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## NATIONAL AG SCIENCE CENTER 21st ANNUAL AG HALL OF FAME INDUCTEE

**Garton Tractor** 

**MODESTO, California; June, 2018** – The National Ag Science Center is pleased to announce the confirmation of Garton Tractor's induction into the Ag Hall of Fame. "Garton Tractor is a tremendous supporter of Stanislaus County communities, educational efforts, and charitable work. They are a quiet collaborative presence at so many events," stated NASC Executive Director, Dr. Emily Lawrence.

The annual induction ceremony is a time where the community comes together to recognize the accomplishments of individuals, families and companies who have contributed to Stanislaus County's role as one of the nation's leading agricultural counties. Garton Tractor, a family owned and operated business for over 60 years, and in its fourth generation, takes pride in quality, customer service, and the shared values of honesty, integrity, and respect. Their motto is Quality People Quality Products® this reflects their belief of putting people first and standing behind the products they sell.

Garton Tractor, with locations from Ukiah to Tulare, offers a comprehensive catalog of agricultural machinery and services. Locally, Garton Tractor supports a variety of nonprofits and charitable organizations with tickets, sponsorships and equipment donations. From the blue pedal tractors to Kawasaki Mule utility vehicles, Garton is visible in almost all events tied to California's agriculture.

Paul Huckaba, NASC Board President commented, "The support that Garton Tractor has consistently given its customers over the years makes them an exceptional inductee for the Stanislaus County Ag Hall of Fame. It is not simply their customers that they support, it is the community as a whole and we all could not do what we do without them."

This year's Gala Induction Ceremony will be held on Friday, November 9, 2018 at a new location- the Larsa Banquet Hall located in Denair, CA. Event details will be announced in the coming weeks. Please visit the NASC website to sign-up for emails regarding this event <a href="www.agsciencecenter.org">www.agsciencecenter.org</a>. For more details regarding event sponsorship and underwriting opportunities please contact Katrina Kane at admin@agsciencecenter.org