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The National Family Farm Coalition stands in solidarity with the Brazil's Landless Workers Movement, Movimento dos Trabalhadores Rurais Sem Terra (MST), and the Quilombo Campo Grande camp. The violent actions against the Landless people of Brazil, including many children and the elderly, are inexcusable. The wresting for control of the Quilombo Campo Grande Camp over the past 24 hours is yet another grab by those who want to prevent farmers – including Landless, Indigenous, Black, Latinx, and brown farmers – from having access to land for sustenance and livelihoods.

We believe access to land, seeds, water, housing, healthcare, education, and food is a basic human right. We fight against the corporate domination of our basic rights daily in our work in the United States and we stand in solidarity with the MST and others fighting for such rights across the globe.

We send our gratitude to the people standing their ground and call on the international community to demand an end to the violence against them and mother nature.

In solidarity,

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NFFC's mission is to mobilize family farmers, ranchers, and fishermen to achieve fair prices, vibrant communities, and healthy foods free of corporate domination.

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