

RFA Grain Buying Policy

We can only buy grain from our customers when the grain markets are open. The Board of Trade hours are:

Days hours 8:30 AM until 1:15 PM

Overnight hours 7:00 PM until 7:45 AM

Between 1:15 and 4:00 we will determine a price to be the base for the next day's trading. The website will be updated with this price but we will not buy grain at that time. You may put offers in the overnight trade at a specific price. We will then put orders in for that price and amount and if they hit in the overnight markets, your offer will be filled in the morning. If they do not hit that price even by one quarter of a cent, your order will not fill.

Otherwise you can call back in the mornings and sell at the current prices for 15 minutes from 7:30 AM (when the office opens) until 7:45 AM and then again at 8:30 AM until 1:15 PM. Selling during these daytime hours is easiest option for both parties.

Marketing texts go out (if you are signed up) at 10:00 AM, 12:30 PM and 4:00 PM. These are 10 minutes delayed so be aware that the market could have changed by the time you receive the text, some days it can change even drastically either higher or lower. There is nothing we can do about this. If you want instant quotes at your home, there are programs that you can purchase to have access to the Chicago Board of Trade.

RFA Hours

Office hours are from 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM Monday through Friday. During harvest we will be open most Saturdays and if it is questionable, we will post on website and/or send a text. Whenever we will be closed for a holiday, we will post on the website and on the doors of the offices.