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MGEX Reaches Best Open Interest Ever

MINNEAPOLIS – MGEX, a Designated Contract Market (DCM) and Derivatives Clearing Organization (DCO), has recorded its highest open interest total of all-time, closing Wednesday's activity at 97,145 contracts. This surpasses the previous record set on February 13, 2017 with 95,596 contracts.

This is the fifth day this month the Exchange has seen a top 25 open interest figure. The Exchange has seen an increase in open interest this past week, with a 42 percent increase occurring during the month. Open interest is currently 52 percent higher than at this time a year ago.

Total daily volume from Wednesday also finished at high numbers, concluding the day at 26,735, making it the 4th-best day. Six days this month have seen top 15 daily volume numbers, including the best daily volume total ever, when 33,453 contracts traded on June 13.



About MGEX

MGEX, a Designated Contract Market (DCM) and Derivatives Clearing Organization (DCO), was established in 1881 and is the only market for Hard Red Spring Wheat (HRSW), Apple Juice Concentrate (AJC), National Corn Index (NCI), National Soybean Index (NSI), Hard Red Winter Wheat Index (HRWI), Hard Red Spring Wheat Index (HRSI), and Soft Red Winter Wheat Index (SRWI) futures and options, as well as for HRSW calendar spread options (CSOs). To learn more about MGEX visit www.mgex.com.