

August 30, 2023

The Honorable Reggie Miller, Chair The Honorable Jerry Neyer, Ranking Member Committee on Agriculture Michigan House of Representatives Lansing, MI The Honorable Sue Shink, Chair The Honorable Kevin Daley, Ranking Member Committee on Natural Resources & Agriculture Michigan Senate Lansing, MI

Dear Chair Miller, Ranking Member Neyer, Chair Shink, Ranking Member Daley and members of the Michigan State Legislature:

In anticipation of HB 4673 being taken back up for consideration after summer recess, our association has partnered with manufacturers and our dealer members to host a dealer demonstration. The purpose of this demonstration is to provide information about the access to and availability of parts, tools, documentation, and diagnostics for self-repair. The demonstration will be a transparent look at what the industry does to support customer repair and will include an open format for legislators to ask questions.

What: Equipment Demonstration

Where: Hutson, Inc John Deere Dealership, 6018 E. Grand River Avenue, Portland, MI

When: September 12, 2023, 4:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.

Who: Legislators and Staff

Along with CNHI and John Deere, NAEDA and the dealers of Michigan would like to invite you to this hands-on event that will include actual demonstrations of the tools used by customers to fix their own equipment. We encourage all members of the legislature to attend this informative demonstration and bring their questions. Technical experts will be walking through repair scenarios and will be available to answer questions you have about the equipment technology and the availability of that technology to end users that includes customers and independent repair shops.

Please RSVP to ewareham@naeda.com no later September 8th.

Sincerely,

Eric Wareham Vice President of Government Affairs North American Equipment Dealers Association