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he Jersey breed lost a great friend and staunch supporter, Bill Mason, in November. He admirably served the Jersey breed as a Director and President of National All-Jersey Inc. for many years. His intellect, keen wit and ability to lead in his own way were just a few of his many qualities that I admired through the years. Our friendship began decades ago in Idaho and continued during our time together as presidents of the Associations. The Jersey breed will miss his support of component pricing and the Equity Program, his genetic contributions as a Master Breeder and his willingness to offer good common sense advice to those of us in need of it. Bill would say that we need to leave things in better shape than they were when we started. Thanks Bill, the Jersey community will surely miss you!

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