



## **Geauga County Farm Bureau presents ‘Friend of Agriculture’ award to incumbent and candidate**

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ORWELL, Ohio –Incumbent House of Representative of the 99<sup>th</sup> House District John Patterson and candidate for the 76<sup>th</sup> House District, Sarah LaTourette, have been designated a Friend of Agriculture by the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation and Agriculture for Good Government Political Action Committee (AGGPAC). Patterson (represented by his wife, Nancy) and LaTourette received the award during the Geauga County Farm Bureau Annual Meeting at St. Mary’s Banquet Hall on September 25<sup>th</sup> 2014.

The award recognizes incumbents and those running for office who stand out as advocates for Ohio’s diverse agricultural community. Democrats and Republicans both are recipients of the recognition. As a nonpartisan organization, Farm Bureau awards its “Friend” designation regardless of political affiliation; it goes to individuals who have demonstrated their willingness to collaborate with Farm Bureau to the benefit of its members and all Ohioans.

For more information on the Geauga County Farm Bureau or the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation, please visit the website [www.geaugafb.org](http://www.geaugafb.org), call the local county Farm Bureau Office at 800-410-4613, or e-mail at [nefarmbu@fairpoint.net](mailto:nefarmbu@fairpoint.net).

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Ohio Farm Bureau's mission is to forge a partnership between farmers and consumers that meets consumer needs and ensures agricultural prosperity in a global marketplace.