



### NMPF Town Hall

Tuesday, November 1, 2016 Nashville, Tennessee



### Welcome

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NMPF Senior Vice President,
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#### Today's Agenda



- Chairman's Report
- Economic Outlook
- Margin Protection Program Update
- Legislative Priorities
- Trade Policy
- Cooperatives Working Together
- BREAK

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- Antibiotic Use
- Environmental Policy
- Food Safety
- Nutrition
- Closing thoughts



### Chairman's Report

Randy Mooney Rogersville, Missouri







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### Randy Mooney

Chairman
National Milk Producers Federation





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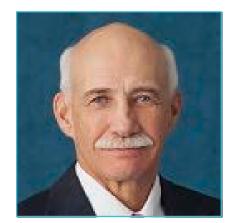
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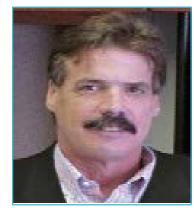
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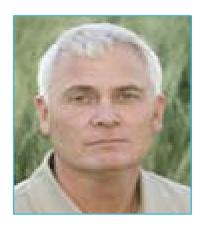
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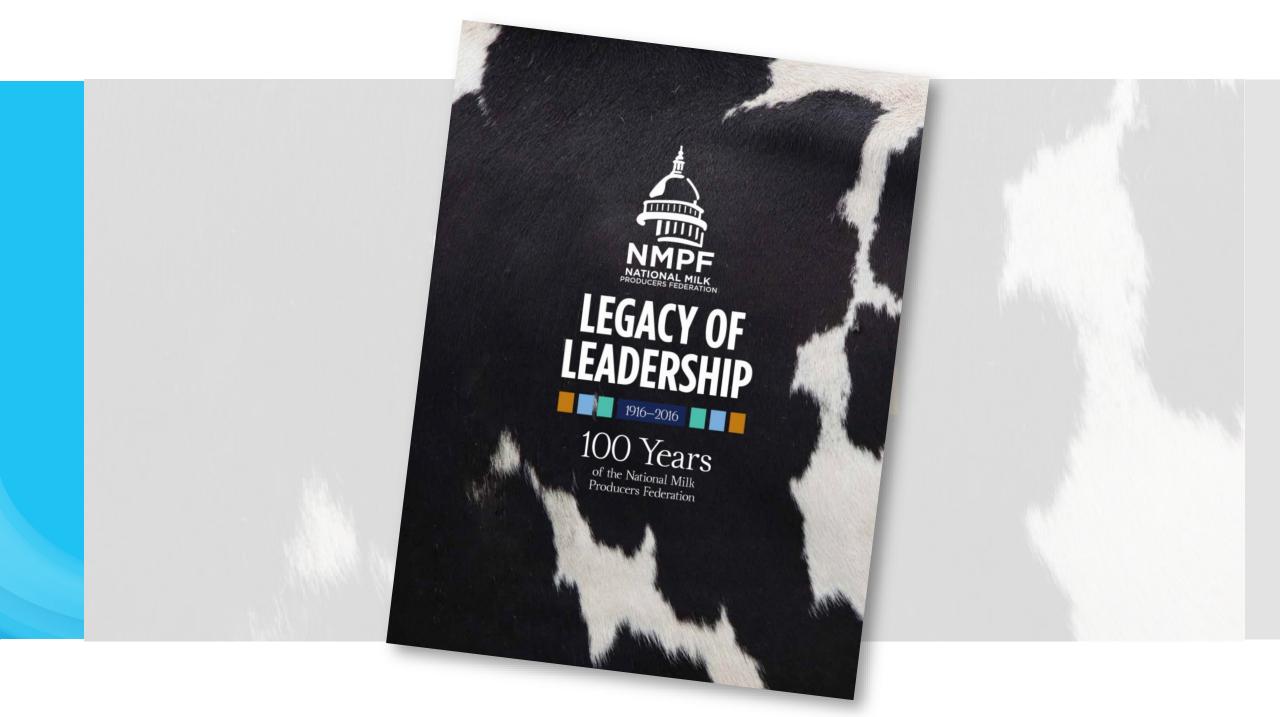
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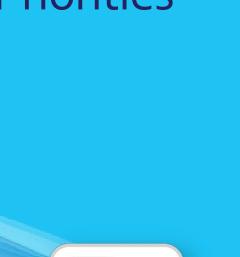
# 2016 NMPF Strategic Policy Priorities

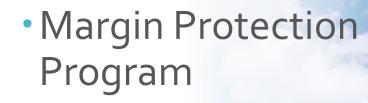


- Environment
- FARM Program
- Government Relations
- Regulatory
- Trade



#### Government Relations Priorities





- 2018 Farm Bill
- Immigration Reform
- Biogas/Nutrient Recovery Tax Credit
- Child Nutrition Act





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### Environmental Policy Priorities





#### FARM Program Priorities



EnvironmentalStewardship

ResidueAvoidance





#### Regulatory Policy





#### **Trade Policy**



- Trans-PacificPartnership
- Trans-Atlantic Trade
   & Investment Partnership
- CanadianRestrictions
- Common Food Names
- US-Mexico Alliance





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Making a Difference for Dairy



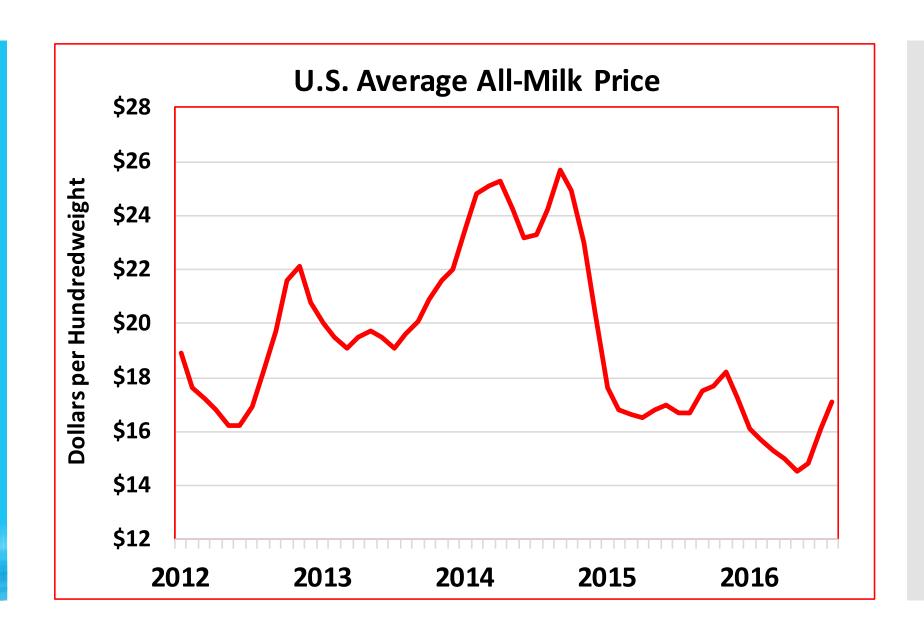




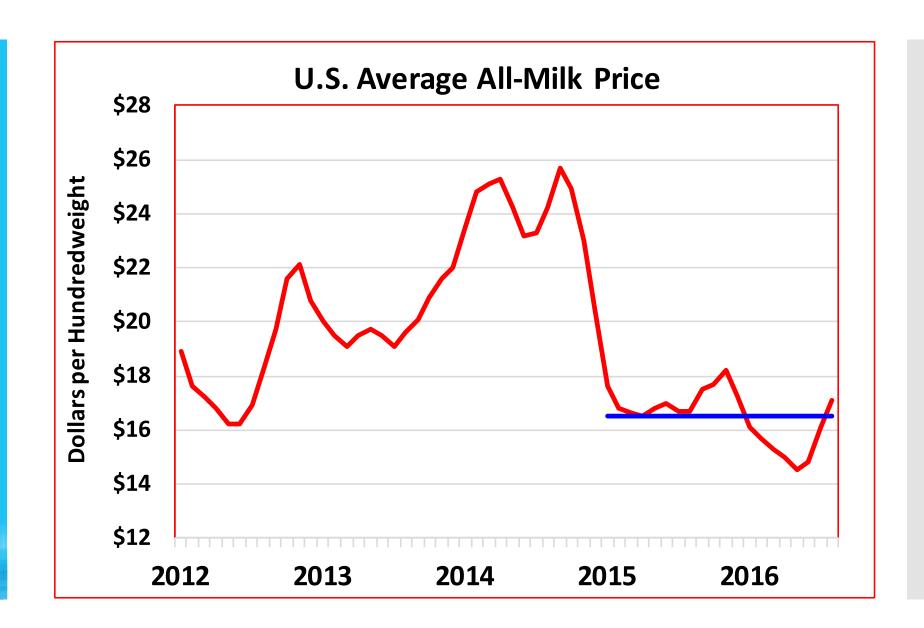
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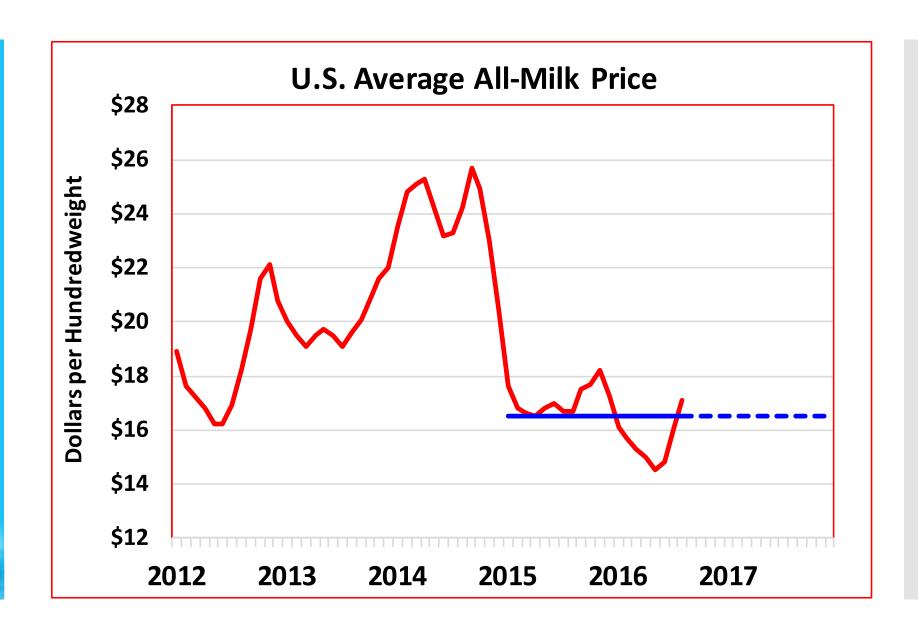




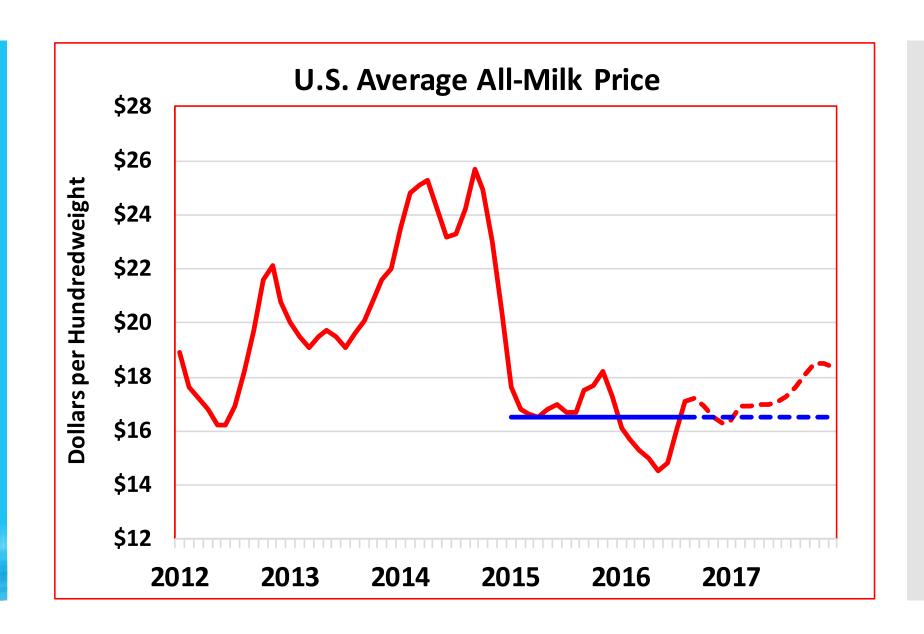




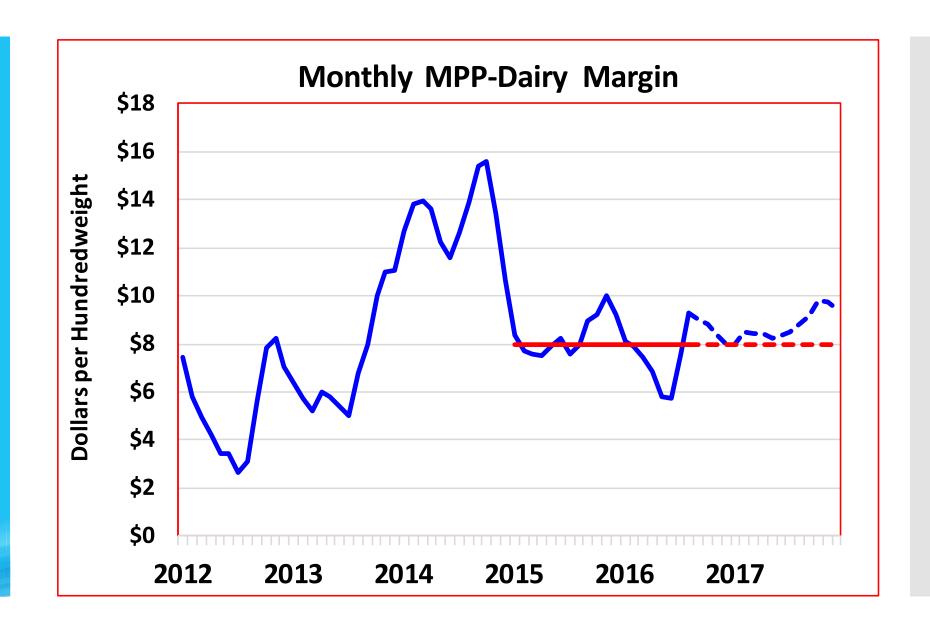














The dairy futures markets say both the milk price and the MPP margin will be \$0.80 per cwt. higher in the next 18 months compared to the past 18

#### Economic Outlook



Average prices since January 2015 as % of average prices during 2013-2014:

• NFDM: 49% ↓

↓ World prices

• Dry whey: 53% ↓ World prices

• Cheese: 82% ↓ US exports

• Butter: 114% 个 US milkfat demand



## Economic Outlook



#### Key factors for the dairy outlook:

- U.S. milk production growth is picking up:
  - 1.7% average for Jun-Aug vs. 0.9% average for prior 12 months
- EU milk production growth has stalled, but 14 billion lbs. of new production was added since April 2015, when quotas ended
- This compares with 4 billion lbs. for the United States and -1 bil. lb. for New Zealand and Australia, combined

## Economic Outlook



#### Key factors for the dairy outlook:

- World prices improving, but still well below 2010-2014 averages for most products outlook for further increases is uncertain
- Record U.S. stocks of cheese and butter but only 2.7 days of use higher than normal (34 days) in 2016; higher for butter
- Growth in U.S. production of major products is beginning to outpace growth in total commercial use



## MPP Update

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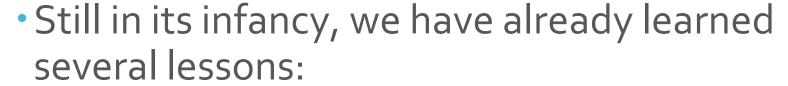


## Margin Protection Update

The Margin Protection Program is the right program for the dairy industry's future, yet it is clear that MPP must be improved to be a viable safety net program for farmers



### Margin Protection Update



- Changes by Congress that modified our original proposal have made MPP significantly less effective
- 2. Adverse selection is not an issue
- 3. Producers should have more options





#### NMPF Works with USDA to Make Improvements

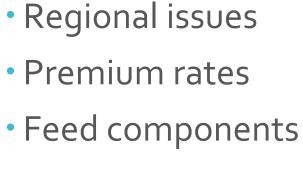


- Implementation process delivered as promised
- Vigorous effort to make program as helpful as possible for producers to the extent of their legal authority
  - Changes on basic and supplemental coverage
  - Facilitating premium payments
  - Changes on sign-up period
  - Changes on FSA flexibility
  - Facilitating intergenerational transfers
- NMPF staff continues to work with USDA to find ways to improve the program for the future





## Examples of Issues to be Addressed



- Coverage levels
- Monthly payments

Margin should reflect

original formula

Actuarial Insurance/RMA/LGM

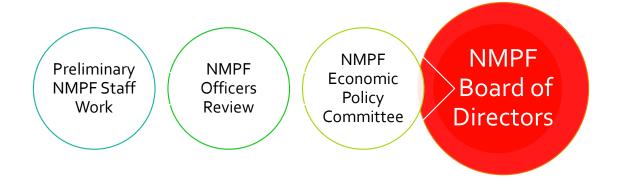
- Timing of payments to producers
- Differences between raising your own crops vs. buying your feed
- Timing of signing up
- Premium payments
- Producers paid into program, but didn't get any return



# Process & Timing for Review of MPP Changes



- NMPF will lead process by developing and advancing a proposal with broad membership support that addresses the needs of the nation's dairy farmers
- NMPF Chairman Mooney advised Congress on need to improve program in testimony before House Agriculture Committee
- NMPF has continually urged USDA to use all available tools to improve MPP
- NMPF Officers have provided guidance and adopted guiding principles to address MPP issues



## Process & Timing for Review of MPP Changes

common voice clear vision

- Appointment of Economic Policy Committee with broad membership representation
- First meeting Nov. 2; subsequent meetings to examine issues to be addressed
- Expectation to have a proposal by spring to prepare for possible legislative opportunities

## Questions?



# Legislative Priorities

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### Biotech Labeling: Legislation

- Signed July 29
- Federal pre-emption
- Protects biotech animal feed
- Multiple options for disclosure





### Biotech Labeling: Rulemaking

- Implementation timeline: 2 years
- Key issues include absence claims and electronic disclosure rules
- Numerous forums for public input will be available





#### Child Nutrition Act

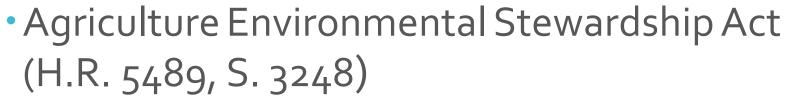
- Bills passed by both the Senate and House Agriculture Committees
- Both include NMPF priorities

Political challenges are blocking further action

at this time



#### Biogas Tax Credit

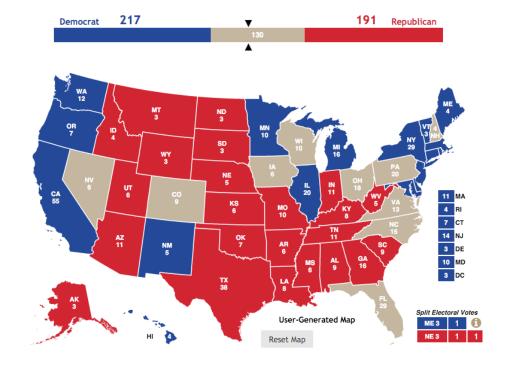


- Tax credits for nutrient recovery systems and digesters
- Proactive tool to help solve water quality problems



#### 2016 Elections

- Trump vs. Clinton
- Senate up for grabs
- Competitive House races in dairy states
- Effect on immigration debate

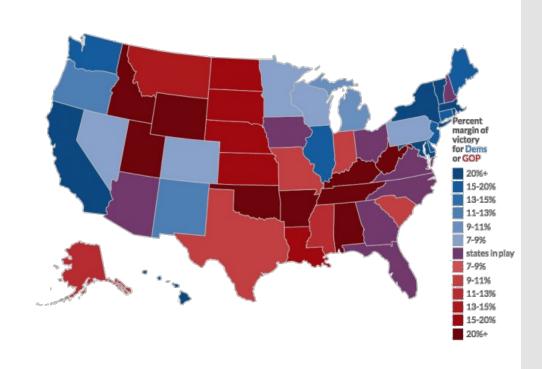




# Elections' Effect on Immigration Debate



- Presidential race impact
- Senate control impact
- House Republican margin
- Post-election issue analysis likely





## Trade Policy

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### Wide Range of Trade Policy Work

- Joint work with U.S. Dairy Export Council on trade issues to yield benefits for dairy farmers
- FTA negotiations, approval, enforcement
- Proactive efforts to maintain market access
- Preserving smooth trading conditions
- Coalition building to combat global "regulatory" challenges
- Gls: Preserving U.S. cheese exports and sales



## Trade Issue Spotlight #1:

Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP)



- Highly polarized
- Ample misinformation on agreement
- Some issues Congress seeking to address
- Key dairy benefits; overall dairy balance



## Trade Issue Spotlight #2:

Transatlantic
Trade &
Investment
Partnership
(TTIP)



- Dairy trade deficit of ~\$1.5B with EU
- Regulatory & tariff landscape pro-EU
- Preparing for 2017 carry-over of talks



## Trade Issue Spotlight #3:

Battling Abuse of Geographical Indications (GIs)

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- EU trying to limit competition from the U.S.
- Independent report found GIs could lead to \$5.2 billion in lost cheese sales and \$59 billion in farm revenue losses



## Trade Issue Spotlight #4:

Addressing Non-tariff Barriers to U.S. Exports



- Oh, Canada!
- Central America, China, India, Mexico, Middle East...
- · And more...



## Questions?



## **CWT Update**

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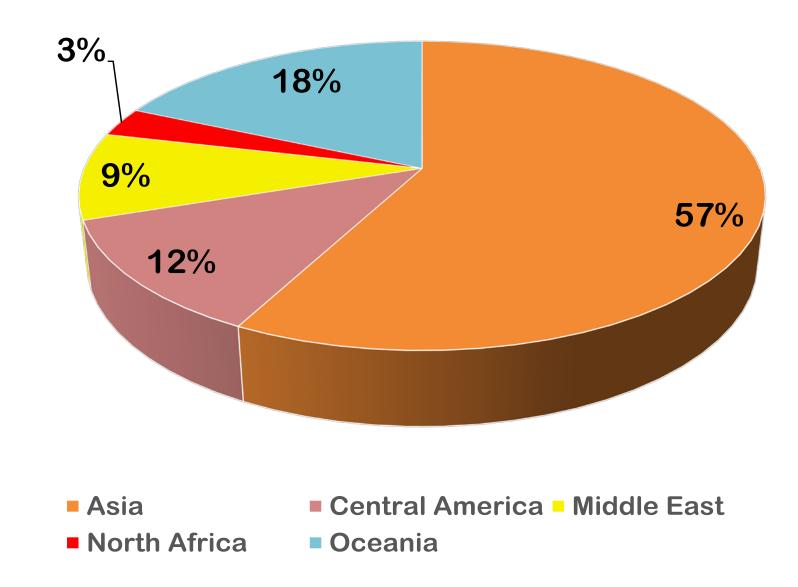
# Export Assistance through Sept. 30, 2016



- Requests for assistance:
  - 700 bids received
  - 11 cooperatives participating
- Total cheese:
  - 591 bids, 216 accepted, 39.4 million lbs
- Butter:
  - 56 bids, 17 accepted, 8.2 million lbs
- Whole Milk Powder (WMP):
  - 53 bids, 33 accepted, 21.3 million lbs
- Milk equivalent: 703.2 million pounds

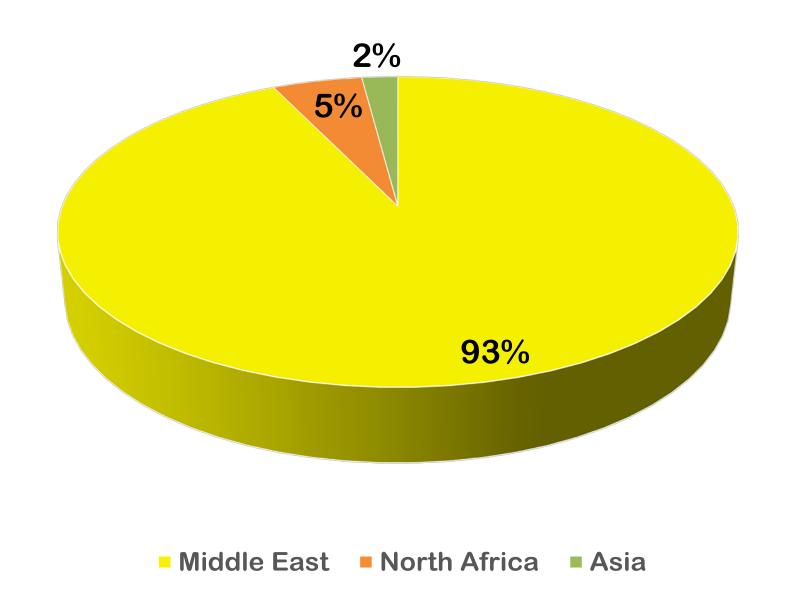
## Where 2016 Cheese Sales Are Going





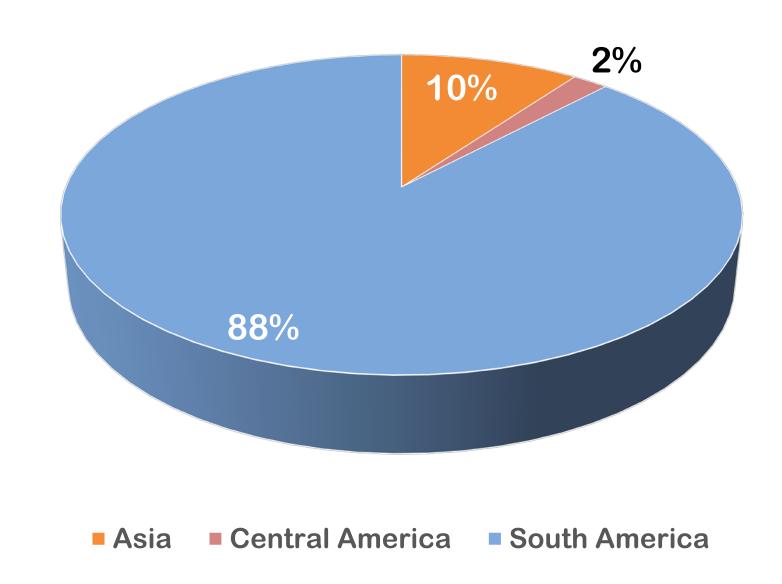
# Where 2016 Butter Sales Are Going





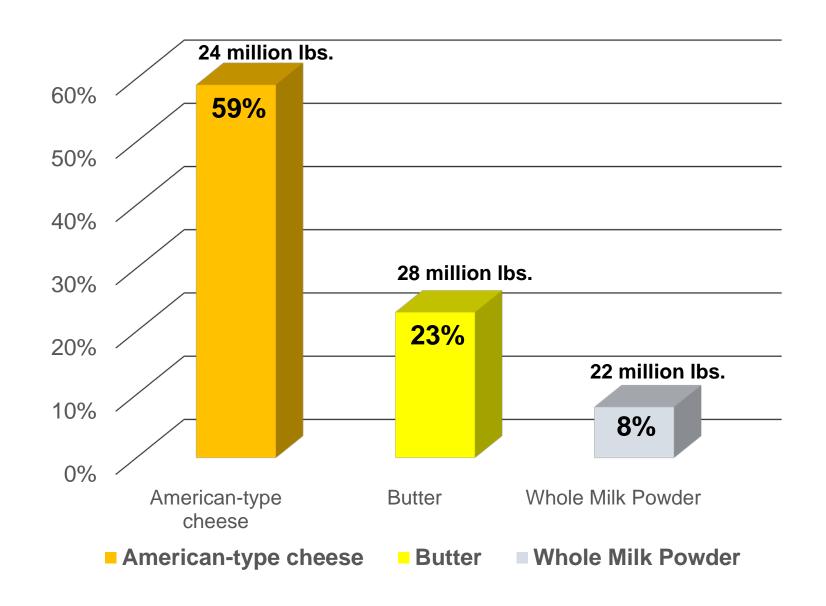
# Where 2016 Whole Milk Powder Sales Are Going





CWT Share of U.S. Exports through Aug. 31, 2016





# Cooperatives Working Together



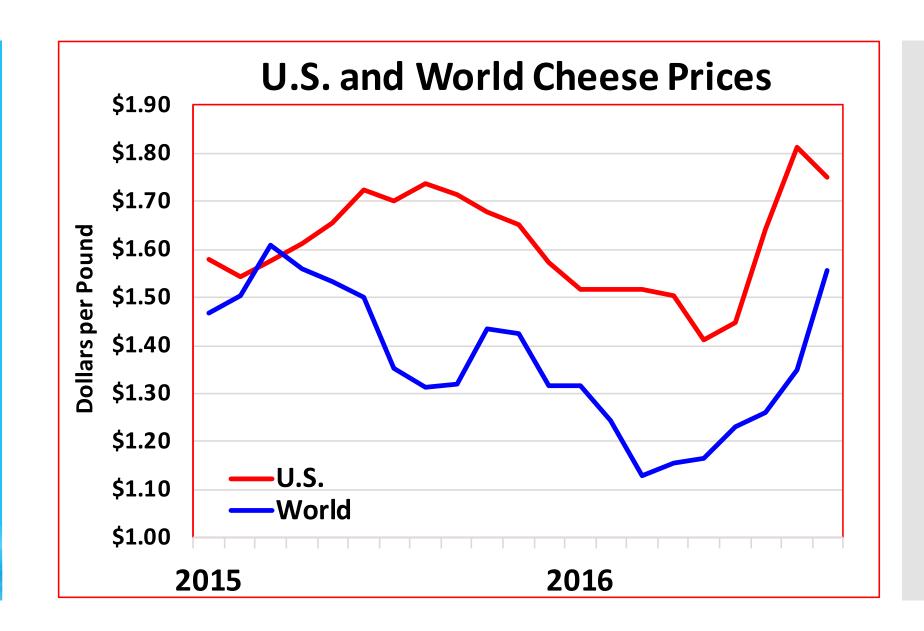
#### CWT's product focus:

CWT provides assistance to export Americantype cheese and butter

- U.S. exports are a relatively small proportion of total use of these products. Since January 2015:
  - 3% for American-type cheese
  - 2% for butter
- Therefore, U.S. prices of butter and cheese can move with greater independence from world prices than dry milk and whey prices can

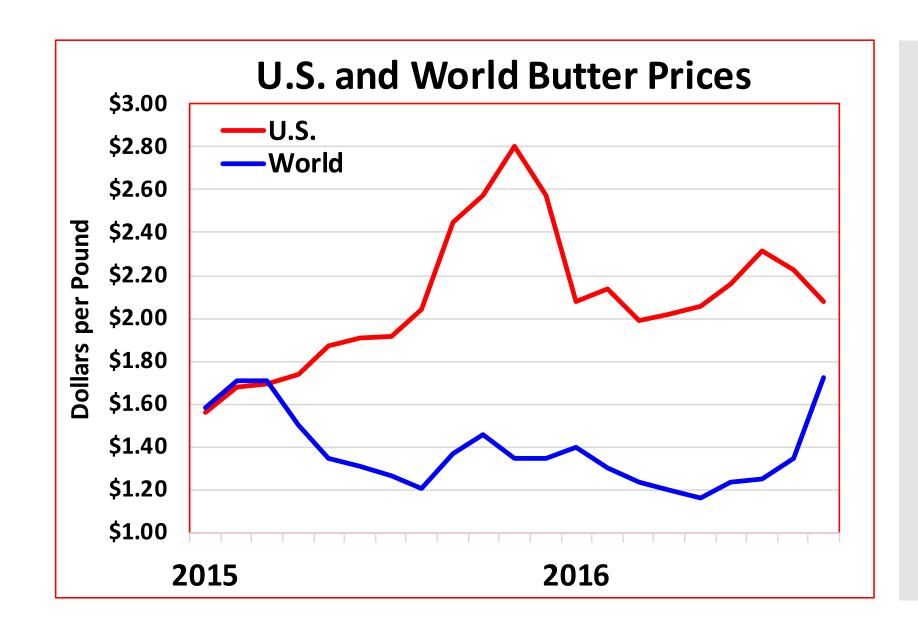
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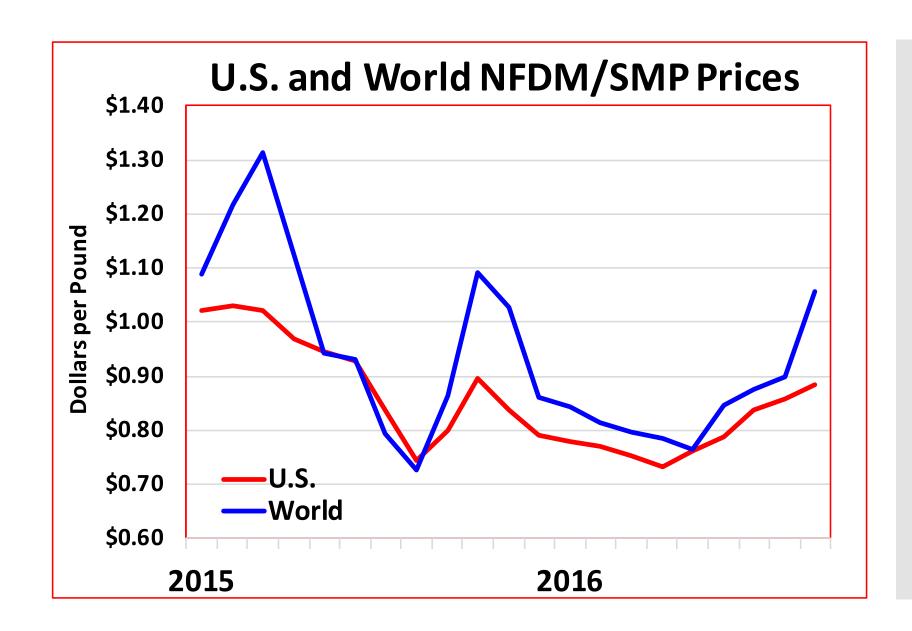


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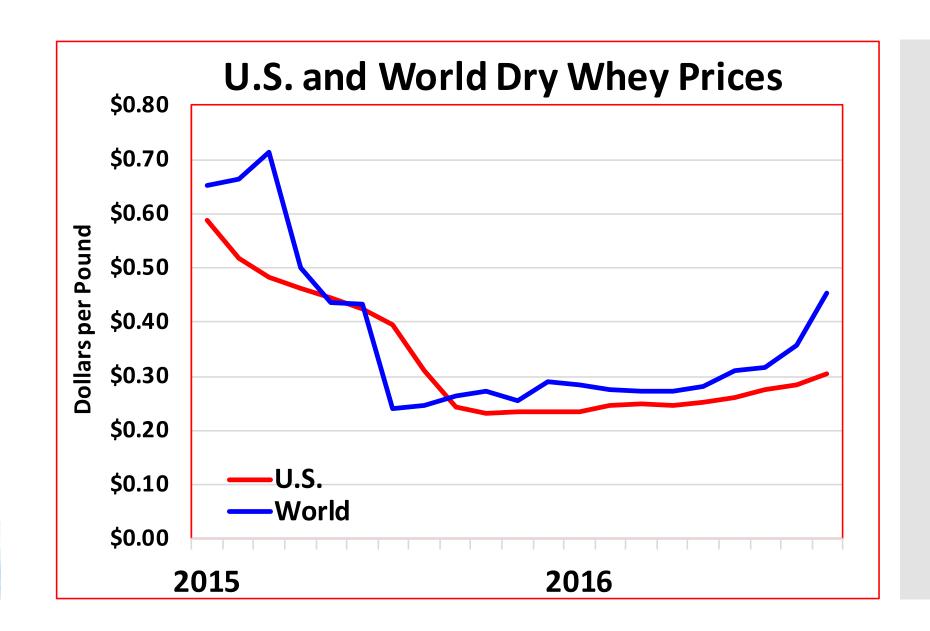












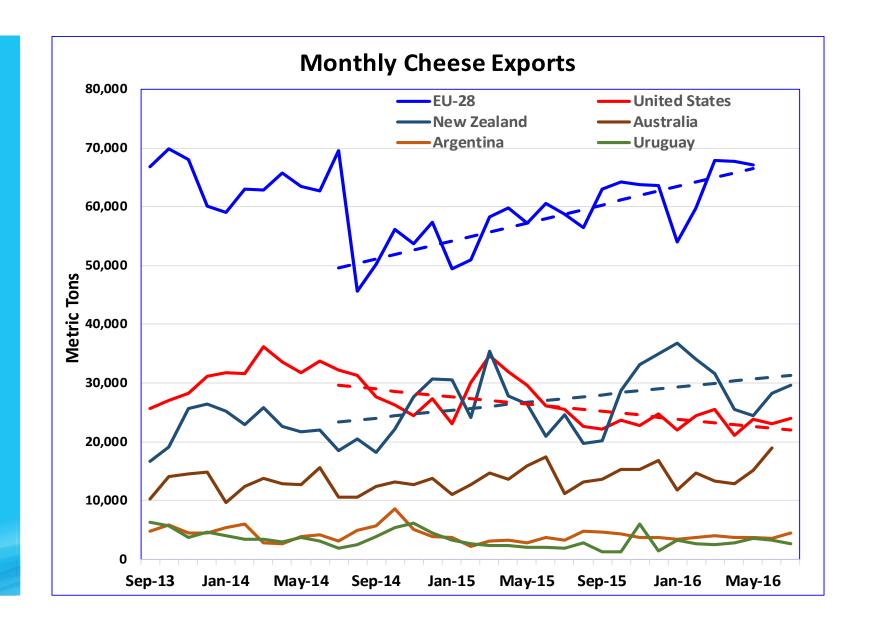
### CWT's product focus: Cheese

• The United States has been losing world market share among the major cheese exporters in recent years











### CWT's product focus: Cheese

- CWT helps provide the type of export pricing flexibility that EU and New Zealand dairy companies have internally
- Loss of U.S. export share in the world cheese market contributed to lower U.S. milk prices this year
- As world markets slowly recover, lower assistance levels will extend CWT's ability to assist more exports, but increased funding will be needed to fully compete



### CWT's product focus: Butter

- U.S. butter exports have dropped to a low level due to lack of exportable supplies of milkfat
- CWT is able to provide a sizeable return on assisting butter exports during periods when milkfat is available in excess of domestic market needs

# CWT Litigation Update

Tom Balmer Executive Vice President



## Background: Legal Actions Taken Against CWT



- CWT first challenged in fall 2011
- Plaintiffs asserted they paid more for milk and dairy products due to CWT's Herd Retirement Program
- Originally claimed damages in excess of \$3 billion
- Action initiated by anti-animal ag, pro-vegan activist group
- No legal actions brought against HRP during its actual operation (2003–2010)
- Export Assistance Program not under challenge at any time

## Settlement Announced -August 2016

- Determined to be most prudent and responsible course of action
- CWT makes no admission of wrongdoing and court has not ruled on any anti-trust violations
- CWT to pay \$52 million
- Payment includes all legal and attorneys' fees, in addition to consumer payments



## Effect on Members and Ongoing Program



- No additional funds required from producers or cooperatives to pay settlement fee
- CWT managing existing funds to cover both settlement and operation of Export Assistance Program
- Resolution positions CWT for quick turnaround and strong future to accomplish its important mission

## Questions?



# NMPFTown Hall BREAK



## FARM Program

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# National Dairy FARM Program





## CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY













## National Dairy FARM Program





# FARM Program Governance Structure



ANIMAL CARE

NMPF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

NMPF ANIMAL HEALTH & WELLBEING COMMITTEE

FARM PROGRAM ANIMAL
CARE TECHNICAL
WRITING GROUP

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

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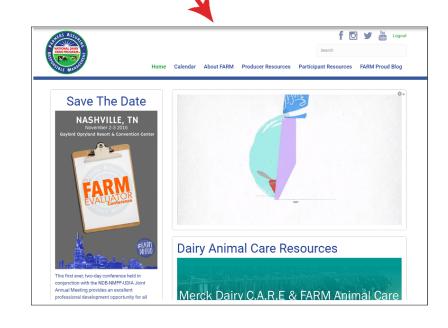
## FARM Logo: Coming to a supermarket near you?





#### BACK PANEL

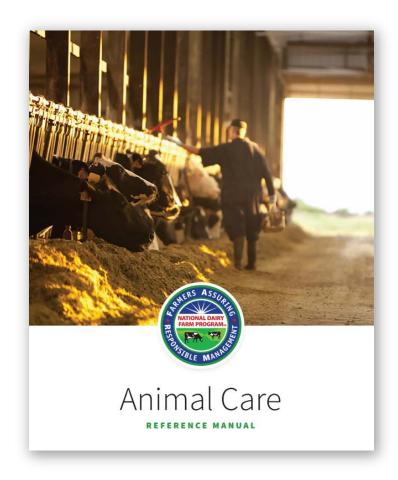




## FARM Animal Care Program



- 98% of U.S. milk production now enrolled!
- Version 3.o ready for Jan. 1,2017
  - Suite of materials now available online
  - Train the Trainer Courses
    - 2016: 4 courses held for ~100 trainers



## FARM Animal Care Program



#### Stakeholder Engagement:

- AABP Annual Conference
- World Dairy Expo
- Crisis drills
- Evaluator Conference
- Co-op/industry meetings
- E-newsletters
- Social media

#### Key Partnerships:

- Beef Quality Assurance/National Cattleman's Beef Association
- Merck Dairy C.A.R.E Webinar Series







Quality





### FARM Environmental Stewardship Program



 FARM Environmental Stewardship is a voluntary program available to any interested co-ops or proprietary processors

 FARM Environmental Stewardship will integrate and replace Farm Smart, which uses a model to generate a farm's carbon footprint



### FARM Environmental Stewardship Program



#### Why measure GHG's on dairy farms?

- It's a positive story that isn't currently being told
- GHG reductions are correlated with production efficiency and improved economic performance
- GHG's are one of the main indicators dairy customers are requesting
- FARM Animal Care users also using Farm Smart have requested an easier way of collecting both sets of information on the farm



## Antimicrobial Use and Resistance

**Domestic Regulations** 

International Standards

















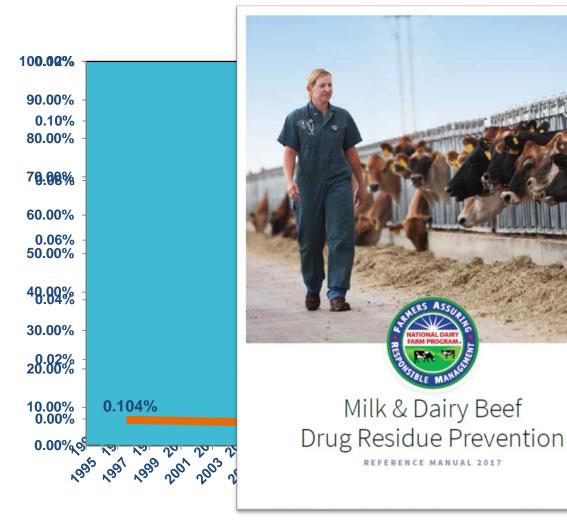


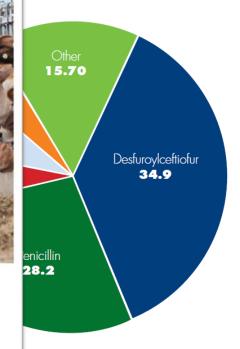
## FARM Residue Avoidance Program

## common voice clear vision

#### **Bulk Tank Residues**

#### Cull Cow Residues





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# Environmental Update

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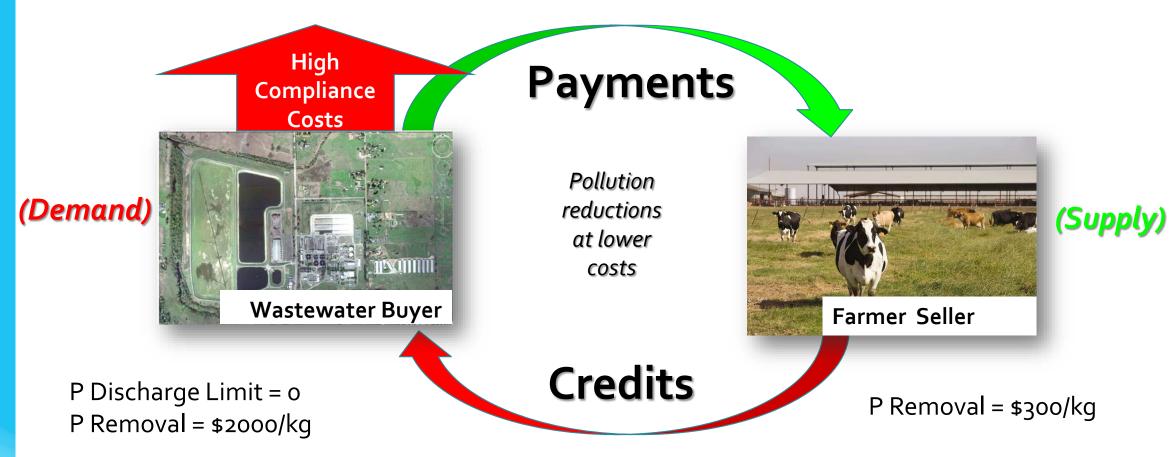
# Waters of the United States



- Lawsuits
- Congressional action



## Water Quality Trading A Real World Example



Trade Ratio 4:1

## Water Quality Trading



- Maryland WQT
  - NMPF participates in advisory committee meetings
  - Trading scheduled to begin in 2017
  - Anticipate lawsuit by Food and Water Watch
  - Amend the Clean Water Act?



## Regulatory Update

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### Food Safety Modernization Act

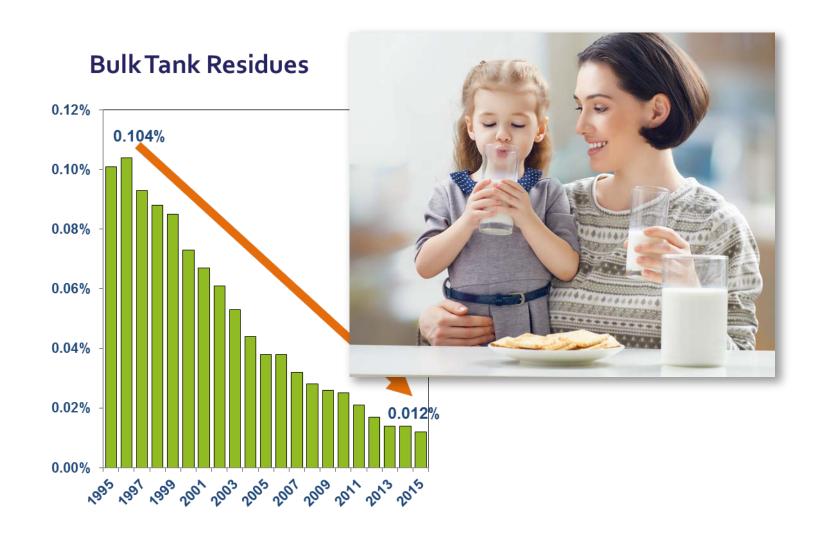
- Massive change to food safety laws
- Covers processing and transportation
- Covers accidental and intentional adulteration
- NMPF is playing a major role in implementation
  - Focus on dairy processing facilities, not farms





## Drug Residue Testing





### **Nutrition**





## Questions?



