

# Proclamation

Presented By

**State Senator William R. Haine**

to

**Nationwide Agribusiness**

Presented this 19<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2016

**WHEREAS**, the members of the Illinois State Senate are pleased to recognize significant milestones and achievements of the people, communities and organizations of this state; and

**WHEREAS**, the members of the Illinois Senate consider it an honor to participate in recognizing Nationwide Agribusiness for its efforts in creating a safer work environment; and

**WHEREAS**, Grain Bin Safety Week is an annual observance that occurs the third full week of February to promote grain bin safety on farms and commercial grain-handling facilities; and

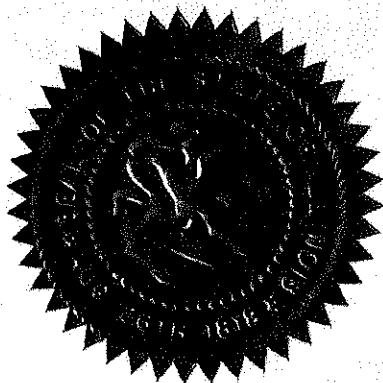
**WHEREAS**, Grain Bin Safety Week is a collaborative effort by industry leaders and agricultural professionals working together; and

**WHEREAS**, through education and awareness of hazards and safe work practices and procedures, Nationwide hopes to reduce the number of preventable injuries and deaths associated with grain handling and storage; and

**WHEREAS**, Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, Iowa Institute for Cooperatives, Farm Safety For Just Kids, KC Supply, Co., Inc., Kansas Farmers Service Association, Grain Systems, Inc., National Education Center for Agricultural Safety, CHIS Inc., Mennell Milling, M.F. Block, The Scoular Company, Agri-Business Insurance Services, Arthur J. Gallagher & Co., Sump Saver, and the National Farm Medicine Center have come together to declare the week of February 21 as Grain Bin Safety Week in the State of Illinois; therefore be it

**PROCLAIMED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS**, that the members of the Illinois Senate recognize Nationwide Agribusiness' efforts to create a safer work environment for workers in the grain handling business; therefore be it

**PROCLAIMED**, that a suitable copy of this proclamation be presented to Nationwide Agribusiness as an expression of our esteem.



A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "William R. Haine".

Senator William R. Haine  
56<sup>th</sup> Senate District