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MARSHALL COUNTY YOUTH SELECTED AS TENNESSEE CATTLEMEN'S ASSOCIATION YOUTH AMBASSADOR

Murfreesboro, TN—The Tennessee Cattlemen's Association (TCA) recently selected Sorrell Martin of Petersburg, Tennessee, as one its 2019 Youth Ambassadors.

Martin is the 17-year-old daughter of Jeanie Garrell of Marshall County. Martin has deep roots in the cattle industry and raising Hereford cattle alongside her mother, and three sisters. In addition to raising and showing Hereford cattle, she is highly involved in 4-H and cross country at Cornersville High School, and a devoted advocate for the agriculture industry.

Melinda Perkins, Director of Youth Programs and Outreach, is eager to work with Martin this year. "I am excited to work with Sorrell and the other Youth Ambassadors this year. Sorrell's leadership background and passion for advocating will serve our youth members well."

"The chosen Youth Ambassadors are a diverse group that can cover a wide range of knowledge, experience, and skills," said Martin. "I am excited to have the opportunity to represent the Tennessee cattle industry in this capacity."

The purpose of the TCA Youth Ambassadors is to promote the well-being of the cattle industry, to further encourage youth involvement and cooperation in the cattle industry. 2020 TCA Youth Ambassador applications will be available in Fall 2019.

TCA was founded in 1985 and has more than 7,000 members from across the state and the southeast. The organization works to provide the cattlemen of Tennessee with an organization through which they may function collectively to protect their interests and work toward the solution of cattle industry problems and to build the necessary goodwill that will bring both governmental esteem and recognition to the industry.

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