

## **United States Department of Agriculture**

National Agricultural Statistics Service
Colorado Field Office
Cooperating with Colorado Department of Agriculture



March 2, 2007

Mr. XXXXXXXX

## Dear XXXXXXXX:

A survey to measure producer intentions to plant various crops for harvest in 2007 is currently underway by USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS).

Realizing there is still some uncertainty about water supplies for the 2007 season and the contracting period may not yet be complete, it will be most helpful if you could provide this office with any information you can about beet acreage for this year in each of the states listed below.

State	2007 Crop Intentions (Acres)
Colorado	
Montana	
Nebraska	
Wyoming	

Your **response is needed by March 15** so I can forward the data to the individual states. You may use the enclosed Business Reply envelope or FAX your report to 1-800-643-6885.

Thank you for your assistance.

**COMMENTS** 

Sincerely,

Please explain any major shifts in acreage from last year or any unusual circumstances about the 2007 crop in the space below.

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