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Harry L. Ott, Jr. comes to the Farm Service Agency directly from the South Carolina House of Representatives where he was the former Minority Leader. He was first elected to the state legislature in 1998 and went on to serve on the House Ways and Means and Public Utilities Review Committees. Mr. Ott has also served as President of the Calhoun County Farm Bureau, a state director of the South Carolina Farm Bureau, member and chair of the Calhoun County School District Board of Trustees, member of the Calhoun County Development Commission, and a Little League baseball coach. He graduated from Clemson University in 1974. Today he and his brother produce cotton, corn, and peanuts in Calhoun County where he and his family reside. He is a lifelong member of Andrew Chapel United Methodist Church. We look forward to the contributions he will make to FSA in South Carolina.