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Mr. David Mathews: I support the petition for active ingredient Spinosad be Certified Organic. I have tested this product against European Corn Borer and Corn Earworm on sweet and seed corn. No other product with potential use for organically controlling those two corn insect pests have anywhere near the efficacy. Earle S. Raun, PhD, BCE,CPCC-I.