



April 16, 2019

**Alfalfa Seed Production Research Program
Notice of the 2019-2020 Assessment Rate**

To All Interested Parties:

Based upon a recommendation by the Alfalfa Seed Production Research Board, the California Department of Food and Agriculture has established an assessment rate for the 2019-2020 marketing season on alfalfa seed which has been cleaned, or caused to be cleaned, for marketing for any purpose, during the period of April 1, 2019, through March 31, 2020.

The assessment rate for the 2019-2020 marketing season has been set at a rate of twenty cents (\$0.20) per hundredweight (cwt.) on all alfalfa seed, with ten cents (\$0.10) per cwt. assessed on producers and ten cents (\$0.10) per cwt. assessed on conditioners (processors). The 2019-20 assessment rate is the same as last year.

Funds generated from this assessment are used to conduct general production research for the California alfalfa seed industry.

As is customary, assessment report forms will be mailed periodically from the Board office to conditioners for them to calculate, deduct and remit assessment payments for producers and conditioners.

If you have questions regarding the California Alfalfa Seed Production Research Program, please contact JD Allen, Manager of the Alfalfa Seed Production Research Board at (559) 591-4792. For questions about this assessment order, please contact Kacie Fritz with the Marketing Branch at (916) 900-5018.

Sincerely,

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