which exceeds last year's number and allows us to continue to grow the company for your benefit. During the year the board approved the purchase of almost \$5 million in fixed asset additions-all put in place to serve our customer base more effectively and efficiently.

At our November board meeting the board approved the issuance of patronage in all three divisions and the redemption of equity issued through 2008. The combined cash distribution to the country is just under \$2 million.

Our diversified business strategy continues to allow Conserv FS to lead the region in financial stability. When many other agronomic cooperatives suffered due to the seasonal challenges, our commercial energy and turf divisions excelled, allowing us to achieve our financial success. All three divisions of the company were profitable this year, again proving the value in our vision statement – To be the best, most innovative, diversified agricultural cooperative.

Both of our subsidiaries also turned in positive results for the year. Complete Feed Services continues to be a market leader and provides an excellent return on our investment. FS Grain also turned in a small profit in a challenging year and continues to improve their services to our patrons.

Our employees are a major key to our success as a company. I continue to be impressed with the dedication, hard work, and tenacity that our employee groups bring to the customer every day. Team Conserv is in constant motion, working to build successful and profitable partnerships with our patrons.

To summarize, this year has been one full of challenges, surprises, changes and successes. The cooperative system continues to be the best vehicle to provide the products and services our patrons need for their own success. Thank you for your support!

John Tuttle, General Manager



#### **PRESIDENT'S REPORT**



2019 will forever be remembered for how much rain we had!! It was a very late planting season for most of our members with a majority of the beans being planted in June. It became almost impossible to make dry, good quality hay during the summer. Harvest was another big challenge with corn being very wet, with low test weights. Because corn had so much moisture, there were shortages of LP gas for our members' corn dryers.

The Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau had a much

better 2019 than our crops did. With a strong stock market, our investments did very well. We were able to remodel the west wing of our building where there had been a COUNTRY Financial Agent. We tore two rooms out and made the area into a very nice meeting room to be used for agriculture groups such as 4-H, Conserv FS and dairy organizations. In addition, we have a church that rents that area twice a week. The west wing meeting room is now very similar to how that area was when the building was built in 1975. We also remodeled the north wing Board Room and added a much-needed storage room. You are welcome to come and see how nice these meeting areas turned out.

The Ag in the Classroom program reached a new record-over 34,000 students with the leadership of Diane Cleland and our Educators, Doni Nelson, Katie Rudy, Holly Wakeley and Christy Youtzy.

Other activities we participated in 2019 were "Ag All Around Us" event at the Discovery Center in March, the Farm Breakfast at the Dennis Luckey farm in June, the Rockford City Market in July and the two County Fairs in August.

At the State Level, Farm Bureau was not able to stop the 19 cent a gallon tax increase on gas or the increase in fees for trucks and trailers. We can only

hope that some of this money comes back to fix our rural roads and bridges. We were successful in preventing changes in the Livestock Management Facilities Act and the Farmland Assessment Law.

The American Farm Bureau Federation worked on getting the trade agreements passed in Congress with 1) China 2) the U.S. Mexico Canada Agreement 3) Japan and 4) Europe. The first two were finally passed in early 2020. The tariffs on our agriculture products, especially soybeans and pork, cost the U.S. farmers over ten billion dollars. Hopefully we can get back to a free market with most of the countries in this world and get our crop and livestock prices above break even.

2020 is the Centennial for both Winnebago and Boone County Farm Bureaus. The Centennial Committee has been working very hard on a booklet with a lot of the history of both Farm Bureaus. They are making a video where many of the past presidents, managers, Women's Committee and Young Leaders were interviewed. There will be a Centennial program at the Community Building Complex of Boone County later this year. We look forward to seeing many of our members that evening.

I want to thank our manager, Ann Marie Cain, for all the work she does to keep the Board informed and to organize most of the activities that we do throughout the year. She and her staff have spent a lot of time researching the history of our two counties. I believe everyone will be very impressed with how much information they were able to find in old newspaper articles and Board minutes for the last 100 years!

I will be turning the office of President over to someone else in 2020. I thank the Board for all the support they have given me for the past five years and for all the time they volunteered to make the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau one of the best in Illinois.

Richard Beuth, President Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau

## Looking Back at 2019

#### Environmental/Water Quality & Livestock Affairs



We continue to educate 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade students about the importance of protecting our ground water at the 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Groundwater Festival. Students learn about the water cycle, where their drinking water comes from, and practices farmers implement to protect it from pollution. Visual models show students how quickly our groundwater can be contaminated in various ways from both the urban

and rural residents.

The Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau has been actively working with local watershed groups. The South Fork Kent Creek watershed is currently working on a 319 plan. Residents within the watershed are invited to participate in the monthly Stakeholders Meetings. This is also a part of the Rockford Park District's Levings Park Water Quality Improvement project. Minutes, presentations, and resource materials are available at <u>https://rockfordparkdistrict.org/levings-park</u>.

The Farm Bureau provides input from the agricultural community on the Forest Preserves of Winnebago County's Land Advisory Council (LAC). The purpose of the LAC is to establish a Land Acquisition Policy, a Strategic Land Conservation Plan, and advise the Forest Preserve Board on potential land acquisitions.

Farm Bureau partnered with neighboring County Farm Bureaus, COUNTRY Financial, Forest Preserves of Winnebago County, Winnebago County Soil and Water District and University of Illinois-Extension to host informational meetings on the Dairy Margin Protection Program, Over the Road Transportation Updates, Soil Health Compaction and Cover Crop Seminars, and Pollinators.

#### **Legislation**

The Farm Bureau continued to meet with local legislators to talk about issues that were of concern to our members.



Farm Bureau members met with a few of our local legislators, Senator Steve Stadelman, Senator Brian Stewart, Representative Andrew Chesney and Representative Jeff Keicher during the Illinois Farm Bureau's Legislative Reception in Springfield, Illinois on February 19th to discuss how proposed legislation could impact

Illinois' agricultural industry. Our directors and members are the voices for agriculture.

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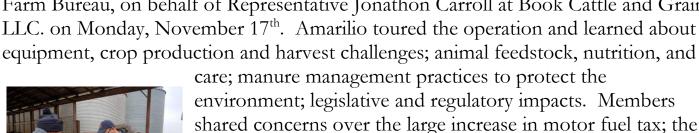
Representative Maurice West II of the 67th District along with his Chief of Staff, Jeremy Ennis, joined Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau for a tour of the Mitchell Dairy and Grain, LLC on Thursday, April 18th.

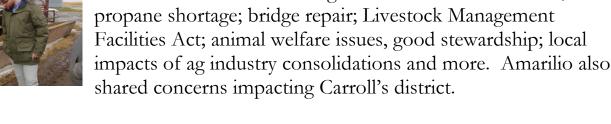
agricultural industry. Mike Amarilio, Carroll's Chief of Staff, met with members of the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau, on behalf of Representative Jonathon Carroll at Book Cattle and Grain, LLC. on Monday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. Amarilio toured the operation and learned about

Trade was one of the top issues in 2019.

Congresswomen Cheri Bustos in April and

Farm Bureau members met with US





We encourage you to get more involved with your local legislators at the county, state, and national level. Reach out to them when issues arise that will affect agriculture and take a moment to *thank them* for supporting agriculture.



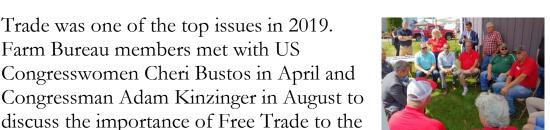




#### Join FB ACT

The easiest way to get involved is to join FB ACT. As an FB ACT member, you will receive notification to contact your legislators regarding important legislation affecting agriculture. Go to https://www.ilfb.org/take-action/fb-<u>act/join/</u> and sign up today.

Members can also join the IFB action request texting group at any time by texting the keyword "FARM" to the number: 52886.







## Policy Development

It is important that we hear from you regarding your concerns and suggestions on what direction your organization should take on issues at the county, state, and national level. Policy Development starts with you.

#### Local Affairs

The Farm Bureau continues to work with county government as they deal with zoning issues in the two counties such as providing input into the Boone County Comprehensive Plan and proposed solar projects in both counties.

#### <u>Outreach</u>



The Farm Bureau hosted our 3rd Annual Ag All Around Us event at the Discovery Center Museum to kick off National Ag Week. Stations covered a variety of agricultural topics, including goats, dairy and butter churning, honeybees, soil, worms, insects, chickens, corn, "Making Sense of Food Labels," and a play area. More than 1,000 people attended on Saturday, March 9, 2019. Thank you to all the wonderful volunteers and farmers

who dedicated their time to answering consumers' questions and teaching others about agriculture.

Mitchell Dairy and Grain LLC partnered with the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau and Illinois Farm Bureau to host a Farm to Table Tour on Saturday, June 8, 2019 near Winnebago, IL. John Mitchell and Julia Mitchell shared what goes on at a dairy operation daily. Fourteen consumers of all ages learned about milk quality, cow and calf care, nutrition, housing and antibiotics. The tour ended with delicious dairy delights consisting of milk, cheese and ice cream.



POLICY DEVELOPMENT

**Illinois Farm Bureau** 

Step 1: YOU have an idea, need or problem. Share it with YOUR county Farm Bureau (CFB) staff.

Step 2: After YOU share YOUR idea with CFB staff and it's deemed appropriate for statewide policy, work with CFB staff to research the topic, develop a policy resolution, and gather support from county leadership.

Step 3: Submit YOUR policy resolution through YOUR CFB office for review by the state Resolutions Committee.

- If approved

Step 4: Farmer delegates from across the state will debate and vote on YOUR policy resolution at the IAA Annual Meeting.

If approved \_\_\_\_\_\_ Step 5: YOUR policy resolution becomes Illinois Farm Bureau

Step 6: POLICY IN ACTION! Illinois Farm Bureau works

on **YOUR** behalf to accomplish policy at the county level, in Springfield and Washington, D.C.

Farm Bureau Foundation held the 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Farm Breakfast at Lucky Dairy Farm, hosted by the Dennis Luckey Family. Volunteers cooked a hearty breakfast, as well as coordinated tractor and horse drawn wagon rides, children's activities, petting zoo, antique tractor display and live local musical entertainment provided by the Matt

Wundrow Band for the day. Over 1,300 people attended the event. The event raised just over \$7,000 for the Farm Bureau Foundation.

The Farm Bureau continued to talk to consumers with our "Making Sense of Food Labels" display at the Rockford City Market and the county fairs. Cards containing information on the ten GMO products that may be found in the grocery store as well as the definitions of some of the more common phrases found on our food labels. Children had the opportunity to learn more about agriculture by playing Ag Jenga.



## Prime Timers



The Farm Bureau Prime Timer Program continues to provide a variety of programs and activities for our members ages 55 and older.

Programs held at the office included a defensive driving course and a Christmas Party. Trips included visits to the Fireside Theatre for lunch and a show, Chicago Auto and Flower & Garden Shows and the Celebration Belle's fall foliage cruise on the Mississippi River. We also

Prime Timers Christmas Party fall foliage cruise on the Mississippi River. We also traveled to Misty Mountains, Hawaii, and Nashville. Visit our website <u>http://www.winnebagoboonefarmbureau.org/trips-and-tours.html</u> or check out the Calendar of Events for our upcoming trips.

#### Young Leaders

The Young Leader Committee continued their efforts to collect non-perishable items and raise money for our local food pantries in partnership with the Harvest for All program.

The YL members and directors sold raffle tickets for a hog and half a steer thanks to the donations by Book Cattle and Grain LLC, Brian Sisson, LG Seeds, Pleasant Hill Farm and Eickman's Processing. \$765 was raised for the Rock River Valley Food Pantry, and four winners were selected at last year's Annual Meeting.





Last June, the YL partnered with Culver's of Winnebago and hosted a family fun Farm night. The YL brought in barnyard two-footed and four-footed friends, tractors and equipment and games. A basket raffle was also held that evening. The YL raised a total of \$792 for the Empower Boone and Rock River Valley Food Pantries. Join us this year on Monday, June 1, 2020 at the Culvers in Winnebago to help the YL serve our

local food pantries. Thank you to the local business that donated baskets for the raffle.



The Young Leaders also hosted the Cow Pie Bingo, a 50/50 raffle and volunteered at the Farm Breakfast, Ag All Around Us event at the Discovery Center and the county fairs.



Members on Facebook can join the Young Leaders at www.facebook.com/groups/WinnebagoBooneYoungLeaders

#### Centennial

The Centennial Celebration Planning Committee and staff spent the last year diving through the archives and photos; interviewing past leaders and staff; and planning the upcoming Centennial Celebration activities. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Centennial Celebration has been rescheduled to Thursday, September 3, 2020.

We would like to take a moment to remember those members we have lost this last year.

#### Voting members who have recently passed, you will be missed!

Jean Castle – Rockford Donald Comstock – Rockford Merlyn Eickman – Mount Morris Karl Heeren- Winnebago Brian Osterberg – Garden Prairie Thomas Reimer- Capron Esther Rumage- Rockton Phillip Summer- Winnebago Herman Zick- Poplar Grove

(Please accept our apologies if we happened to miss anyone.)

#### Membership (Members in Good Standing)

Winnebago- Boone l	Farm Bureau	Illinois Farm Bureau	L
Total Members		Total Members	
August 31, 2018	9230	August 31, 2018	394,742
August 31, 2019	<u>8896</u>	August 31, 2019	<u>386,291</u>
Net Increase or (Loss)	(334)	Net Increase or (Loss)	(8451)
Voting Members		Voting Members	
August 31, 2018	1167	August 31, 2018	78,999
August 31, 2019	<u>1174</u>	August 31, 2019	<u>79,159</u>
Net Increase or (Loss)	7	Net Increase or (Loss)	160
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This past membership year continued to be challenging; we did meet our voting member quota for members in good standing.

Additional Membership classification called a "Professional Member" is now available. A Professional Member is an individual who does not have a substantial financial interest in the production of agricultural products such as a farm owner/operator or full-time on farm employee (at his or her election) with \$2,500 gross farm income per year but is employed in an ag-related occupation (at his or her election). A professional membership may have the right to vote and serve on the Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau Board of Directors.

Ideally, every farm/landowner or operator in the two counties should be a Farm Bureau member. We will continue working to encourage those that are not members to join.

We appreciate the efforts of the COUNTRY Financial representatives for the work they do in signing new Farm Bureau members. We know that the weakened economy has an impact on their business as well as ours.

Also included in this program are a list of upcoming activities and programs and a list of member benefits and discounts. We will continue to work with neighboring businesses to provide more for our members.

We thank each of you for your continued membership and the support you have given the organization this past year. We know that as a nation we are facing many challenges that we have never faced before. As an organization, we too are also facing new challenges. Winston Churchill once said, "A pessimist sees the difficulty in every opportunity; and optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty". Let's all be optimists and see the opportunities that lie ahead. Success comes when we all work together. With your help and continued support, together we can lead this organization, and help our nation through these difficult times to a brighter future.

## Upcoming Events

- Apr. 10 OFFICE CLOSED- Good Friday
- May 25 OFFICE CLOSED- Memorial Day
- Jun. 1 YL Share Night at Culvers in Winnebago- 5-8 p.m.
- Jun. 15-18 Summer Ag Institute II for Teachers
- Jun. 20 WBFBF Annual Farm Breakfast- 6:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Friendly Franseen Acres, Poplar Grove, IL
- Jul. 3 OFFICE CLOSED- Independence Day
- July 24 Triple Adventure Fair Oaks Tour (Fun for the whole family!)
- Aug. 11-16 Boone County Fair
- Aug. 19-23 Winnebago County Fair
- Sept. 1-2 Defensive Driving Course
- Sept. 3 Centennial Celebration- Celebrating 100 years!
- Sept. 7 OFFICE CLOSED- Labor Day
- Sept. 17 Joseph & the Technicolor Dreamcoat at the Fireside Theatre
- Oct. 14 Celebration Belle Lunch Cruise Prime Timer event
- Nov. 26-27 OFFICE CLOSED- Thanksgiving
- Dec. 2 Sound of Music at the Marriott Theatre
- Dec. 5-8 IAA Annual Meeting- Palmer House, Chicago
- Dec. 24-25 OFFICE CLOSED- Christmas Eve & Christmas Day

#### Prime Timers Upcoming Tours with Tri-State Travel for 2020

Alaska (10-day option) – August 29-September 7, 2020 Alaska (land and sea cruise option)- August 29-September 13, 2020

#### Prime Timers Upcoming Tours with Lindstrom Travel for 2018-2019 Tulip Time on the Rhine- April 9-20, 2021 Yellow Stone, Grand Teton & Mount Rushmore- August 4-13, 2021

#### **Benefits and Discounts**

Bowling Cards: One free game of bowling with each paid game at Forest Hills Lanes.

**ADT Security:** Members can save \$5 off monthly monitoring and receive a free security system valued at \$850. Please call 1-877-289-4070 to speak with a representative.

Windy Hill Upholstery-Pecatonica: 10% discount on custom upholstery and minor furniture repair.

Soil Testing: Lawn & Gardens kits are available.

#### Water Testing:

<u>Well Water:</u> Testing Kits and analysis forms are available at the Farm Bureau office M-F 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. However, effective February 3, 2020, the Rockford Environmental Laboratory will require pre-payment for all testing services on water samples collected from private wells. Customers will use the order form to check tests required. Payment for these tests will be made at the Rockford City Hall Payment Center at 425 East State Street, located on the first floor, prior to submitting water samples to the laboratory for analysis. Complete instructions and a sample analysis form are available on our website.

**Beltone Hearing Aids:** 20% discount. FREE hearing screenings. 1-800-BELTONE <u>www.beltone.com</u>

**All About Eyes:** 30% off Buy One, Get One Free complete pairs of glasses (excludes designer frames). Eye exams for \$40.00 or a contact lens exam for \$69.00. Located at 6430 E. State St., Rockford.

**LASIK Surgery:** Up to 50% with corrective surgery. 1-866-977-3012 or <u>https://www.qualsight.com/-ilfb</u>

#### **Prescription Service Discounts:**

**Agelity:** Save up to 65%. (This is not an insurance policy and does not provide insurance coverage. Discounts are available exclusively through participating pharmacies.) Ask your county Farm Bureau for your Agelity card. **ScriptSave:** Save up to 75%. (This is not an insurance policy and does not provide insurance coverage. Discounts are available exclusively through participating pharmacies.) Ask your county Farm Bureau for your ScriptSave card.

Head to Toe Reflexology: 15% discount on a 60-minute session. Located at 6053 Fincham Drive, Rockford, IL. 815-713-8460

**Grainger:** Discount taken off catalog prices or at Rockford location. FREE shipping on standard ground orders. 1-800-217-3435 or www.grainger.com

NAPA: 10% off retail price on thousands of quality auto parts. (MPEC owned stores only)

**Case IH Discounts:** \$300 off A & B series Farmall Compact Tractors, Round Balers, Small Square Balers, Disc Mower Conditioners, Sickle Mower Conditioners, and Case IH Scout. \$500 off Farmall Utilities: C, U & J Series; Maxxum Series and Farmall 100A Series, Self-propelled Windrowers, and Large Square Balers. To receive your IFB membership verification certificate go to <a href="http://www.fbadvantage.com/caseih">http://www.fbadvantage.com/caseih</a>

John Deere Platinum 2 Benefit: Once a member has signed up for GreenFleet at JohnDeere.com/FarmBureau, they will have access to: \$300-\$2,700 off Commercial Mowing; \$100-\$200 off Residential Mowing; \$200-\$350 off Utility Vehicles; \$200-\$300 off Tractors; \$500-\$3,700 off Golf & Sports Turf; and 17% off MSRP – Commercial Worksite.

#### FORD/LINCOLN:

\$500 discount on NEW Ford & \$750 discount on NEW Lincoln vehicles. *Excludes Mustang Shelby GT500, Edge SE AWD, F-150 Raptor and Taurus SE (Members are eligible for the discounts 30 days after joining Illinois Farm Bureau*).

**Mark's Auto Service:** Located on S. Alpine in Rockford– 10% discount on parts and labor. Show membership card.

Butitta Bros. Automotive: Save 10% off parts and labor at all nine area locations. Show membership card.

**Rental Car Discounts:** Save up to 25% at Alamo, Hertz, National and Enterprise. Use special code numbers.

Santa's Village Azoosment Park: Farm Bureau members can now get discounted tickets for Santa's Village Azoosment Park located in East Dundee, IL.

Great Wolf Lodge: 30% off Best Available Rate at all 12 locations.

**Hotel Discounts:** Save 20% at the Choice Hotels; Save 20% off "Best Available Rate" at Wyndham Hotel Group \*\*Advance reservations required\*\*

Machine Shed Restaurant: 10% Discount on Breakfast, Lunch, or Dinner. Show Membership Card when paying bill.

**Susie's Garden Patch:** 10% discount on produce bought at the farm. Located at 10258 U.S. 20, Garden Prairie, IL.

Seasonal Fruit Programs: Southern IL Peaches and Holiday Nuts and More Sales. We also sell pork spice, and local honey.

Notary Service: Free Notary Service for Farm Bureau Members.

Internet

**Calendars:** Farm Bureau members can pick up scenic or antique tractor calendars at the office. These are free to members while supplies last.

#### Please Note: Discounts are always subject to change.

Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau® does not intend this to be an endorsement of any of the professionals, businesses by whom, or products on which, discounts are offered to our members, and assumes no liability for any services rendered under this program. Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau® will consider requests from other professionals and businesses who might wish to provide discounts to our members.



#3: You will be asked to: A) Sign In(Type in your username and your membership number which can be found on your card.) B) Register (new users-you will need to fill out the fields to register your new username and password. You will need your membership number which can be found on your card.) #4: Once you are in, select "Browse Our Discounts" Login in on ilfb.abenity.com to start saving today. Internet Browser #1: Go to your internet browser and type in; ilfb.abenity.com #2: The home page looks like this: #5: This page shows you savings offers. You can search by brand or by the 14 categories if you are looking for something specific. ILLINOIS [35] BUREAU rm. Family. Food.



App to start saving today.

#### iPhone

- #1: Go to the App Store Search for: "Illinois Farm Bureau Member Benefits"
  - The App looks like this:

Select: Install

- #2: Once the app is installed, select "Open"
- #3: You will be asked to:
  - A) Sign In(you will be asked to sign in if you have an abenity login) Type in your username and your membership number which can be found on your card.
  - B) Register (new users-you will need to fill out the fields to register your new username and password. You will need your membership number which can be found on your card.)

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- #4: Once you are in, you will see the "Getting Started" page. Select the "Start Saving" option.
- #5: The home page shows you savings offers. To view all 14 categories, select the three black bars in the upper left corner.





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#### Android

#1: Go to the Google Play Store

Search for: "Abenity"

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Select: Install

#2: Once the app is installed, select "Open"

- #3: You will be asked to:
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     Type in your user name and your membership number which can be found on your card.
  - B) **Register** (new users you will need to go to the web site to register. See **Internet Browser** to the right. You will need your membership number which can be found on your card.)







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#6: On the next screen select "Categories".





# Join FB ACT Today!

FB ACT is how you make your voice heard. Take action to fight for your farm and your future. Sign up today to be enrolled in IFB's new text alert system to be just a click away from influence.

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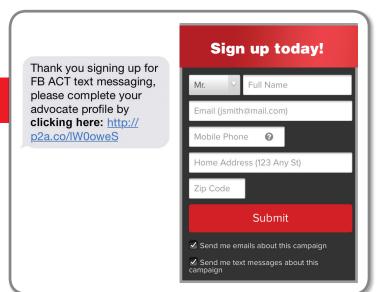
#### 1. Text to Act

To Join FB ACT Text Messaging Text the Keyword "FARM" to 52886.

A text alert to your cell phone is ideal for farmers on the go. You will be notified the instant your voice is needed.

#### 2. Email Alerts:

Email alerts are great way to follow the links and learn more about the issue.



# Steps to Action:

#### 1. Read

Read short facts about the issue to understand how it impacts you and your neighbors.

#### 2. Act

#### Online: Get it on the go.

Send your legislator an email or tweet by clicking on the link you receive either by text or email alert.



Contact Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau at 815.962.0653 for more information



# **Tips for Calling Your Legislators**

**Be Prepared –** Think, or even speak through, what you want to say.

Find the Right Telephone Number – There are numerous ways to find phone numbers.

- Ask your county Farm Bureau.
- Use the Legislative Action Center at ilfb.org. Type in your address and your legislator's contact information appears.
- Use a switchboard.
   U.S. Capitol Switchboard: 202-224-3121

State of Illinois Switchboard: 217-782-2000

**Talk to Right Person –** Remember that telephone calls may be taken by a staff member, not the legislator. When asking a legislator to vote yes or no, you can share that with the person answering the phone. If you need to say more, ask to speak with the aide who handles the issue.

Identify Yourself - State you name, address, and indicate that you are a constituent.

**Be Brief and Concise –** Tell the person answering the phone that you would like to leave a brief message, such as: "Please tell Senator/Representative (Name) that I support/oppose (House Bill \_\_\_\_\_)."

**Provide Reasons** – Say why you support or oppose a bill. Ask for your legislator's position on the bill. You may also request a written response to your telephone call.

**Say Thank You** – Thank the person answering the phone for his/her time. After a vote, call again and thank your legislator for their vote.

Get more tips for communicating with your elected officials by contacting your county Farm Bureau or visiting www.ilfb.org/fbact.

# Winnebago-Boone Legislative Directory

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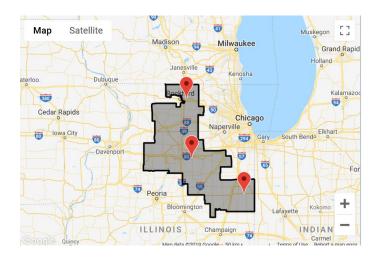
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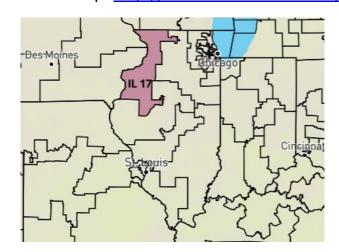


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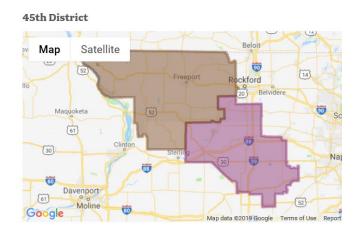
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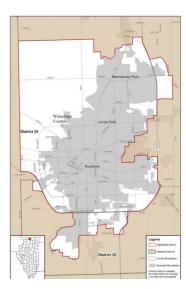
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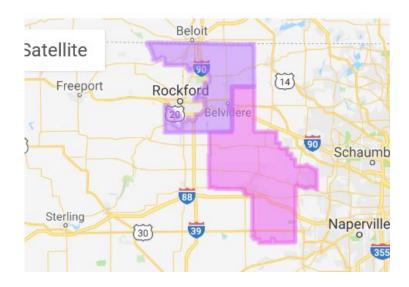
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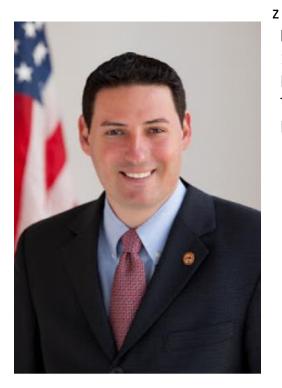
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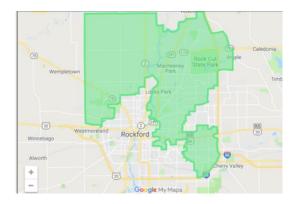


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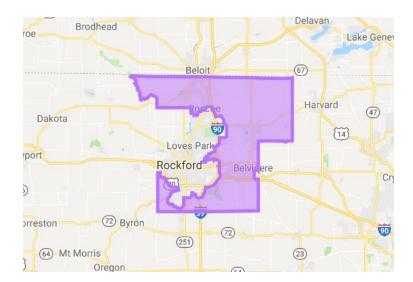
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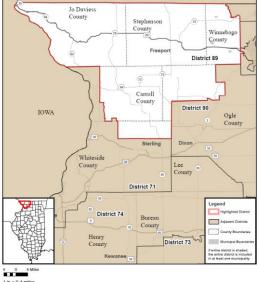
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# WINNEBAGO-BOONE FARM BUREAU'S 100<sup>™</sup> ANNUAL MEETING Thursday, September 3, 2020

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100th Anniversary

Community Building Complex of Boone County 111 W First St | Belvidere IL 61008

5:30–6:30 p.m. Social Hour | 6:45 p.m. Dinner followed by Program

**Guest Speaker: Brian Duncan**, IFB Vice President

Cost: \$15.00 per person

Please call 815-962-0653 or visit Winnebago-Boone Farm Bureau to purchase your tickets.

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