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To: Regulated Handlers, Florida Marketing Area
From: Market Administrator, Louisville, Kentucky
Subject: Distributing Plant Delivery Credit Fund Assessment

Effective March 1, 2024, the Distributing Plant Delivery Credit Fund assessment rate for the Florida Marketing Area will be \$0.85 per hundredweight on all producer milk assigned to Class I.

The Distributing Plant Delivery Credit Fund assessment will be reflected on the Announcement of Advanced Class Prices and Pricing Factors for March 2024 released February 22, 2024.

The assessment is the result of the final rule [published in the Federal Register](#) on February 1, 2024. The rule amends the transportation credit balancing fund provisions in the Appalachian and Southeast Federal milk marketing orders (FMMOs) and establishes distributing plant delivery credits in the Appalachian, Florida and Southeast FMMOs.