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June 22, 2020

The Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development
Dislocated Worker Unit
P.O. Box 7972
Madison, WI 53707

RE: Notice of Business Closing

Dear Members of the Dislocated Worker Unit:

Graceland Fruit Wisconsin, Inc. has permanently closed its facility at 23929 Aspen Ave., Warrens, WI on Friday June 19, 2020. After several months of intense negotiations to strike a mutually beneficial agreement between CranGrow, their creditor CoBank and Graceland, we were unable to reach an agreement. Graceland was informed on Wednesday June 10 that CranGrow had decided to work with a new partner.

This action is expected to result in the permanent elimination of 56 hourly and 9 salary positions. The company expects to begin eliminating positions on Thursday June 18, 2020 and will continue in phases until complete closure on Date, 2020.

The hourly employees are not represented by organized labor.

The company will ensure that employees will be paid all earned wages and agreed upon benefits on the June 26, 2020 payroll.

If you need additional information, please feel free to contact me at (231) 352-2008.

Sincerely,

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