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### **Sarah Morton joins the Nebraska Wheat Board as Agriculture Promotion Coordinator**

Lincoln, NE— Sarah Morton was recently hired to fill the vacancy of the Agriculture Promotion Coordinator Position for the Nebraska Wheat Board (NWB). She started her role with the Board on November 1, 2019.

Morton is a December 2017 graduate of the University of Nebraska – Lincoln with a degree in Agriculture Education. She grew up on a family farm in Nehawka, NE where they raised corn and soybeans and ran a cow calf operation. Prior to the NWB, Morton served as a contract worker for the Nebraska Department of Education and taught at Seward Public Schools.

“I am excited to join a team that serves the Nebraska wheat farmers,” Morton said. “I look forward to making progress in the education and promotion of the industry within the state.”

Royce Schaneman, NWB executive director, expressed an appreciation for Morton’s ambition. “We’re excited to have Sarah join the Nebraska Wheat Board staff. She is off to a quick start, attending national and state meetings. I appreciate her approach to the job as she begins her new career with us.”



Morton will serve both as staff for the Nebraska Wheat Board as well as Executive Secretary for the Nebraska Wheat Growers Association.

The Nebraska Wheat Board administers the check-off of 0.4% of net value of wheat marketed in Nebraska at the point of first sale. The board invests the funds in programs of international and domestic market development and improvement, policy development, research, promotion, and education.

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