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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PRODUCTION REPORT

FARGO, N.D., July 10, 2020 - Based on July 1 conditions, North Dakota's 2020 **other spring wheat** crop is forecast at 263 million bushels, down 10% from last year, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Average yield is forecast at 45 bushels per acre, down 4 bushels from 2019. Area to be harvested for grain is estimated at 5.85 million acres, down 2% from a year ago.

Durum wheat production is forecast at 27.0 million bushels, up 6% from last year. Average yield is forecast at 35 bushels per acre, down 7.5 bushels from 2019. Area to be harvested for grain is expected to total 770,000 acres, up 28% from a year ago.

Winter wheat production is forecast at 1.40 million bushels, down 62% from last year. Average yield is forecast at 40 bushels per acre, down 13 bushels from 2019. Area to be harvested for grain is estimated at 35,000 acres, down 50% from a year ago.

Barley production is forecast at 26.8 million bushels, down 16% from last year. Average yield is forecast at 63 bushels per acre, 9 bushels lower than 2019. Area to be harvested for grain is estimated at 425,000 acres, down 4% from last year.

Oat production is forecast at 8.63 million bushels, down 13% from last year. Average yield is forecast at 69 bushels per acre, down 17 bushels from 2019. Area to be harvested for grain is estimated at 125,000 acres, up 9% from a year ago.

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