

Hello Justin,

The Potato Growers of MI, Inc would like to put in a card of support for HB 4673 (Right to Repair). I also received the following comment from a PGMI board member that we would like to submit:

“We have to be able to keep our equipment going. Dealers keep getting further away and less well staffed. Furthermore, and especially with specialized equipment the dealers’ employees don’t have any experience with the machine they’re asked to fix when they finally do arrive at our farm. We have always sought out equipment with dealers that will help us keep our equipment running (over the phone advice is huge-when a dealer is 3 hours away and back logged 10 days and we only have 3 weeks to get our crop out). This is ridiculous! (What’s really cool is when a dealer helps us fix a machine that’s a different color).” –Travis Horkey, Monroe County

I am going to be away from my computer but will have my phone and will be checking it periodically.

Please let me know if you need anything else from me.

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