

# What if what you see is a reflection of our investment?



## Farmers deliver value you can see.

From fire trucks to police, emergency services are funded through community dollars. Ever think about how much an acre of soybeans pays for every fire truck? From property taxes to the volunteers on the rural, small-town fire departments, farmers deliver more value than you might see.

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## It's time to see the value your farmers deliver.

Sure, rolling fields are bucolic and the sight of a calf frolicking in a pasture is charming, but agriculture is more than picturesque scenery. **Providing your local community with important tax dollars, creating jobs, and investing dollars in research to improve roads, bridges, soil and water are just a few of the advantages to having agriculture in your backyard.**

# Creating jobs



**INDIANA AG JOBS:**  
200,000 jobs =  
\$10.5 Billion in pay



Ethanol plants, feed mills  
and corn farmers. You've  
got Indiana ag export  
jobs. **12,037 from  
corn alone.**

**24%**

**total Indiana economic  
value generated  
by agriculture**



Trucking, processing,  
railways, waterways, and  
**supply chains** are all  
directly tied to  
agriculture.

## The expanding effect

One new poultry barn equals **441 new jobs**.  
How? Corn is grown, processed, delivered, chick  
gets a new home, manure is made, moved,  
and applied to new corn field. Chick becomes  
chicken, delivery driver delivers, dinner is made.  
**It's a cycle with jobs at every stop.**





# Grown here, delivered there



Corn and soybeans grown here goes overseas, bringing in **over \$890 million to the Indiana GDP.**



In 2018, the total value of Indiana corn exported was **\$875 Million.**



Indiana's largest export is soybeans, bringing in **\$1.6 billion to Indiana's economy.**



# Investing without using



For every dollar in tax revenue collected, ag funds 70¢ for other county uses.



Those dollars pay for **fire and emergency services, public schools and county maintenance.**



**AG:** \$1 in, 30¢ used  
**Residential house:** \$1 in, \$1.14 used



## Feeding bigger revenues

The corn and soybeans grown down the road feeds livestock. Those livestock are valuable here at home, but they create a multiplier value-added effect for the corn and soybeans they feast on. Even dried distillers grains, the co-product of ethanol production end up in livestock feed, making it valuable twice over.

# Keep the benefits at home. Keep ag in your backyard.

**Property taxes, job creation, economic development.** Your role means you think about these things to drive value for your community – probably daily. What you may not see is how valuable something right in your backyard is to meeting these important goals: **AGRICULTURE.**

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