HOUSE BILL 1475

Good Morning Chairman Johnson & Members of the House Agriculture Committee.

My name is Kerry Dockter and I am a beef producer from Central North Dakota.

I come before you this morning in support of HB 1475, The Agriculture Innovation Fund.

I believe this bill will be a valuable mechanism to help fund agricultural projects which can both add value to our North Dakota and also grow our agricultural economy.

I believe the opportunities could be endless as to what this fund can do for the growth and job development for North Dakota.

Again I am in support of HB 1475

Thank you for the opportunity to testify on this bill.