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Dell Farm
503 Gully Tavern Rd
Rice, VA 23966

Dear Senator Mike Brubaker,

Thank you for your support of PASA and the local food production movement. This is essential for a strong and healthy country, environment, and economy.

I have consumed raw milk all my life and continue this as a member of CARE. As a Virginian I am proud to be a part of this movement. My healthy children are raised with raw milk as much as possible. I have worked in pediatric nursing and am convinced that this is a building block for a health.

It is hard for me to hear the concept that farmers - our source for ESSENTIAL available and viable food - are being persecuted by cooperate-government interests. Raw milk is the basis of mammalian life.

Much misinformation has dispelled the facts about raw milk and common sense. It is notable that government officials can find problems with milk while standing among healthy Amish populations thus contributing to this misinformation.

The people who raided a farm stealing the farm products are criminally insane and should be removed from their jobs.

It is time for the government to promote raw milk sale and to support local production of raw milk products in the interests of our food security, food availability, and our health.

THANK YOU for your support in this.

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