

## Managing your inputs for healthy soils...

# Thursday, March 13, 2014

Heartland Community College 1500 W Raab Rd., Normal (CCA – 5.0 SWM CEUs applied for – watch registration websites for updates\*)

## – AGENDA –

8:15 – 8:45 a.m. Registration Refreshments & Meet with Exhibitors

8:45 - 9:00 a.m. Welcome & Opening Remarks

- 9:00 9:15 a.m. Why Cover Crops make sense for the World and Illinois- Howard Buffett –Video Presentation
- 9:15 10:15 a.m. Nutrient Efficiencies, Howard Brown, Growmark, Inc.
- 10:15 10:30 a.m. Networking Break & Refreshments
- 10:30 11:00 a.m. Concurrent Sessions
  - 1) Strip-Till Corn, Jason Lay, McLean Co. Farmer
  - 2) Continuous No-till w/ Cover Crops, Steve Berger, Iowa Farmer
  - 3) Trends in No-till Soybeans, Matt Hughes, McLean Co. Farmer

11:05 - 11:40 a.m. Repeat Concurrent Sessions 1, 2, and 3

- 11:40 12:10 p.m. Water Quality Innovation Sessions
  1) Saturated Buffers, Steve Baker, Springfield Plastics
  2) Drainage Water Management, Ruth Book, NRCS
- 12:15 1:00 p.m. p.m. Lunch and Meet with Exhibitors
- 1:00 3:00 p.m. How Do You Manage Cover Crops?, Dr. Joel Gruver, WIU; Dr. Shalamar Armstrong, ISU; Farmer Panel Discussion
- 3:00 3:30 p.m. Unlocking the Secrets in the Soil Ivan Dozier, NRCS State Conservationist
- 3:30-5:00 p.m. Meet and Greet with Exhibitors & Speakers (Note to CCA's: 5.0 SWM CEU's applied for )

### **REGISTRATION**

DEADLINE IS March 1, 2014 - Preregistration with payment is required!

#### On-line (credit card) registration can be made at: http://www.ccswcd.com.

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Mail Registration: Complete and detach this clipsheet and send to appropriate address below:

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Please make check payable to: Champaign Co SWCD and mail to: CC Seminar, Champaign Co. SWCD 2110 W. Park Court, Suite C Champaign, IL 61821		Norr	Normal Cover Crop Seminar		Total	
			Number of Reservations	\$20/person		
			# of Student Reservations	\$10/person		

For more info, or if special accommodations are needed to attend, call Joe Bybee (815)787-5480 or email joe.bybee @Illinois.gov.