



The Western Canadian Wheat Growers Association

*“Providing Innovative
Farmer-Driven Solutions
for 37 Years.”*



Our Purpose

“to bring forth innovative farmer-driven solutions on behalf of forward thinking, progressive farmers in an effort to make farming more sustainable and profitable”



Policy Wins in 2006

- Positive changes to CAIS and cash advances
- Hopper cars
- CWB made subject to the Access to Information Act
- Modest CWB election reforms
- Good progress toward positive Canadian Grain Commission reform
- Some progress toward marketing choice



Determined future

- CGC reform
 - removal of HVK grading
 - optional bonding (Ag Clearing alternative)
 - eliminate KVD requirement
 - improved governance
- Ambitious WTO deal
- Greater pesticide harmonization
- Improve railway accountability and performance



Determined future

- Sound agricultural policy framework
- Science-based seed registration system
- Encourage viable biofuels industry
- CWB reform
 - Marketing Choice!
 - Improved pricing and payment options
 - Structural reform



Partnerships & Committee Representation

- Grain Growers of Canada
 - Canadian Agri-Food Trade Alliance (CAFTA)
- Western Grains Research Foundation
- Canadian Grain Commission – Western Grain Standards Committee
- GrainVision
- Agricultural Trade Negotiations Consultation Group
- FLAG and Farm Support Review Committee (Sask.)



*Thank you for your
continued support!*