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### **Dr. Peter Timoney Re-elected to NIAA Board of Directors**

COLORADO SPRINGS, CO— Dr. Peter Timoney, holder of the Frederick Van Lennep Chair in Equine Veterinary Science, University of Kentucky, was re-elected to serve a three-year term on the Board of Directors of the National Institute for Animal Agriculture. Dr. Timoney was re-elected during NIAA's annual meeting in Louisville, Ky., March 31-April 1.

NIAA's Board of Directors guides the organization's 213 members from the beef, dairy, swine, sheep, goat, equine and poultry industries. Membership includes national and state livestock, poultry and equine organizations as well as veterinarians, government regulatory personnel, academia, researchers, extension specialists, producers and allied industry businesses and organizations.

"Dr. Timoney is a gentleman, a scholar and a valuable asset to NIAA's Board," states Dr. Leonard Bull, chairman of NIAA. "We can always count on Dr. Timoney to look at challenges and find a way to overcome them and to provide unparalleled leadership. In a nutshell, Dr. Timoney has the knowledge, experience, independence and commitment to drive good corporate governance."

In addition to serving on NIAA's Board, Dr. Timoney serves on the American Horse Council's Health & Regulatory Committee, USDA's National Animal Health Surveillance System Advisory Committee the American Association of Equine Practitioners' Infectious Disease Committee and the U.S. Animal Health Association's Infectious Diseases of Horses Committee. He is past president of the World Equine Veterinary Association and was Director of the Maxwell H. Gluck Equine Research Center from 1989 through 2006. He is also the past Chair of the Department of Veterinary Science, University of Kentucky.

*The National Institute for Animal Agriculture provides a forum for building consensus and advancing proactive solutions for animal agriculture—the beef, dairy, swine, sheep, goats, equine and poultry industries—and provides continuing education and communication linkages for animal agriculture professionals. NIAA is dedicated to programs that work towards the eradication of disease that pose risk to the health of animals, wildlife and humans; promote a safe and wholesome from supply for our nation and abroad; and promote best practices in environmental stewardship, animal health and well-being. NIAA members represent all facets of animal agriculture.*

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