

57. COMMODITY GROUPS

We support:

1. Working closely with commodity groups operating in the state and encourage county Farm Bureaus to work closely with local representatives of commodity groups. In addition, we encourage increased cooperation between these commodity groups in Illinois.
2. Offering contractual relationships to those commodity groups desiring such assistance and services.
3. Scheduling and holding a regular meeting or meetings with representatives of commodity groups affiliated or contractually related to Illinois Agricultural Association for purposes of exchanging information and coordinating legislative and regulatory positions and actions.
4. Encouraging all commodity groups to pool resources to create and continue a direct concentrated effort to educate consumers on the facts associated with the production of livestock and other agricultural commodities using accepted best management practices.