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James R. Gargano, Jr., IFAS, CRP is the President of Bomba Gargano Valuation, Inc., a full-service appraisal firm, with a specialty in Relocation. He has been in the appraisal profession for 30 years, and is a State Certified General Appraiser in Illinois.

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