Today’s Farm Crisis
Iowa is losing 25 acres of farmland each day to development.
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America loses 175 acres per hour
Midwest Farms once averaged 35 crops.
We import 90% of our food from out of state.
SILT farms
reduce land costs
rebuild our small towns
mitigate climate change
clean our soil and water
Every year, we allow 5 tons of top soil per acre to blow or wash away.
Cleaner, smaller food farms
feed Iowans
anchor vibrant communities
serve as learning centers
provide habitat for all
More than half of our farmland is owned by people over 65 and one-third is owned by people over 75.
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Clean food from clean farms growing a healthy Midwest for good.
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Thank you.

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