

Mower County Soil Health Field Day



FRIDAY

Oct. 29, 2021

9:30 AM – 1:00 PM

**Cost: FREE with lunch provided
(RSVP REQUIRED by Oct. 28, 2021)**

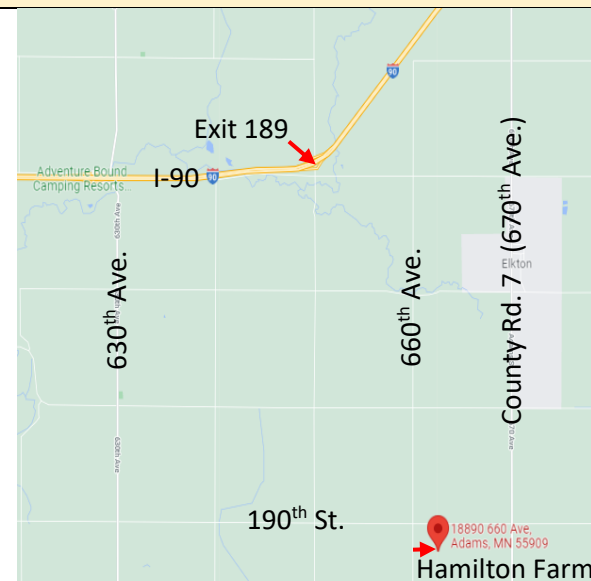
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Location: Terry & Cindy Hamilton Farm
18890 660th Ave., Adams, MN (See map)

Topics:

- Cover crop establishment in corn/soybean rotation
- Strip tillage
- Soil health topics
- Results of local and statewide soil health studies



Agenda

9:30 AM – 10:00 AM – Registration and Refreshments

10:00 AM – 10:45 AM. – Field tour of soils, cover crops, strip tillage

10:45 AM - 11:15 AM – Discussion with Hamilton Family

11:15 AM- 11:45 AM – Presentations

- **Anna Cates** - University of Minnesota Extension
 - Principals of soil health
 - Statewide soil health study
- **Hava Blair** - University of Minnesota Graduate Research Assistant
 - Mower County soil health study from local farms
 - Biological and physical tests for soil health
 - Impact of soil health management
- **Steve Lawler** - Mower SWCD
 - Soils of Mower County

11:45 AM – 12:15 PM – Meet Partners in Soil Health

- Mn Soil Health Coalition
- Freeborn Soil Health Team
- Northern Country Coop
- Mn Dept. Agriculture
- Soil Health 101 Training
- Sustainable Farming Association
- Sand County Foundation
- Mower SWCD

12:15 PM – 1:00 PM – Lunch (**RSVP NEEDED TO GUARANTEE LUNCH**)

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