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Iowa Priorities for 2019

Nutrient Management

All efforts addressing nutrient management should be consistent and transparent while providing the optimal balance between stewardship, science, and farmer profitability. Farmers should have the ability to make field-level decisions while working to meet production, conservation, and water quality objectives.

Renewable Fuels

The use of federal and state tax incentives and marketing infrastructure development initiatives should be combined with industry programs to promote and expand renewable fuel access at the consumer level.

Agricultural Liens

Priority payment status for charges incurred for the costs of storage, drying and processing customer-owned grain should be provided over competing security interests in that grain.

Telecommunications Infrastructure

Internet access should be inexpensive and easily accessible for all Iowa residents. Policy initiatives should expand the availability of broadband and wireless internet to increase access to technology and information in rural areas.

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