



IOWA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP

Bill Northey, Secretary of Agriculture

January 5, 2012

The Honorable Charlie Smithson
Chief Clerk
Iowa House of Representatives
State Capitol
Des Moines, Iowa 50319

Dear Mr. Smithson:

Please accept this letter as authorization for Margaret Thomson to lobby and register on any legislation on behalf of the Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Bill Northey".

Bill Northey
Iowa Secretary of Agriculture