



# CROP INSURANCE LEGISLATIVE POSITION

## How You Can Help Agents Deliver Crop Insurance



### **OPPOSE** cuts to the Federal Crop Insurance Program

- With over 290 million acres protected, crop insurance is a sound investment that helps ensure the production of a stable food, fiber, feed, and fuel supply.
- Everyone in the supply chain, from farmers, lenders, and manufacturers to insurance and reinsurance providers and agents, agree that crop insurance is the centerpiece of agricultural risk management and should not be cut.
- The Farm Bill is up for reauthorization in 2018. During the last reauthorization, substantial cuts were made to the farm safety net, and crop insurance specifically. Crop insurance has already been cut deeply and cannot afford further reductions.
- Support a reauthorization of the Farm Bill that recognizes the importance of crop insurance and the key role that independent agents play in delivering this vital program, and oppose any cuts to crop insurance during the process of negotiating and passing the Farm Bill.



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