

COVER CROPS  
&  
SOIL HEALTH FORUM

February 18, 2014

~ **FREE WORKSHOP** ~

3 CCA Credits

Pesticide recertification credits applied for

Coffee, snacks and a catered  
Italian lunch will be provided

**Space is Limited!!**

To plan for lunch, registration is required.  
Please let us know of any dietary restrictions.

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Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Farm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

PROGRAM - FEBRUARY 18, 2014

- 8:30am Registration & refreshments
- 8:50am Welcome
- 9:00am **Minimizing and Mitigating Crop Losses**  
*Linda Grames, USDA Farm Service Agency*  
*Becky Sideman, UNH Extension*
- 9:30am **NRCS Assistance with Cover Cropping & Soil Health**  
*Brandon Smith, NH NRCS*
- 9:45am BREAK
- 10:00am **Live-Streamed Video Broadcast of the National Conference on Cover Crops & Soil Health**,  
from Omaha Nebraska. The broadcast will feature:  
*Howard G Buffett, Howard G. Buffett Foundation*  
*Tom Vilsack, Secretary of Agriculture*  
*Ray Gaesser, American Soybean Association*  
A panel of expert producer conservationists from  
Ohio, North Dakota, Indiana and Iowa.
- 11:45am Lunch\*\*
- 12:45pm **General Overview on Cover Cropping in Northern New England**  
*Eric Sideman, Maine Organic Farmers & Gardeners Association*
- 1:30pm **Successes & Challenges with Cover Cropping in NH**  
Expert Farmer Panel and Farmer to Farmer  
Facilitated by Olivia Saunders, UNH Extension  
*Dorn Cox, Tuckaway Farm, Lee, NH*  
*Bruce Wooster, Picadilly Farm, Winchester, NH*  
*Pooh Sprague, Edgewater Farm, Plainfield, NH*  
*Steve Turaj, UNH Extension, Coos county*  
*and others..... Please come share your expertise.*
- 3pm Depart

\*\* Lunch is provided courtesy of the New Hampshire Association of Conservation Districts

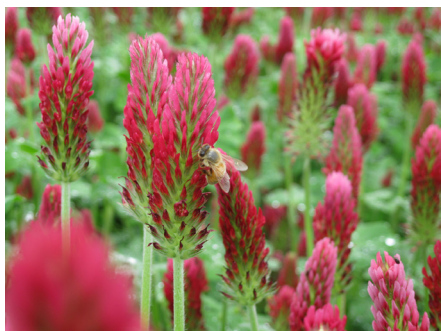
LISTEN TO THE LIVE BROADCAST OF THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON COVER CROPS AND SOIL HEALTH and join the discussion about soil health, improved yields, preventing erosion, managing pests, and building resilience in your farming system. In 200 locations across the Northeast, farmers and farm advisors will have an opportunity to learn from one another while exploring local and national perspectives on cover crops.

DIRECTIONS TO NH AUDUBON CENTER

1. Take I-89 in Concord to Exit 2 for Clinton Street/Route 13.
2. Go left off ramp. (Same direction for both ramps).
3. Turn right at first blinking light, onto Silk Farm Road.
4. Entrance to Center and Sanctuary is on the left. See sign.

QUESTIONS ABOUT REGISTERING?

Call 603-223-6023



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