



Washington State Dairy Federation  
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Dear Dairy Industry Partners:

The Washington State Dairy Federation is a voluntary membership organization currently representing 300 dairy farms, and it works with a variety of related agriculture groups on legislative and regulatory issues to ensure that farming in Washington State remains viable, now and in the future. We would not be able to do this without the help of our industry partners!

Washington dairy industry statistics:

- the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest agricultural commodity sector in the state
- 10<sup>th</sup> in the U.S. for volume of milk produced
- 13<sup>th</sup> in the U.S. for milk per cow
- 20<sup>th</sup> in the U.S. for forage production
- 9<sup>th</sup> in the U.S. for average herd size

With your 2023 membership to the Washington State Dairy Federation, you will receive:

- Weekly News (electronic)
- Legislative Updates during the Washington Legislative Sessions (electronic)
- Industry Alerts throughout the year, plus pertinent industry informational reports
- Website link from our website to your company website
- Washington Dairy Conference invitation

Our Washington Dairy Conference will be held at the **Great Wolf Lodge in Chehalis on December 5-6, 2023**. Information on this will be mailed out starting next month.

You will find the Associate Membership form enclosed; dues for one year are \$125.00 (*If you were a 2022 Gold or Silver Sponsor, your 2022 membership is free!*) If you need further information, or have any questions, do not hesitate to call Christine 360-482-3485 office, 253-225-5440 (cell) or email her at [christine@wastatedairy.com](mailto:christine@wastatedairy.com).

Sincerely,

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