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Hello,

My name is Genevieve Primeau and am a resident of Providence ward 12, and I'm employed in the local food economy.

I'm writing to express my support of HB5342 and require that funds generated by agricultural fees collected by the DEM must be designated for used *within* the agricultural sector.

Farmers are already bearing the brunt of the federal funding freeze on USDA grants. We must use all resources at our means to ensure that the folks growing our food can continue to operate.

Best regards,
Genevieve