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Minnesota Grocers Association Announces Pfuhl's Retirement

St. Paul, MN. – May 2, 2024 –The Minnesota Grocers Association (MGA) announces that President Jamie Pfuhl has informed the Board of Directors of her intention to retire from her position on August 30, 2024. Pfuhl has served as the MGA's President since 2006, starting her employment with the association in 1996. The MGA will continue to benefit from Pfuhl's experience and perspective as she serves the organization while the Board of Directors seeks her replacement.

"It has been the privilege of my professional life to serve the Minnesota Grocers Association, first as a team member then as its president," said Pfuhl. "I am very proud of the significant advancements we have made on behalf of this great industry. I extend my deepest gratitude to the MGA team, Board of Directors, and members. Without their support, our shared success would not have been possible. We have a great team and I have complete confidence that the MGA will continue to innovate and thrive." Pfuhl said.

Pfuhl's leadership has carried forward the foundations of this historic association. The successes in elevating industry's image, advancing industry careers, and raising a collective voice in advocacy has advanced the MGA. She is a true champion of the food industry of Minnesota. Pfuhl has effectively led the organization through good and challenging times, always focusing on the common good of our entire state.

"During her tenure, Jamie has provided the Minnesota Grocers Association with a clear vision, strong leadership, and admirable dedication," stated Chris Quisberg, Board Chair. "Her passion for the organization's mission has advanced our industry objectives. We appreciate her tireless advocacy on behalf of our members. She has strengthened the foundation of our storied organization and has elevated the voice of the food industry of Minnesota. She has the profound gratitude of the Board of Directors for her leadership and many years of service. We congratulate Jamie on her well-deserved retirement and wish her the very best," said Chris Quisberg.

Pfuhl plans to golf, travel, and simply relax with her husband. She will continue her civic service and use her talents to support organizations as a committed volunteer.

The Minnesota Grocers Association (MGA) is the only state trade association that represents the food industry of Minnesota from farm to fork. We are a legacy organization, having served the industry for over 125 years. We have over 300 retail, manufacturer, and wholesale members supporting nearly 1,300 locations statewide. Our member companies employ over 150,000 union and non-union Minnesotans. We actively advance the common interest of all those engaged in any aspect of the food industry as a leader and advocate in government affairs.

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