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Susan Sutherland is the owner and operator of Wild Spirit Ranch located in Colorado. Previously she worked at CME Group and CBOT in the Agricultural Product Business Line for 21 years. During this time, Susan worked with organizations including the U.S. Soybean Export Council, the U.S. Grains Council, U.S. Wheat Associates, multiple Ag focused brokerage firms and many additional Ag related associations. These entities engaged her as a subject matter expert on agricultural risk management and market related content to educate many audiences in North America, Europe, North Africa, the Middle East, Asia and Latin America. She also serves as an advisory board member for the Women in Agribusiness organization. When not focusing on the agricultural business sector, Susan enjoys serving as the Executive Director of the Mustang Ambassador Program, a not-for-profit organization that engages formally wild mustangs in equine-assisted learning programs to provide life and leadership skills to youth in Colorado.