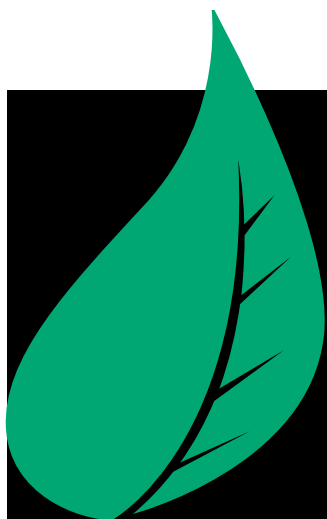


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The Grow Iowa's Future with Agribusiness Capital Campaign has reached another milestone and work is ready to begin work on remodeling the Agribusiness Association of Iowa building, which is also the home office for Iowa Nursery and Landscape Association.

On June 11, 2020, the INLA offices will be temporarily relocated to a building a few miles away on the east side of Des Moines.

The office phone number, email addresses, and other contact information remain the same. We will continue to receive US Postal Service correspondence at the current Des Moines Street headquarters address. The only change will be if you are stopping by the Home Office after June 11, be sure to use the address noted below.

Important Information About the Temporary Office Move

Continue to send mail, checks, forms, and other correspondence, to:

**Iowa Nursery and Landscape Association
900 Des Moines Street
Des Moines, IA 50309**

The estimated time frame for the project is nine months. We are hoping to be back in the newly remodeled building at 900 Des Moines Street in the first quarter of 2021.

If you need to talk to someone in person, or if you are sending a package via UPS or FedEx, our new physical address beginning Jun 11, 2020, will be:

Iowa Nursery and Landscape Association
2425 Delaware Avenue STE A
Des Moines, Iowa 50317

900 Des Moines Street
Des Moines, IA 50309
Phone: 515.262.8323
Fax: 515.262.8960

Building Remodel Update

This opportunity to upgrade the INLA headquarters building and making it a facility that will be better valued by our membership, working partners, and the community has been made possible by the fantastic financial support of many of our members.

To date, commitments of over \$2.0 M will fund a significant part of this project and make us more efficient and better able to serve each of you as our members. We thank those contributors for their significant financial support to allow us to move forward with this phase of our Grow Iowa's Future Capital Campaign.

If your business is interested in taking advantage of the opportunity to invest in the future of agribusiness in Iowa, now is a great time to become a participating member of the campaign. The building is just one of four strategic initiatives of the Grow Iowa's Future capital campaign. There's still more to do!

Consider your role in the success of your local community and the importance of agribusiness to Iowa's economy and well-being. Then give us a call so we can make sure you are recognized for your contributions to making Iowa a great place to live and work because of your part as an investor in Iowa's Future

PLEASE NOTE: IT IS IMPORTANT THAT ALL MEMBERS CONTINUE TO SEND MAIL TO THE DES MOINES STREET ADDRESS DURING THE TEMPORARY OFFICE OPERATIONS MOVE.

The INLA office is still closed to visitors at this moment. All meetings will be held via teleconference unless otherwise noted.

For questions on contributions for the remodeling of the INLA headquarters and other association topics, contact Joan O'Brien joano@agribiz.org or 515-262-8323.

DMACC Horticulture Program Donates Hundreds of Plants and Flowers to UnityPoint

Students enrolled in the DMACC Horticulture Program's Greenhouse Production II (AGH276) course traditionally spend each spring semester tending to robust rows of vibrant flowers and plants in a modern greenhouse on the DMACC Ankeny Campus, culminating with a public sale that showcases their work.

This spring, however, the COVID-19 pandemic and closure of DMACC campuses and centers meant plans to hold a public sale were scrapped – but a new idea soon sprouted. After considering a variety of options, DMACC decided to donate approximately 1,500 containers of student-raised plants and flowers to local UnityPoint health care workers and facilities.

“This was a unique opportunity for us to do something special for local health care professionals, including many DMACC graduates, who have been working tirelessly to respond to COVID-19 in our community,” said DMACC President Rob Denson.

The DMACC donation included a recent invitation for UnityPoint health care workers to visit the DMACC greenhouse, with protective gear and social distancing in place, and choose from a wide variety of spring bedding plants and annuals in packs, pots and hanging baskets to take home and enjoy, free of charge.

Additionally, DMACC donated a variety plants to the UnityPoint grounds team for landscaping use around the UnityPoint Taylor House Hospice, Ronald McDonald House and several UnityPoint Clinics.

DMACC Horticulture Program Chair and Professor Randall Vos said the program's annual spring public sale typically grosses more than \$10,000. Those funds are put back into the program to cover plants material and supplies, as well as DMACC Horticulture Club learning trips to regional horticulture hubs. A core group of 7 DMACC Horticulture students helped raise this year's spring crop, which they began planning with Vos during the fall semester.

“We were pleased that our spring crop could be donated in a meaningful way,” Vos said. “During challenging times, people often regain an appreciation for nature and its positive influence on our well-being.”

DMACC President Rob Denson said the donation was also an example of how communities are strengthened through education and student success.

“DMACC is proud to educate and train future health care professionals, and to work closely with UnityPoint Health in those efforts,” Denson said. “We also take great pride in educating future horticulture professionals at DMACC and in the value of their work.”

Read full article - <https://bit.ly/37PHLWE>

EPA Issues Cancellation and Existing Stocks Order for Dicamba Products

The Environmental Protection Agency issued has cancelled the label for Xtendimax with Vaporgrip Technology (EPA Reg. No. 524-617), Engenia – (EPA Reg. No. 7969-345), and FeXapan – (EPA Reg. No. 352-913). The cancellation order outlines limited and specific circumstances under which existing stocks of the three affected dicamba products can be used for a limited period of time.

Details of the Order

EPA's order addresses sale, distribution, and use of existing stocks of the three affected dicamba products.

Distribution or sale by any person is generally prohibited except for ensuring proper disposal or return to the registrant.

Growers and commercial applicators may use existing stocks that were in their possession on June 3, 2020, the effective date of the Court decision. Such use must be consistent with the product's previously-approved label, and may not continue after July 31, 2020.

The cancellation and existing stocks order is consistent with EPA's standard practice following registration invalidation, and is designed to advance compliance, ensure regulatory certainty, and to prevent the misuse of existing stocks.

The full cancellation order can be found on the EPA website:

EPA Dicamba Cancellation Order

<https://www.epa.gov/ingredients-used-pesticide-products/final-cancellation-order-three-dicamba-products>

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