The Farm Bill is important to Arizona:

- **Total Farms**: 19,600
- **Total Farmed Acres**: 25,900,000
- **People Receiving SNAP Assistance per Month**: 964,979
- **Total Ag Exports in 2017**: $1.44B
- **Total Conservation $**: $17.1M
- **Universities Receiving Farm Bill Research $**: 15
- **Specialty Crop Block Grants FY 2010-2017**: $9.3M
- **Critical 2018 Farm Bill Preventive Programs**:
  - National impact of invasive species: $120B
  - National impact of animal disease outbreak: $200B

*The 2018 Farm Bill must continue preventive programs such as the Plant Pest and Disease Management and Disaster Prevention Program (PPDMCPP). The upcoming farm bill must also establish a 3-tiered plan to prevent, identify, and mitigate animal disease outbreaks.*

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