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## Michigan Green Agri-Business Awards demonstrate record sustainability footprint

Nearly 100 Michigan agribusinesses honored with Green Awards in program's 6<sup>th</sup> year

LANSING – A record number of Michigan agribusinesses were recognized today at the 6<sup>th</sup> annual **Michigan Agri-Business Association (MABA)** Green Awards, presented at the association's annual winter conference in Lansing. Awards were presented to 99 businesses that demonstrated their environmental stewardship and sustainability work through the MABA program.

"From energy audits to recycling, adopting the principles of responsible fertilizer application to improving fleet fuel efficiency and beyond, Michigan is home to a really creative group of agribusiness leaders," said **Jim Byrum**, president of **MABA**. "The Green Awards program is just one way to help demonstrate the Michigan agriculture industry's commitment to sustainability. We're proud that the Green Awards program continues to grow every year, both in terms of the number of awardees and in terms of the steps they're taking to protect our air, land and Great Lakes."

A list of all companies receiving a Green Award appears below.

The application components include an evaluation of agronomic practices, water quality and conservation efforts, energy efficiency, facilities improvement, transportation, recycling, and the use of advanced site specific agriculture technology.

In addition to the presentation of 99 Green Agribusiness Awards, **Star of the West Milling Company** was given the 2016 Green Agri-Business "Outstanding Achievement Award".

Company	Location
Advanced Micronutrient Products	Reese
AgroLiquid	St. Johns
BASF	Fenton
Brink Farms, Inc.	Hamilton
Brown Milling Inc Rosebush	Mt. Pleasant
Brown Milling Inc Rosebush Feed and Grain	Rosebush
Brown Milling Inc Superior Fertilizer	Rosebush
Brown Milling Inc Shepherd Elevator	Shepherd
Caledonia Farmers Elevator	Caledonia
Caledonia Farmers Elevator	Lake Odessa
Carbon Green BioEnergy	Lake Odessa
Citizens LLC	Charlotte
Cooperative Elevator Company - Akron Plant	Akron
Cooperative Elevator Company - Bad Axe Fertilizer	Bad Axe
Cooperative Elevator Company - Deckerville West	Deckerville
Cooperative Elevator Company - Elkton Elevator	Elkton
Cooperative Elevator Company - Elkton Terminal Grain and Bean	Elkton
Cooperative Elevator Company - Elkton Terminal Liquid Fertilizer	Elkton
Cooperative Elevator Company - Fairgrove Fertilizer	Fairgrove
Cooperative Elevator Company - Gagetown Agronomy	Gagetown
Cooperative Elevator Company - North Branch Facility	North Branch
Cooperative Elevator Company - Pigeon Petroleum	Pigeon
Cooperative Elevator Company - Ruth Branch	Ruth
Cooperative Elevator Company - Ruth Petroleum	Ruth
Cooperative Elevator Company - Sebewaing Branch	Sebewaing
Crop Production Services	Bear Lake
Crop Production Services	Benton Harbor
Crop Production Services	Breckenridge
Crop Production Services	Brown City
Crop Production Services	Greenville
Crop Production Services	Henderson
Crop Production Services	Lake Odessa
Crop Production Services	Linwood
Crop Production Services	Munger
Crop Production Services	Owendale
Crop Production Services	Saginaw
Crop Production Services	Sandusky
Crop Production Services	Sparta
Crop Production Services	Ubly
Farmers Co-operative Grain Co	Cass City
Farmers Co-operative Grain Co	Kinde
Freeland Bean & Grain	Freeland

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	Coldwater
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Oxbow Fertilizer, LLC	Mt. Pleasant
	Dearborn
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Star of the West Milling Co.	Reese
	Richville
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The Andersons Inc.	_itchfield
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The Andersons Inc.	Webberville	
The Andersons Inc.	White Pigeon	
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Wilbur-Ellis	Edmore	
Wilbur-Ellis	Grant	
Wilbur-Ellis	Hart	
Wilbur-Ellis	Marlette	
Wilbur-Ellis	Pewamo	
Wilbur-Ellis	Sparta	
Winfield	Oakley	
Zeeland Farm Services, Inc.	Zeeland	_