



Indiana Horticultural Conference Fresh Vegetables Agenda

January 22, 2024 – Hendricks County Fairgrounds

8:00-9:00 – Registration and light breakfast

9:00-9:30 – No-Till Sweet Corn, Liz Maynard, Horticulture & Landscape Architecture, Purdue University

9:30-10:30 – Pumpkin IPM, Dan Egel, Southwest Purdue Ag Center, Purdue University, Stephen Meyers, Horticulture & Landscape Architecture, Purdue University, Liz Maynard, Horticulture & Landscape Architecture, Purdue University, Laura Ingwell, Department of Entomology, Purdue University

10:30-11:00 – Coffee Break, refreshments provided

11:00-11:30 – Sweet potatoes, Stephen Meyers, Horticulture & Landscape Architecture, Purdue University

11:30-Noon – Investigations into Why Cantaloupe and Watermelon Wilt, Dan Egel, Southwest Purdue Ag Center, Purdue University

Noon-1:00 – Lunch, provided

1:00-2:00 – High Tunnel IPM, Kacie Athey, University of Illinois, Bronwyn Aly, University of Illinois

2:00-2:30 – Phytophthora Blight in Peppers, Dan Egel, Southwest Purdue Ag Center, Purdue University

2:30-3:00 – Coffee Break, refreshments provided

3:00-4:00—Irrigation Workshop for Vegetable Growers” Younsuk Dong, Michigan State University, Wenjing Guan, Horticulture & Landscape Architecture, Purdue University, Liz Maynard, Horticulture & Landscape Architecture, Purdue University

4:00-4:30 – PARP, Worker protection, Fred Whitford, Purdue University

5:00-7:30 – Evening Social