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Representative Mike Simpson
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April 27, 2021

RE: U.S. Sheep Experiment Station Community Project Request

Representative Simpson,

I am writing in support of the U.S. Sheep Experiment Station and the FY2022 Agriculture Appropriations Community Project Request. The U.S. Sheep Station plays a vital role in our local economy. Our small, rural community depends on the jobs the Station provides. The ranchers of this area and across the nation depend on the research conducted at the Station.

The Station is a great asset to our community, and we are proud to be the site of this wonderful facility. Investing in the Station's water systems, roadways, telecommunications, and preservation will ensure that the Station can continue to provide benefits to our community and to ranchers everywhere. Investments in the Station's infrastructure will also increase the overall efficiency of the facility.

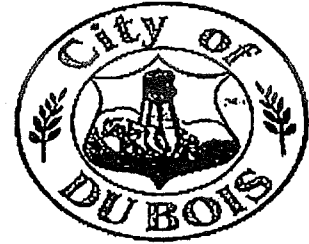
We appreciate your support of our community and the Station. We commend your efforts to ensure the Station remains a vital part of this community for years to come.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "MaCoy Ward".

MaCoy Ward, Commissioner

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April 28, 2021

Re: U.S. Sheep Experiment Station Community Project Request

Congressman Simpson,

I am writing in support of the U.S. Sheep Experiment Station and the FY2022 Agriculture Appropriations Community Project Request. As you know, the U.S. Sheep Station is a critical part of the economy for our little town of Dubois. The City of Dubois sits in Clark County, and is the least populated county in the State of Idaho and the rural community depends not only on the jobs and economic impact of the researchers and staff at the Station, but also the ranchers of this area rely every day on the agricultural research being conducted at the Station.

The Station is an all-around great neighbor, and our town is proud to have had it and the support it gives to us for the last hundred years. It also offers field trips to our school age children every year to show them the research this great facility offers. Investment now in the Station's water systems, roadways, telecommunications, and preservation will enhance the benefits of the Station to the community for decades to come and make the facilities more resource efficient.

We greatly appreciate your support of the City of Dubois and the Sheep Experiment Station and commend your efforts in this project to ensure the Station remains an important part of this city and community for another century to come.

Sincerely,

Annette Eddins, Mayor

City of Dubois