2015 Northwest Crop, Soil & Dairy Meeting

TILE DRAINAGE

AGENDA
January 20, 2015
10:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
American Legion
St. Albans, VT

10:00 – 10:15 a.m. - Welcome

10:15 – 10:45 a.m. – Steve Mahoney, Agronomic and Economic Benefits of Tile Drainage in the North Country.

10:45 – 12:00 p.m. – Larry Brown, Nuts and Bolts of Tile Drainage Systems and Basics to Tile Maintenance.

12:00 – 12:45 p.m. – Lunch, catered by Dairy Center Catering. Thank you!

12:45 – 1:30 p.m. – Matt Ruark, Wisconsin Perspective: Research on nutrient losses (surface and subsurface) from dairy farms followed by a discussion of possible in-field practices to reduce nutrient losses through tiles.

1:30 – 2:15 p.m. – Larry Brown, Ohio Perspective: Discussion of water management practices like drainage water management (NRCS-554), wood chip bioreactors (NRCS 787), and phosphate filters NRCS as well as some edge-of-field practices being implemented in the region.

2:15 – 2:30 p.m. – Break

2:30 – 3:30 p.m. – Eric Young and Kip Potter, Discussion of research being conducted on nutrient losses from tile drainage systems at Miner Institute including information on practices funded by NRCS.

3:30 – 4:15 p.m. – Jim Eikenberry, What to know before you install a tile system: state and federal regulations.

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