

2026 LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES









ENCOURAGING INVESTMENT IN AGRICULTURE:

- Improving the economic outlook for farms and creating opportunities for passing the farm onto the next generation.
- Enacting lasting farmland property tax relief now. With escalating input costs, cash rents, land prices and property taxes, it will be difficult for farmers just to break even as low corn and soybean prices persist.
- Creating incentives for rural entrepreneurship and agricultural diversification

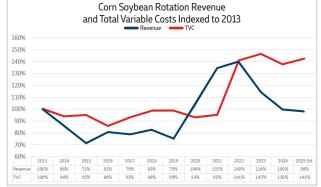


Figure shows Indiana Average Revenue and Total Variable Costs for Corn-Soybean Rotation from 2013 to 2025 (Estimated)

STRENGTHENING RURAL COMMUNITIES:

- Investing in robust education, health care and emergency services.
- Building infrastructure for local food production and valueadded economic development.
- Prioritizing effective, efficient and responsive local government services for our members.

SUPPORTING INDIANA'S FARMS AND FARMERS:









- Protecting prime agricultural soils and natural resources.
 - Ensuring zoning and land use regulations accommodate modern agriculture.
 - Incentivizing renewable energy projects to be located on nonproductive ground.
- Water policy remains a priority as stakeholders continue reviewing the state's inventory and begin forming a framework for regulatory use.

Energy affordability.

- Urging the state to prioritize the development of small modular nuclear reactors at existing or decommissioned energy producing facilities.
- Supporting cost-effective energy generation such as converting existing coal plants to less-expensive natural gas.

Unmanned Aerial Systems (Drones).

 Implementing civil and criminal penalties for nefarious unmanned aircraft system use over agricultural land and facilities.











For more information about our 2026 priorities, scan the QR code with your phone or visit infb.org/statepriorities.