



January 6, 2026

In early December, we wrote to let you know that your board formally voted to recommend a merger with Sunrise Cooperative and Mercer Landmark. Since then, your board has been working with the other co-op boards to agree upon the details of merger documents and the timing of member voting.

With those steps now accomplished, **we invite you to attend one of 8 informational meetings regarding the proposed three-way merger.** During these meetings, the Board of Directors and I will present information about Sunrise and Mercer, as well as details on the proposed merger. This will be our opportunity to share why we believe that this proposed cooperative will bring more value to you in terms of products, services and financial wherewithal.

The meeting dates have been spread out geographically and offered at various times. It is our hope that this provides you an opportunity to attend and ask questions:

January 22	10:30 am	Centerra Ashland office – 813 Clark Ave, Ashland OH
January 22	5:30 pm	Buckeye Ag Museum – 877 W Old Lincoln Way, Wooster OH
January 23	10:00 am	Centerra Loudonville Chem Building – 16570 St. Rt 3, Loudonville OH
January 29	5:30 pm	Gordon Farms – 43191 Jones Rd, Wellington OH
February 3	1:30 pm	Centerra Volant Office – 193 Black Rd, Volant PA
February 3	5:30 pm	Norden Manufacturing – 4210 Kinsman Rd, North Bloomfield, OH
February 4	10:00 am	Centerra Cambridge Springs – 225 Railroad St, Cambridge Springs PA
February 4	5:30 pm	Andover Showplace – 33 Public Square, Andover OH

In this envelope you will find:

- Merger Guide
- Merger Document and Exhibits

Following the informational meetings, we will mail the ballots along with instructions and return envelopes to each voting member. Our external auditor and the Centerra board of directors will count your votes during a special meeting on March 16, 2026. We will promptly notify you of the results.

One key point to notice in the merger document is that your common stock and equity in Centerra would transfer \$ for \$ to the new cooperative. Another point is that you are being asked to vote on a 3-way merger; for Centerra to be part of the new cooperative, all 3 cooperatives' members must vote in favor.

There's a lot of material in the enclosed merger guide. As your reading time may be limited, I would draw your attention to the letters from each co-op, as well as the FAQ and Investments sections. What jumps out from these 3 sections is the farmer-first culture of each of the 3 co-ops. Each has been investing heavily in areas their members say are important.

Please mark your calendar to attend one of these important meetings so we can share our thoughts on why this merger is recommended and answer your questions.

Thank you for your business and support of our cooperative.



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