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### **Soy Transportation Coalition elects officers**

Urbandale, Iowa – The new Soy Transportation Coalition Board of Directors has elected the officer team that will lead the 13-member voting board. The STC held its first board meeting recently in Chicago where the new directors elected three members to serve on the STC Executive Committee.

Dean Campbell of Coulterville, Ill., was elected chair of the STC board. Campbell and his wife, Cookie, own a farming operation that includes soybeans, corn, wheat and alfalfa. Campbell currently serves on the Illinois Soybean Association Board of Directors. He is active in the Illinois Farm Bureau, Illinois Corn Growers Association, Illinois Wheat Association and the Illinois Ag Leadership Foundation.

Dennis Feiken of LaMoure, N.D., is the new STC vice chair. Feiken, and his wife, Tammy, operate a soybean and wheat farm. Feiken is a member of the North Dakota Soybean Council where he serves as vice chair. Feiken is active in the North Dakota Farm Bureau and has served on the NDFB Board of Directors where he was chair for a term.

Ed Ulch of Solon, Iowa, will serve as secretary-treasurer of the STC board. He and his wife, Louella, own a crop and cattle operation. Ulch serves on the Iowa Soybean Association Board of Directors and is treasurer of the National Biodiesel Board. He is a member of the Lake McBride Watershed Advisory Committee and the Agribusiness Association of Iowa.

Newly-appointed members to the Soy Transportation Coalition Board of Directors include:

Roy Bardole, Rippey, Iowa, representing the United Soybean Board;  
Dean Campbell, Coulterville, Ill., representing the Illinois Soybean Association;  
Dennis Feiken, LaMoure, N.D., representing the North Dakota Soybean Council;  
Richard Fordyce, Bethany, Mo., United Soybean Board;  
Scott Gauslow, Colfax, N.D., representing the North Dakota Soybean Council;  
Greg Greving, Chapman, Neb., representing the Nebraska Soybean Board;  
Tom Hammer, Washington, D.C., president, National Oilseed Processors Association;  
Stan Hanson, Garretson, S.D., representing the South Dakota Soybean Research and Promotion Council;  
Norm Husa, Barneston, Neb., representing the Nebraska Soybean Board;  
Kendell Keith, Washington, D.C., president, National Grain and Feed Association;  
Ron Kindred, Atlanta, Ill., representing the American Soybean Association;

Larry Lewis, Ursa, Ill., representing the United Soybean Board;  
Joe Meyer, Williamsburg, Ind., representing the United Soybean Board;  
Steve Miller, Bucyrus, Ohio, representing the Ohio Soybean Council;  
David Niekamp, Coatsburg, Ill., representing the Illinois Soybean Association;  
Lynn Teel, Chalmers, Ind., representing the Indiana Soybean Alliance;  
Ed Ulch, Solon, Iowa, representing the Iowa Soybean Association;  
Randy Van Kooten, Lynnville, Iowa, representing the Iowa Soybean Association;  
Terry Vissing, Marysville, Ind., representing the Indiana Soybean Alliance; and  
John Wray, Ottawa, Kan., representing the United Soybean Board.

The Soy Transportation Coalition was recently established by seven state soybean organizations, the American Soybean Association, United Soybean Board, National Grain and Feed Association and National Oilseed Processors Association. The primary goal of the STC is to position the soybean industry to benefit from a transportation system that delivers cost effective, reliable, and competitive service. For information, go to the STC Web site: [www.soytransportation.org](http://www.soytransportation.org)

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