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It is hereby certified that the Secretary of State of Ohio has custody of the business records for
FARMLAND NEWS, LLC.

and, that said business records show the filing and recording of:

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United States of America
State of Ohio
Office of the Secretary of State

Witness my hand and the seal of
the Secretary of State at Columbus,
Ohio this 30th day of November,
A.D. 2000.

J. Kenneth Blackwell
Ohio Secretary of State

Prescribed by
Kenneth J. Blackwell, Secretary of State
30 East Broad Street, 14th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43266-0418
Form LCA (July 1994)

Approved _____
Date _____
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ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF FARMLAND NEWS, LLC

(Under Section 1705.04 of the Ohio Revised Code)
Limited Liability Company

The undersigned, desiring to form a limited liability company, under Chapter 1705 of the Ohio Revised Code, do hereby state the following:

FIRST: The name of said limited liability company shall be **Farmland News, LLC.**

SECOND: This limited liability company shall exist for a period of fifty (50) years.

THIRD: The address to which interested persons may direct requests for copies of any operating agreement and any bylaws of this limited liability company is:

104 Depot Street
Archbold, Ohio 43502.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have hereunto subscribed their name, this 24th day of November, 2000.

Signed: Jed W. Grisez
Jed W. Grisez

Signed: Lisa T. Grisez
Lisa T. Grisez

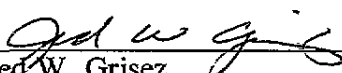
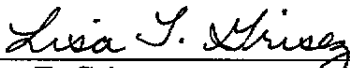
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**ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT OF AGENT
OF
FARMLAND NEWS, LLC**
(for limited liability company)

The undersigned, being both of the members of **Farmland News, LLC**, on the day hereof, hereby appoint Jed W. Grisez to be the agent of Farmland News, LLC upon whom any process, notice or demand required or permitted by statute to be served upon the limited liability company may be served. The complete address of the agent is:

5450 County Road 26
Archbold, Ohio 43502.

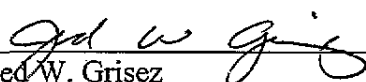
Dated: November 24, 2000.


Jed W. Grisez

Lisa T. Grisez

ACCEPTANCE OF APPOINTMENT

The undersigned, named herein as the statutory agent for **Farmland News, LLC**, hereby acknowledges and accepts the appointment of agent for said limited liability company.

Dated: November 24, 2000.


Jed W. Grisez