## Dear Producer.

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You should have recently received your 202x Organic Survey. **Thank you**, if you have already responded. If not, please respond by \*\* *Date* \*\*, in one of the following ways:

- Online at <u>www.agcounts.usda.gov</u> using the unique survey code listed below. Responding online is fast and secure.
- By mail. Complete the form and mail it back in the prepaid envelope provided.

If your response is not received, a representative with the U.S. Department of Agriculture's National Agricultural Statistics Service may follow up with you to gather this information. The results of this survey will be available in aggregate form only, ensuring that no individual operation or producer can be identified, as required by federal law.

For more information about this survey, visit <a href="mass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide\_to\_NASS\_Surveys/Organic\_Production">nass.usda.gov/Surveys/Guide\_to\_NASS\_Surveys/Organic\_Production</a>. If you have questions or difficulty completing your survey, please call toll-free 888-424-7828.

Sincerely,

Joseph L. Parsons

Chairperson, Agricultural Statistics Board

U.S. Department of Agriculture

National Agricultural Statistics Service

Online reporting is fast and secure. All you need is your survey code to begin. To complete your survey, follow these steps:

- 1. Go to: www.agcounts.usda.gov
- Enter your survey code: <<Survey\_code>>
- 3. Complete the survey through the Conclusion section and select **Submit Survey**

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB number is 0535-0249. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average 40 minutes, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering, and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information.