

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Representative O. Miller**

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7 **HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

8 COMMENDING ARKANSAS FARMERS FOR THEIR MANY ESSENTIAL
9 CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE SECURITY AND ECONOMIC WELL-BEING OF
10 THE STATE AND THE NATION, AND FOR PRODUCING THE FOOD AND
11 FIBER THAT IS ESSENTIAL TO THE HEALTH AND SECURITY OF THE
12 CITIZENS OF THIS STATE AND PEOPLE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

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14 **Subtitle**

15 COMMENDING ARKANSAS FARMERS.

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17 WHEREAS, twenty-five percent (25%) of Arkansas_ economy is based on
18 food, fiber and forestry, and two-thirds (2/3rds) of Arkansas_ counties rely
19 on farming and forestry as their industrial base; and

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21 WHEREAS, each farmer in this state produces essential food and fiber for
22 94 Americans and 34 citizens of other countries; and

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24 WHEREAS, agriculture and related activities and industries employ one
25 out of every four (4) Arkansans; and

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27 WHEREAS, agricultural pursuits in the state produce wealth in excess of
28 five billion dollars and contribute immeasurably to the stable and well-
29 balanced economy of the state; and

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31 WHEREAS, the agricultural community contributes a substantial portion of
32 the revenues which finance vital state and local services to all the state_s
33 citizens; and

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35 WHEREAS, Arkansas farmers are deserving of public commendation and

1 appreciation,

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3 NOW THEREFORE,

4 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SEVENTY-NINTH GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

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7 The Seventy-Ninth General Assembly and the individual members of the
8 General Assembly hereby express sincere appreciation to Arkansas farmers for
9 their outstanding contributions to the economy of the state and nation and to
10 the well-being of the people, and commend them for their dedication to the
11 wise utilization of our resources.

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