



- What: “Doing Things Right Farming for the Future” Conference sponsored by the Coalition to Support Iowa’s Farmers
- When: Aug. 24, 9 a.m. — 4 p.m.
- Where: Best Western Starlite Village in Fort Dodge
- Agenda:
- 8:00 a.m. Registration and Refreshments
  - 9:00 a.m. Welcome
  - 9:15 a.m. The Benefits of Modern Livestock Farms in Iowa  
*Dr. Steve Sapp, ISU Professor of Sociology*
  - 10:15 a.m. Water Quality Enforcement: Outlook from the Industry and Regulators  
*Moderator: Chris Gruenhagen, Iowa Farm Bureau*  
*Eldon McAfee, Beving, Swanson & Forrest, P.C.*  
*Gene Tinker, Iowa DNR*  
*Dan Breedlove, Attorney, EPA Region VII*
  - 12:00 p.m. Lunch and Board Bus for Dayton
  - 1:00 p.m. On-Farm Welcome  
*AJ and Kellie Blair, hog and cattle farmers, Dayton*  
  
Livestock Market Outlook  
*Shane Ellis, ISU Livestock Economist*
  - 1:45 p.m. Walking Farm Tour: Implementation of Environmental Regulations  
*AJ and Kellie Blair*  
*Megan Ritter, Coalition to Support Iowa’s Farmers*  
*Mike Sexton, Twin Lakes Environmental Services, LLC*
  - 2:30 p.m. Ask the Expert: Regulatory Compliance Q&A  
*Eldon McAfee, Beving, Swanson & Forrest, P.C.*  
*Colin Johnson, Iowa Pork Industry Center*  
*Evan Vermeer, Consultant/Nutritionist*  
*Angela Rieck-Hinz, Iowa State University*
  - 3:30 p.m. Load Buses, Return to Fort Dodge
  - 4:00 p.m. Adjourn

Driving Directions: The Best Western Starlite Village is located on the north edge of Fort Dodge at the junction of Hwys 169 and 7 (or 2 miles north of the junction of Hwys 169 and 20).

Registration: There is no cost to attend but space is limited. To register, contact the Coalition at 515-225-5515 or [rcook@supportfarmers.com](mailto:rcook@supportfarmers.com).