



Attention All Grain Producing Patrons:

Costs of doing business have risen sharply in virtually all operational areas, as you know. Maintenance & repair costs, as well as labor, insurance, taxes and interest have all increased significantly in recent years; not to mention higher construction costs and utility rates.

In response to these increases, we've filed intentions with from Nebraska Public Service Commission to raise our Open Storage and Handling fee structure, effective **September 19th, 2022**. Please keep in mind that Country Partners will continue offering Price Later service charges (storage rates) at reduced costs per bushel.

Beginning **September 19th, 2022** the following Open Storage and Handling rates will go into effect:

Corn, Milo, Oats & Wheat will accrue at a rate of **\$0.00248/bu/day** (Approximately \$0.075 per month)

Soybeans will accrue at a rate of **\$0.00281/bu/day** (Approximately \$0.085 per month)

Grain Bank will accrue at a rate of **\$0.00248/bu/day** (Approximately \$0.075 per month)

Handling Charges (In/Out) will be **36 cents per bushel total** on all commodities.

AGAIN.....the above mentioned rates do NOT pertain to Price Later service charges (storage rates) or Price Later Policies.

Please check with your local Country Partners Cooperative grain location for more details. Thank you.

Cooperatively,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Scott Hillius". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Scott Hillius
Grain Vice President
Country Partners Cooperative