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To: Agronomy/Soil and Crop Sciences Department Alumni

From: Gary Peterson; Department Head

Re: Department History Available!

Thanks to Dr. Wayne F. Keim we now have an outstanding new publication entitled ***“A History of the Department of Agronomy/Soil and Crop Sciences at Colorado State University”***. At least 40 faculty and emeriti faculty members have contributed to this treatise. A dozen of these individuals have worked closely with Dr. Keim to create this interesting, informative, and very readable volume. You may receive your own personal copy for \$20 by filling out and returning the enclosed order form. Shipping and handling charges are included with the purchase of the book.

The History volume is 180 pages with over 130 photos. You will enjoy the very readable informal writing style and hopefully be reminded of some of your former professors and fellow students. It contains a complete list of graduates up through 2004 along with many interesting appendices. The following is a summary of the Table of Content:

Early History; Department Administration; Resident Instruction; Research-Crops; Research-Soils and Water; Research Soil and Crop Management; Cooperative Extension Programs; International Programs; Research Centers; State of the Department, 2004; numerous appendices with student names, Agronomy Club Presidents, Degrees awarded, etc.

Our department appreciates your interest and support over the years, and we would like the opportunity to get reacquainted with all of you. Please plan to attend our 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Alumni Reunion, which we will be hosting on 8 October 2005. The details about time and campus location will be forthcoming as the date draws nearer.

As always your gifts are greatly appreciated and are of great assistance in funding student and alumni events. If you wish, you may make a tax deductible contribution at the same time you purchase your copy of the History book by simply increasing the amount of your check or the amount on your credit card!

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