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Thank you for showcasing the many facets of the great agricultural community of California. I am honored to be the new Secretary of the California Department of Food and Agriculture and look forward to what your exhibits will bring this year.

California has some of the richest agricultural resources in the world and your exhibits play a vital role in displaying this. Each fair in which you participate has a unique, local agriculture flavor that brings people together to celebrate the tradition and innovation of our farmers and ranchers.

Thank you for your support of California fairs and for being an important part of California's bountiful agricultural community.

Sincerely,

Karen Ross  
Secretary



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### California Agricultural Fair Season

I am honored to welcome you to the 2011 season of California's agricultural fairs.

The vibrant culture of livestock competitions, educational exhibits, carnival rides, live performances and more is very important to the state. The fairs and your exhibits on the fairgrounds offer an important link to the agricultural community and the California farmers and ranchers that are a part of it. Each fair encompasses a unique aspect of California and its heritage.

Thank you for participating and playing a vital role in California's agricultural community.

Sincerely,

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