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Dear Dr. Fixler and Ms. Burrell,

Thank you for the letter of support and sharing the specific uses the Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) has for the data from the Field Crops Production Surveys. NASS evaluates our programs on a regular basis to see what changes can be made to improve and strengthen our data in order to better serve the needs of our data users.

We will keep you informed of any future modifications through Federal Register Notices.

Sincerely,

Joseph L. Parsons
Chair, Agricultural Statistics Board
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