# UPDATES FROM NCDA&CS MARKETING DIVISION

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### **ABOUT ME**

- ► GRADUATED FROM NC A&T STATE UNIVERSITY IN MAY 2017 & DECEMBER 2018
- ► INTERNED AT NCDA&CS FOR 1 YEAR WITH SMALL FARMS DIVISION
- ► EMPLOYED BY NCDA&CS SINCE OCTOBER 2019
- ► MARKETING SPECIALIST SINCE MID-SEPTEMBER 2023
- MY COMMODITIES ARE BLUEBERRIES, HONEY, PEACHES, PECANS, GREENHOUSE VEGETABLES & ORGANICS

### MARKETING DIVISION

- RESTRUCTURING
- DOMESTIC-includes horticulture
- MULTIMEDIA- GTBNC Program, art department, audio/videography, social media, advertising, nutrition
- ► INTERNATIONAL- exports
- AGRIBUSINESS/ GRADING SERVICES/ MARKET NEWS
- FARMERS MARKETS(Asheville, Charlotte, Greensboro, Raleigh)/ AG CENTERS (Western, Southeastern, JB Hunt Horse Complex, Bob Martin Eastern
- ► LIVESTOCK- grade cattle sales

#### **MARKETING**

- Future Farmers Market events (bigger events, better promotion, news coverage, "mini festival"... BIGGER IMPACT!
- National Produce Shows
- Flavors of Carolina
- Grant- \$5,000 (social media, ads, brochures to promote NC Peaches)

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