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The time has come after almost eleven and a half years to say goodbye and wish all of you the horticultural best. It's been quite the adventure. Many things have changed since I started in May of 1998. The cost of the program was \$65.00, we had a large three ring binder with horticulture publications and a brief outline of most of the chapters, we were using the Iowa Communication Network for part of the training and the class on campus experience consisted of Entomology and Plant Pathology. Now, we have a workbook and resource guide, website, utilize Adobe Connect for part of the training, and have a very hands-on class on campus experience focusing on Entomology, Plant Pathology, Soils and Botany. Yes, many things have changed, but one has remained constant. You! All of you who help make your communities better through the Iowa Master Gardener program. Keep up the great work!

I will continue my responsibilities through September 22.

Best wishes to all of you and goodbye!

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