THE FARM BILL IS IMPORTANT TO...

MISSISSIPPI

- **Total Farms**: 36,200
- **Total Farm Acres**: 10,700,000
- **People Receiving SNAP Assistance per Month**: 555,278
- **Total Ag Exports in 2017**: $984M
- **Total Conservation $**: $64.5M
- **Universities Receiving Farm Bill Research $**: 3
- **Specialty Crop Block Grants FY 2010-2017**: $2.7M
- **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 (PPDMDPP). The upcoming farm bill must also establish a 3-tiered plan to prevent, identify, and mitigate animal disease outbreaks.*

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