Dear Colorado Junior Angus Members,

Our Golden Trend Colorado Junior Angus Show is right around the corner and I am excited to invite all of you to participate! This year's show is on June 1 & 2 and will again be held at Colorado State University's Agricultural Research Development and Education Center (ARDEC) near Fort Collins.

I am excited because it is a great opportunity for us as young Angus breeders across Colorado to get together and not only show our cattle that we have and will be working hard with this summer, but also for our families to get to hang out with each other and compete, play and learn during the scheduled activities and eat the well-prepared food that CSU graciously provides for us.

I encourage you to bring your cattle as well as your speeches, photos, posters, knowledge, and ideas to help make this a fun, exciting, educational, and positively competitive event for everybody involved! For several members, this Colorado event will precede and help prepare them for participating in the 50<sup>th</sup> National Junior Angus Show in Madison, Wisconsin, July 7-13. If you haven't already made plans, give it some thought to join our Colorado delegation there!

Looking forward to seeing you at Golden Trend!

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