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Dear Valued Supporter of Agriculture,

Imperial County Farm Bureau invites you to join us as a proud sponsor of this year's Annual Dinner, taking place on Thursday, October 9th. This event is a special opportunity to celebrate the enduring strength and success of Imperial Valley agriculture. We would be honored to recognize your support.

Each year, our Annual Dinner serves as a meaningful time to reflect on agriculture's essential contributions to our community and to honor those who have helped shape its future. This evening includes the presentation of our Farmer of the Year and Friend of the Farmer Awards, acknowledging individuals whose work and dedication have left a lasting impact on our region.

At Imperial County Farm Bureau, our mission remains constant: to advocate for and protect agriculture at the local, state, and federal levels. While water continues to be a major focus, our efforts extend far beyond. Whether advancing agricultural education, supporting the next generation of leaders through our Young Farmers & Ranchers program, coordinating with policymakers, or providing vital resources to our members, we are committed to ensuring a strong voice for our industry.

As challenges to farming and ranching in California grow, so does the need for active, persistent advocacy. Our nonprofit organization relies heavily on membership dues and fundraising events like this dinner to sustain our efforts. Your support helps ensure we can continue this critical work.

Enclosed you will find sponsorship opportunities that provide a variety of ways for you or your business to contribute. As a sponsor, you will be acknowledged during the event and featured across our communication platforms, including our website, social media channels, and our widely circulated enewsletter, reaching a broad audience of farmers, ranchers, agribusiness professionals, educators, and community leaders.

Your support, in any amount, is truly valued, and we look forward to recognizing your contribution through these channels. To be included as a sponsor, please complete and return the enclosed donation form by **Friday, September 19, 2025**, to be recognized in our event materials. Sponsorships will still be accepted after that date. We are incredibly thankful for the strength, resilience, shared commitment within the agricultural sector, strong network of industry partners, and for the individuals and businesses like yours that make our mission possible. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact our office at (760) 352-3831 or email melissa@icfb.net.

We look forward to celebrating Imperial Valley agriculture with you at this year's Annual Dinner.

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With heartfelt thanks,

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