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## **Nebraska Secretary of State applauds new U.S.-Taiwan Agreement on Reciprocal Trade**

LINCOLN – Today, Secretary of State Bob Evnen applauded the new Agreement on Reciprocal Trade between the U.S. and Taiwan. The agreement was negotiated by the Trump Administration and U.S. Trade Representative Jamieson Greer. “This reciprocal trade agreement with Taiwan expands opportunities for Nebraska industries and businesses,” said Secretary Evnen.

Secretary Evnen led a trade delegation to Taiwan in late 2024, during which relationships were built with Taiwanese representatives and the Nebraska Corn Board, Nebraska beef exporters, the University of Nebraska Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources and the UNL College of Engineering. The new trade agreement will benefit Nebraska’s agriculture and high-technology sectors. Taiwan is one of Nebraska’s top export markets for beef, corn, processed grains, and soybeans. For the Nebraska agricultural industry, this agreement will all but eliminate 99% of tariff barriers. Taiwan is also committed to resolving and preventing non-tariff barriers for U.S. agricultural exports.

“Our trade mission in 2024 laid excellent groundwork for Nebraska’s industries, UNL Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources, College of Engineering, and agricultural producers,” said Secretary Evnen. “Trade agreements like this expand Nebraska’s economy beyond our borders, benefiting not only this generation but generations to come.”

The U.S. agreed to reduce tariffs on goods originating in Taiwan, opening the door to stronger trade partnerships with Nebraska businesses. To read the Office of USTR Fact Sheet, [click here](#).

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