



Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

MIDWEST EXTENSION OUTLOOK & FARM MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

AUGUST 14-15, 2024

The North Central Farm Management Committee (NCFM) will meet on **Tuesday, August 13**, afternoon beginning at 12:00 pm, with lunch provided, and again Wednesday morning before the Midwest Extension Outlook Conference.

Wednesday | 8/14

DEAN'S AUDITORIUM, 241 PFENDLER HALL

Lunch On Your Own

12:30 PM - OUTLOOK FOR THE U.S. ECONOMY

Rick Mattoon, Federal Reserve Bank of Detroit

1:15 PM - FINANCIAL CONDITIONS ON U.S. FARMS

Michael Langemeier, Purdue University

1:45 PM - SOLAR FARMS & THE FOOD VERSUS FUEL DEBATE ALL OVER AGAIN: IS AGRIVOLTAICS THE SOLUTION?

Juan Sesmero, Purdue University

2:30 PM - BREAK

2:45 PM - HOG & PORK MARKET OUTLOOK

Lee Schulz, Iowa State University

3:30 PM - CATTLE & BEEF MARKET OUTLOOK

James Mintert, Purdue University

4:15 PM - LIVESTOCK MARKET OVERVIEW & DISCUSSION

Elliott Dennis, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

4:45 PM - PLANNING GROUP FOR 2025 EXTENSION OUTLOOK CONFERENCE

5:15 PM

Dinner On Your Own

Thursday | 8/15

DEAN'S AUDITORIUM, 241 PFENDLER HALL

7:30 AM

Light Breakfast Available in Pfendler Hall

8:00 AM - NASS CROP PRODUCTION UPDATE

Lance Honig, USDA-National Agricultural Statistics Service

8:45 AM - CORN MARKET OUTLOOK

Chad Hart, Iowa State University

9:30 AM - BREAK

9:45 AM - SOYBEAN MARKET OUTLOOK

Ben Brown, University of Missouri

10:30 AM - WHEAT MARKET OUTLOOK

Frayne Olson, North Dakota State University

11:15 AM - CROP MARKET OVERVIEW & DISCUSSION

Grant Gardner, University of Kentucky

11:45 AM

Lunch Provided in Pfendler Hall

12:45 PM - PRECISION AG TECHNOLOGY: MORE BUSHELS, LOWER COSTS OR NEITHER?

Chad Fiechter, Purdue University

1:30 PM - CORN BELT FARMLAND VALUES & CASH RENTAL RATES

Todd Kuethe, Purdue University

2:15 PM - AG POLICY & OUTLOOK FOR A 2024 FARM BILL

Brad Lubben, University of Nebraska-Lincoln

3:00 PM

Conference Adjourns



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