

ORGANIC RESEARCH AND PROMOTION BOARD

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BALLOT

The nominees listed on this ballot are seeking seat(s) on the Organic Research and Promotion Board (Board). You are asked to cast your vote for (number) members for the seat(s) on the Board. Manufacturers may vote in each region in which they manufacture paper and paper-based packaging.

Choose (number) candidates only.

REPRESENTATIVE CANDIDATES

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PLEASE BE SURE TO COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATION STATEMENT:

I **certify** that I have registered to participate in the organic research and promotion program during the twelve-month period of January 1, 20XX to December 31, 20XX:

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

Company/Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

Submission of Ballot to Board

Once you have completed and signed this ballot please place this ballot in the enclosed, self-addressed envelope and mail it to the Board. **Incomplete ballots, unsigned ballots, or ballots received after Month xx, 20XX, will not be counted.**

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