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NEW OCPA EXECUTIVE FOR 2007/08

Guelph, Ontario. The inaugural meeting of the Ontario Corn Producers' Association's (OCPA) 2007/08 Board of Directors was held Monday, March 5th in conjunction with the OCPA's Annual General Meeting (AGM) in London. The Executive Committee for 2007/08 was announced at the conclusion of the AGM.

Mr. Dale Mountjoy, Director for OCPA Region 4 (Victoria, Durham, York, Simcoe, Muskoka, Parry Sound), was elected President for 2007/08. Dale has served in several capacities in his 4 years with the OCPA. "I am honoured to have been elected to serve as President by my fellow Directors," said Mr. Mountjoy. "Working through the Ontario Grain and Oilseeds coalition, we will continue our lobby efforts for a long-term, bankable and fully-funded Risk Management Program."

Mr. Mountjoy also commented on the successful working relationship that has been developed with OCPA and the Ontario Soybean Growers and Ontario Wheat Producers' Marketing Board which is evident with the joint 2007 Ontario Corn, Soybean & Wheat conference being our 3rd annual conference. "We appreciate the support of our industry partners in making the conference a success."

Elected to the Executive Committee for 2007/08:

Mr. Don Kenny, Director for Region 2 (Grenville, Ottawa-Carleton, Renfrew, Lanark, Leeds, Frontenac, Nippissing), First Vice-President and Chair of the Grain Trade and Market Development Policy Committee.

Mr. Jean-Marc Beneteau, Director for Region 16 (Essex), Vice-President and Chair of the Safety Nets Policy Committee.

Mr. Lloyd Crowe, Director for Region 3 (Northumberland, Peterborough, Haliburton, Lennox, Addington, Hastings, Prince Edward), Vice-President and Chair of the Environment, Technology and Research Policy Committee.

Mr. Doug Eadie, Director for Region 11 (Bruce/Grey), Past President

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