

# DOING WHAT'S RIGHT

## ETHICAL STANDARDS

U.S. PORK PRODUCERS RECOGNIZE OUR OBLIGATION TO BUILD AND MAINTAIN THE TRUST OF CUSTOMERS AND THE PUBLIC IN OUR PRODUCTS AND OUR PRACTICES. TO PROMOTE CONFIDENCE IN WHAT WE DO AND HOW WE DO IT, WE AFFIRM THE FOLLOWING ETHICAL PRINCIPLES:

### FOOD SAFETY

We affirm our obligation to produce safe food.

### ANIMAL WELL-BEING

We affirm our obligation to protect and promote animal well-being.

### ENVIRONMENT

We affirm our obligation to safeguard natural resources in all of our practices.

### PUBLIC HEALTH

We affirm our obligation to ensure our practices protect public health.

### EMPLOYEE CARE

We affirm our obligation to provide a work environment that is safe and consistent with our other ethical principles.

### THE COMMUNITIES IN WHICH WE OPERATE

We affirm our obligation to contribute to a better quality of life in our communities.

I hereby affirm to uphold these principles

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Signature and Date

### PQA PLUS IMPLEMENTATION

AS PORK PRODUCERS, WE RECOGNIZE OUR OBLIGATION TO OPERATE OUR BUSINESSES IN A SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE MANNER AND TO FOLLOW THE BEST INDUSTRY PRACTICES. TO THAT END, I HAVE COMMITTED TO COMPLETE PQA PLUS CERTIFICATION FOR EMPLOYEES, SITE ASSESSMENT OF EACH FACILITY AND TQA CERTIFICATION FOR EMPLOYEES.

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Signature

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PQA+ CERTIFICATION DATE

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PQA+ ASSESSMENT DATE

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TQA CERTIFICATION DATE



AMERICA'S PORK PRODUCERS