



## NATGA-MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

**For**

### **Research Support**

This Memorandum of Agreement is made between North American Truffle Growers Association (NATGA) a not for profit 501(c) 3 Association and Michigan State University. Whereas Dr. Greg Bonito, representing the University and Department of Plant Soil and Microbial Sciences desires to obtain a Letter of research support in the field of Truffle propagation titled *Microproagation and mycorrhizal inoculation of disease-resistant Chestnut germplasm*'.

NATGA and the University declare that by executing this Agreement, they each affirm their intention to develop cooperation in areas of common interest to benefit the NATGA members. The agreed upon objectives resulting from this Agreement are as follows:

- Short Summary of the proposed research with NATGA stakeholder relevance to be listed on the NATGA Website Research Tab
- Semi-Annual updates of research progress to coincide with the publishing of the NATGA Newsletter. Jan/June of each calendar year.
- Presentation of final research to the members of NATGA via webinar or in person at the Annual Conference.
- Summary of final research to be available to NATGA members posted on the website under Research Resources.

It is agreed upon that in the performance of the above tasks derived from the specific agreements, each Party will exercise its reasonable efforts so that the outlined objectives are achieved and confirm that no financial commitments have been made to either Party.

Karen Passafaro, NATGA President

Date

January 4, 2022

Dr, Greg Bonito, Michigan State University

Date:

January 4, 2022