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**Date:** 8/22/22

To: PA House Majority Policy Committee, Chairman Martin Causer

From: Chris Pierce

RE: PA Agriculture & Inflation: The Rising Cost of Food

## Chairman Causer,

I am looking forward to sharing at the PA House Majority Policy Committee Hearing this week, on my experiences/knowledge related to the Agriculture and Inflation: The Rising Cost of Food.

Here is a brief outline of the points that I will provide commentary, as I see the largest impact of to the cost of food, from the significant inflation being experienced:

## • Energy

- Impacting on-farm operations
- Transportation of feed & eggs
- Packing Costs

# Labor

- o Impact on-farm operations
- o Processing facilities
- o Distribution/Retail

# Grains

Local/National/Global shortages

Thanks,

Chris

cc: Morgan Wagner