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With Rising costs to producers, especially family farms, it will be impossible for many to continue operating if ag overtime is at play. Most of us will be forced to automate a lot of our operations, taking away a large portion of employment opportunity in our state. All of our workers receive on farm housing at no cost to them, as well as, beef for Them and their family. Plus many other benefits that might not be available in a conventional employment setting. Also, We pay our employees well above the state minimum wage depending on their experience levels. Ag overtime rules would be an extreme detriment to our community as the Majority of employment depends on Ag!!
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