

To Whom it may Concern,

I approve of the request to be added to the connectivity grant portion of the application by 21st century equipment. As well I consent to any charges that may be incurred by this partnership as I see the benefits far out weight the cost and will be an essential step for our business moving forward. The ability to have seamless data transactions and updates has become imperative over the years and I do not foresee that changing. John Deere's entire business model appears to be centered around connection and access so anything that we can do to provide ourselves with that we will only help us move forward in that partnership and the greater economics of crop production.

I once again thank you for your consideration of this grant and look forward to hearing from you shortly.

- Matt Klingsman