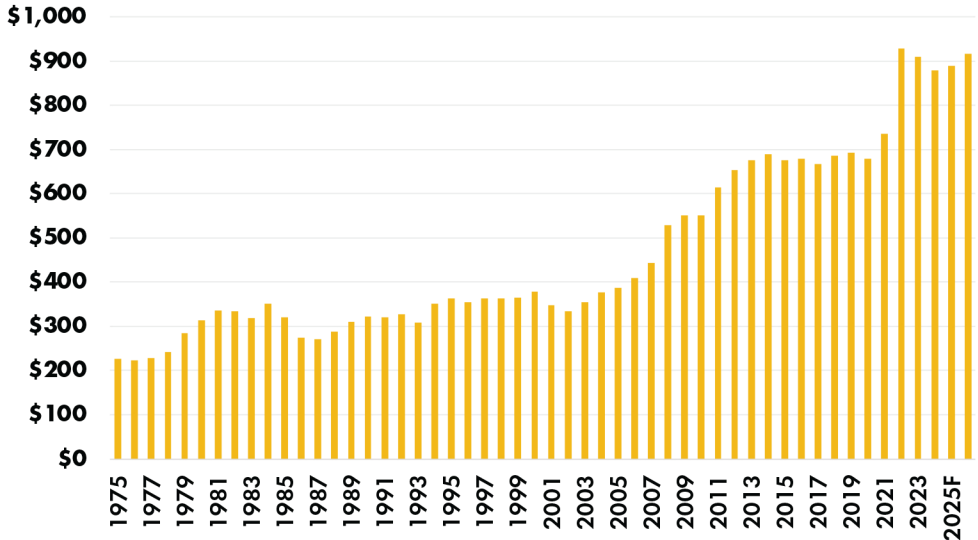


Stifling Corn Production Costs

Average cost to grow an acre of corn is steadily rising.



Source: USDA NASS, ERS Cost of Production Nov 2025 Data, Forecasts as of Dec 2025, NCGA Calculations as of 2/11/26