

A message from the MIA Directors

The Michiana Irrigation Association Board and Extension personnel are excited about the topics and guest speakers slated for the December 16 program. This workshop promises to be an informative day for irrigators and agri-business personnel.

The MIA Board of Directors

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CCA Credits Available:

1.5 Soil & Water, 0.5 Crop Management, 2 Professional Development

5 RUP Credits Available

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Winter Irrigation Workshop Map

Das Dutchman Essenhaus (Restaurant)

240 US Highway 20

Middlebury, IN 46540



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Michiana Irrigation Association Winter Workshop



Friday, December 16, 2022

8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Das Dutchman Essenhaus
Middlebury, IN

Workshop Agenda (RUP Credits Pending)

- 8:30 **Registration**
- 9:00 **Intensive Irrigated Corn and Soybean Management** - Dan Quinn, Assistant Professor of Agronomy, Purdue Extension Corn Specialist
- 9:30 **Comparing Water Policy from California to Michigan and Indiana** - Dr. Molly Sears, MSU Agricultural, Food and Resource Economics
- 10:00 **2022 Irrigation a Year in Review** - Dr. Jeff Andresen, MSU Professor of Geography, Weather and Agricultural Expert
- 10:30 **Break**
- 10:45 **Benefits of Evaluating Irrigation System Uniformity** - Dr Younsuk Dong, MSU, BAE
- 11:15 **Update on the Mi-WWAT and the \$10 Million in Federal Stimulus Dollars Granted to EGLE for Improvements to the Mi-WWAT** - Andy LeBaron, Michigan EGLE
- Noon **Lunch**
- 1:00 **MIA Business Meeting and Election of Board Members**
- 1:15 **Midwest Water Stewards Update: Significant Growth, Results and Impact** - Todd Feenstra, LPG, President of Tritium, Inc.
- 2:10 **Cultivate Your Community and Manage Your Farm's Message Online** - Chris Iott, Owner Social Sound
- 2:45 **Indiana Water Use Update** - Allison Mann and Mark Basch, Indiana DNR Division of Water
- 3:15 **Indiana Water Policy Update from Legislature** - State Senator District 13, Susan Glick

Irrigation Workshop Registration Form

Name _____

Organization _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

E-Mail _____

Cost: \$45 per person includes dues to MIA and Lunch

Pay by December 10, 2022

Make check payable to:

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