

# Farm Rescue<sup>®</sup>

The logo for Farm Rescue features the words "Farm" and "Rescue" in a red, serif font. A yellow wheat stalk with three heads is positioned between the two words, with its stem curving around the letter "R".

**HELPING FARM & RANCH FAMILIES  
IN CRISIS**

2022 AgrAbility National Training Workshop  
Presented by Lynne Hinrichsen, Development Officer



# WHO WE ARE



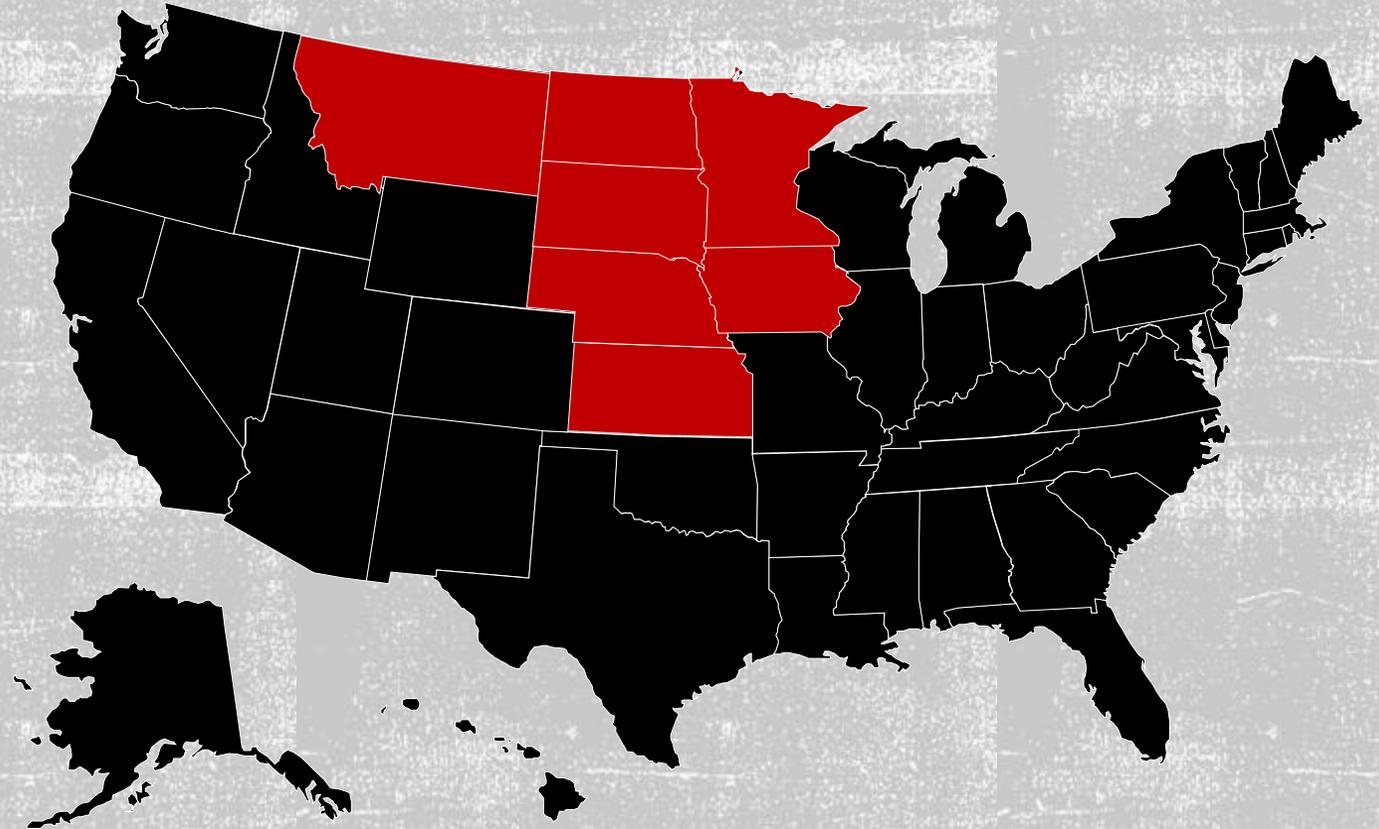
- Farm Rescue is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization
- Founded in 2005 by Bill Gross
- Led by a group of volunteers, dedicated to assisting farm & ranch families during a major crisis



# WHERE OUR WORK TAKES US

■ States in our service area:

- North Dakota
- South Dakota
- Montana
- Minnesota
- Iowa
- Nebraska
- Kansas
- Illinois (2023)



# WHAT WE DO



- Planting • Haying • Harvest • Commodity Hauling & Livestock Feeding Assistance
- Provide services to farm & ranch families experiencing a major illness, injury or natural disaster for FREE



# OPERATION HAYLIFT



# FOUR COUNTY FIRES - KANSAS



# COMPASSIONATE DEDICATION IN SERVING OUR MISSION



# ANGELS IN BLUE

- Farm Rescue's family of Good Samaritans come from all walks of life
- Around 1,000 registered volunteers from 49 states have signed on to support our mission
- We cover the expenses of the volunteers (food, lodging, fuel, etc.)



# OUR IMPACT





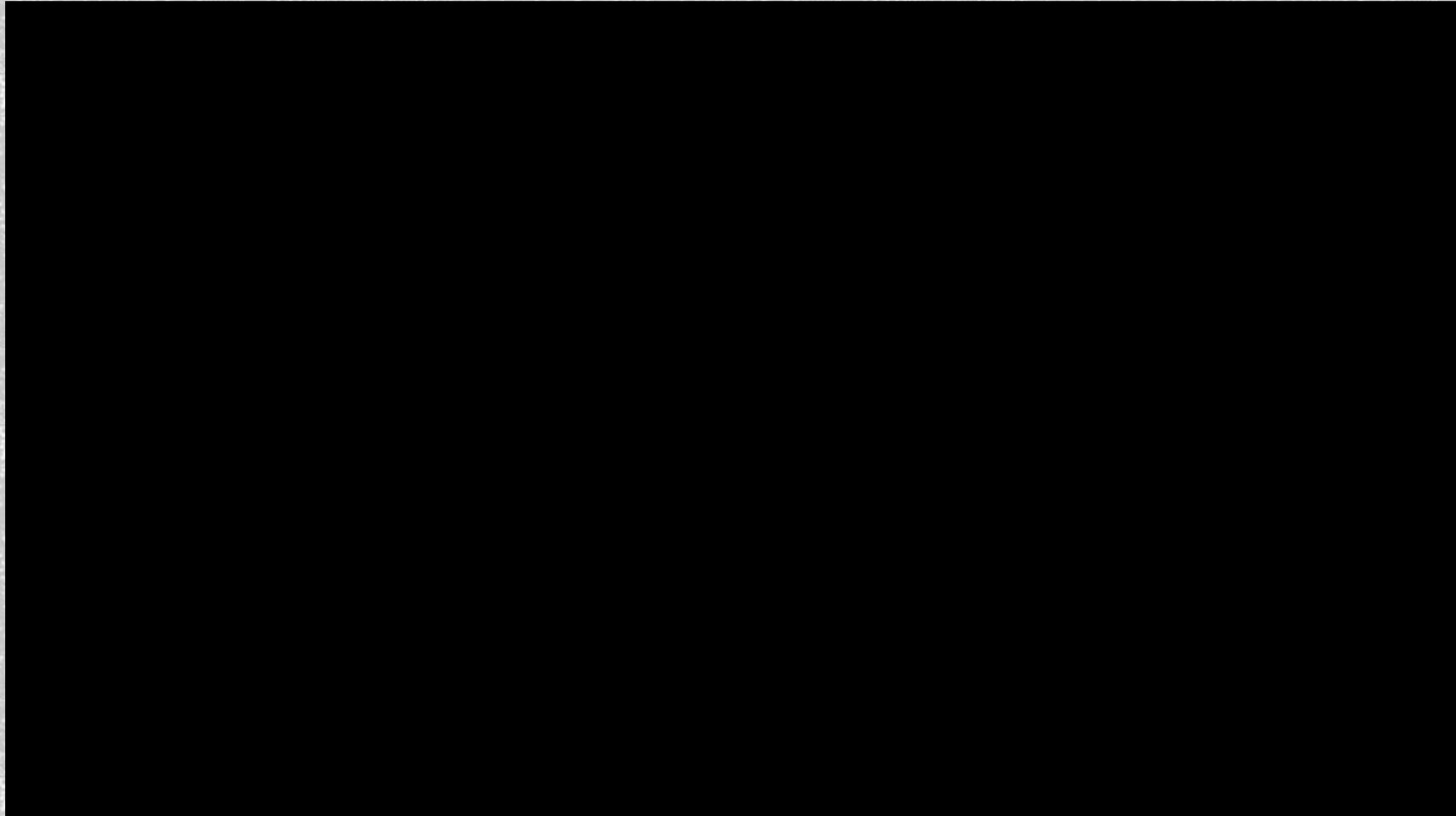
**2021 HARVEST OF HOPE**

**800<sup>TH</sup> CRISIS FAMILY**

**GENE BIRKLID FAMILY — FORT RANSOM, ND**



# TOUCHING LIVES ACROSS THE COUNTRY



# HOW DO WE COMPLETE OUR MISSION?

- **Partners**
  - Corporate, individual, partnership programs
  - Community Engagement representatives
  - Extension services, government offices
- Trade show, meetings, workshops, community awareness
- Referrals for cases
- Donations, Sponsors, Estate planning



# BRETT FITZPATRICK — STERLING, KS



# THE ROAD AHEAD



- Farm Rescue assisted almost 100 farm & ranch families by the end of 2021
- In 2022, we have already completed 24 cases in the first quarter and starting to set planting cases for the spring



# PRESERVING LEGACIES

Our primary goal is to help these families maintain viable farming operations for generations to come



# BECOME A FARM RESCUER

If you'd like to sign up to volunteer, make a donation, or refer a family in need, visit

[www.farmrescue.org](http://www.farmrescue.org)

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