

Dear Chair Westrom, Chair Sundin, and members of the committee,

A new and upcoming farmer and as member of the minority community, the LEAFF program is the lifeline for the success of my farming career. With limited resources available minority farmers like me, funding the LEAFF program offers hope and for those aspiring to join farming as a career in my community. LEAFF is here for startup farmers like me. Keeping the program funded means sustainability and greater opportunities for people in my community.

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