

Good Food 100 Restaurants Announces the 2020 Good Food Farmer & Purveyor of the Year Award Recipients

-Seven industry trailblazers honored for leading the way in changing the food system for good-

DENVER (November 24, 2020) – Today, <u>Good Food 100 Restaurants</u> announced the 2020 Good Food Farmer & Purveyor of the Year Award recipients, honoring producers and purveyors committed to sustainability and transparency. Nominated by the participating Good Food 100 Restaurant chefs and restaurateurs, this year's recipients are: **Weiser Family Farms** (Far West); **Ellis Family Farms** (Great Lakes); **Verrill Farm** (New England); **Cure Organic Farm and Ollin Farms** (Rocky Mountain), **West Georgia Farmer's Cooperative** (Southeast), **and McClendon's Select** (Southwest).

"The COVID-19 pandemic has increased people's desire for transparent and sustainable food choices. We're proud to honor the producers and purveyors who are working tirelessly to bring good food to our tables each and every day," said Sara Brito, co-founder and president, Good Food 100 Media Network. "Congratulations to all the 2020 Good Food Farmer & Purveyor Award recipients. We look forward to continuing our collective mission of creating a good food system for all."

The 2020 Good Food 100 Restaurants Good Food Farmer and Purveyor of the Year Awards honor and celebrate up to one farmer, rancher, fishermen or one purveyor/distributor nominated by the participating 2020 Good Food 100 chefs in each region based on their commitment to sustainability, transparency, and advancing good food practices. Winners are selected by the Good Food Media Network team based on the quantity and quality of the nomination forms.

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About Good Food 100 Restaurants

The Good Food 100 Restaurants™ is an annual list of restaurants that educates eaters and celebrates restaurants for being transparent with their business and purchasing practices. Carefully curated based on the quantitative measurement of chefs' sourcing data, the Good Food 100 spotlights those that are building a better food system by supporting every link of the food chain: the environment; plants and animals; farmers, ranchers, and fishermen; purveyors; restaurants; and eaters. The Good Food 100 is produced and published by the Good Food Media Network, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization dedicated to educating eaters by cultivating a conversation and community around the people and businesses changing the food system for good. For more information, please visit www.goodfood100restaurants.org. Follow Good Food 100 Restaurants on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.

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