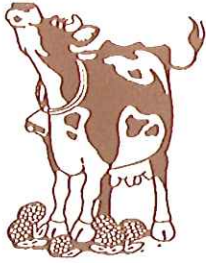


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July 11, 2011

Dear Exhibitors:

Your support of the Sykesville Ag and Youth Fair is appreciated. The past two years we have worked through funding challenges from the Pennsylvania state budget. We have seen our funding decrease by 75 % over these last years. Recently a new state budget was passed. This budget maintains last years funding level. While we are thankful that we will not receive any additional cuts this year, we will still be reimbursed only 25% of the level we received in 2008.

Most fairs throughout the state rely on this funding to help pay prizes for competitive exhibits and to help reimburse expenses. Pennsylvania's #1 industry is agriculture and the fairs are the showcases of agriculture.

The last two years we have paid premiums that were reduced from the premiums offered in our Fair Book. We appreciate your support of our fair with your entries. This year, even though our state reimbursement is still at a reduced level, we anticipate being able to pay our exhibitors the premiums that are listed in the premium book. With good weather and increased attendance we will be able to reward you for your entries.

We will appreciate your continued support of our fair. Your exhibits are a vital part of the fair. Even though we plan to pay 100% of the premiums offered, we will most likely not have your checks available at the end of fair week. They will be mailed at a later date.

Thank you for your support. If you have any questions, you can reach me at the numbers listed above. Hope to see you at the fair!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sam Zaffuto". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Sam Zaffuto, President