

# FLORIDA PEANUT PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION



- **RESEARCH**

- **PROMOTION**

- **EDUCATION**

# RESEARCH

- OVER 1/3 OF OUR BUDGET IS USED FOR RESEARCH
- UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA
- THE PEANUT FOUNDATION
- THE PEANUT INSTITUTE

# PROMOTION

- PROMOTIONAL PROGRAMS DESIGNED TO INCREASE CONSUMPTION OF PEANUTS AND PEANUT PRODUCTS
- INCREASE THE AWARENESS OF THE HEALTH AND NUTRITIONAL BENEFITS OF PEANUTS

# EDUCATION

- EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS FOR STUDENTS
- EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS FOR PRODUCERS
- EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS FOR CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION,  
LEGISLATORS AND THEIR STAFF

# SOUTHERN PEANUT GROWERS CONFERENCE

- JULY 19, 20, 21

- SANDESTIN GOLF AND BEACH RESORT



# 2018 FARM BILL

- U.S. HOUSE AND SENATE HELD FIELD HEARINGS AND LISTENING SESSIONS
- SOUTHERN PEANUT FARMERS FEDERATION HAD WITNESSES AT EACH ONE
- CHAIRMAN OF THE HOUSE AG COMMITTEE SAYS 2018 FARM BILL MARK-UP COULD BE AS EARLY AS LATE MARCH
- THE BILL WOULD GO TO THE FLOOR SHORTLY AFTER
- THE SENATE WILL LIKELY FOLLOW

# BUDGET DEAL ELIMINATES GENERIC BASE

- SEED COTTON ELIGIBLE FOR PLC/ARC
- EFFECTIVE FOR 2018 CROP
- SEED COTTON REFERENCE PRICE IS 36.7 CENTS PER POUND
- GENERIC BASE NO LONGER EXISTS

# BUDGET DEAL ELIMINATES GENERIC BASE

- GENERIC BASE WILL BE CONVERTED IN ONE OF TWO WAYS
  1. 80% OF GENERIC BASE CONVERTED INTO SEED COTTON BASE
  2. 100% OF GENERIC BASE CONVERTED INTO OTHER COVERED COMMODITIES PLANTED FROM 2009-2012.



# BUDGET DEAL INCLUDES DISASTER ASSISTANCE

- \$2.36 BILLION FOR FLORIDA PRODUCERS
- DETAILS WILL BE COMING SOON ON SIGN UP

# PEANUT SUPPLY

- 2017 PRODUCTION ----- 3,531,275 TONS
- DEMAND -----2,850,000 TONS
- IMPORTS ----- 10,000 TONS
- CARRYOVER ----- 1,284,915 TONS

# PEANUT SUPPLY

- WE HAVE OVERSUPPLY
- NEED 29% REDUCTION IN PLANTED ACRES TO GET TO A FAVORABLE SUPPLY AND DEMAND POSITION

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