

King Encourages Input for 2012 Farm Bill

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Washington, DC- Congressman Steve King released the following statement to encourage the farmers, producers, stakeholder groups, and members of the public to offer their input about the upcoming reauthorization of the Farm Bill. For several weeks, King has participated in the House Agriculture Committee's hearings about the law's reauthorization. Throughout the hearing process, the Committee has operated a comments section on its website to solicit input from the public about the Farm Bill's reauthorization. This Sunday, May 20, is the last day comments will be accepted on the website.

"Interested individuals can still offer input about the 2012 Farm Bill on the House Agriculture Committee's Website," said King. "As a senior member of the Committee, I understand that the Farm Bill is one of the most important pieces of federal legislation to lowans because it directly affects our livelihood and our heritage. As the House Agriculture Committee wraps up hearings on the Farm Bill and prepares to begin marking up the legislation, it is vital for me and my colleagues on the Committee to hear about the ideas and concerns of some of the most productive agricultural stakeholders in the world."

Please go to http://agriculture.house.gov/farmbill_feedback.html to submit your thoughts.

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