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Dear Fellow Farm Credit East Members;

I am honored and proud to have had the privilege to serve you on our Board of Directors for the past eight years. The opportunity to learn and be involved in the success of our cooperative, while working with an extremely talented Board and Staff has been an outstanding experience.

The passion, professionalism, dedication and determination to do what is best and right for its member owners is what elevates and distinguishes Farm Credit East. Farm Credit has been instrumental in the growth and transition of our family's business over the years. While many things have changed, the constant has been Farm Credit's commitment, not only to our operation, but to our industry and to Northeast agriculture as a whole.

My original goals of service, leadership and giving back remain as important today as when I first sought election. As a tenured board member, I fully understand the commitment and responsibility that are required to be an effective director and I remain dedicated to that end.

I look forward to the opportunity to continue to help lead our association into the future and I ask for your vote this spring. Thank you for your support.

Warm Regards,

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