

## Dave Lemke

Having been a small family dairy farmer and still helping daily on family dairies I am strongly against the expansion of the large dairy Cafos. Water usage and manure application problems are without a doubt some of the more troubling aspects of these operations. Also there is currently an oversupply of milk that is driving prices down to all dairy farmers. Who in their right mind wants to create more milk and lower prices on their own product. We have already decimated the small farming communities in Minnesota. We here complaints about how far a veterinarian or machinery dealer or dairy parts facility are from these large dairies. More expansion of dairy will only cause more destruction to Minnesota and its people.