

Healthy Soils, Healthy Region Workshop
Small Group Workshops*
March 12th, 2019 1:00 PM – 4:30 PM

* *These workshops were originally planned for Columbia Basin Agricultural Research Center, but were moved indoors due to weather.*

Participants will break into groups according to their nametag assignments and participate in the small group workshops. All participants will learn about the NRCS In-Field Assessment, review protocol for soil health testing, as well as engage in pre-selected workshop tracks:

- **All Groups: NRCS In-Field Assessment** - Learn how to conduct an in-field soil health assessment with soil scientists. *Cory Owens (USDA-NRCS), Doug Finkelnburg (UI), Jennifer Moore-Kucera (American Farmland Trust), Dave Myrold (OSU), Allen Casey (USDA-NRCS), Aaron Roth (USDA-NRCS)*
- **All Groups: Protocol for Soil Health Testing** - How to take a sample and test for soil health. *Shannon Cappellazzi (Soil Health Institute), Leslie Michel (Okanogan CD), Deirdre Griffin (WSU), Doug Collins (WSU)*
- **Preselected Tracks:**
 - **Track 1 (Groups A & B): Using Web Soil Survey in the Field** - A hands-on primer on how to effectively use this tool. *Jennifer Moffitt (USDA-NRCS) & Jericho Winter (USDA-NRCS)*
 - **Track 2 (Groups C & D): Soil Pit** - Look at soil horizons, soil structure, and roots at eye level. *Jodi Johnson-Maynard (UI), Markus Kleber (OSU), Don Wysocki (OSU)*
 - **Track 3 (Groups E & F): Engaging Producers** - Learn strategies for talking to producers who don't have an existing interest in soil health. *Garrett Duyck (USDA-NRCS) & Robert Hathorne (USDA-NRCS)*

Group Name	A	B	C	D	E	F
1:00-1:45	NRCS In-field assessment 1; Room 4 Cory Owens & Doug Finkelnburg	Sampling protocol 1; Room 2 Shannon Cappellazzi & Leslie Michel	NRCS In-field assessment 2; Room 5 Jen Moore-Kucera & Dave Myrold	Sampling protocol 2; Room 6 Deirdre Griffin & Doug Collins	NRCS In-field assessment 3; Room 7 Allen Casey & Aaron Roth	Engaging Producers; Exhibitor Hall Garrett Duyck & Robert Hathorne
1:50-2:35		Web soil survey; Room 3 Jennifer Moffitt & Jericho Winter		Soil Pit; Room 1 Jodi Johnson Maynard, Markus Kleber & Don Wysocki		Sampling protocol 2; Room 6 Deirdre Griffin & Doug Collins
2:35-2:55	BREAK					
2:55-3:40	Sampling protocol 1; Room 2 Shannon Cappellazzi & Leslie Michel	NRCS In-field assessment 1; Room 4 Cory Owens & Doug Finkelnburg	Soil Pit; Room 1 Jodi Johnson Maynard, Markus Kleber & Don Wysocki	NRCS In-field assessment 2; Room 5 Jen Moore-Kucera & Dave Myrold	Engaging Producers; Exhibitor Hall Garrett Duyck & Robert Hathorne	NRCS In-field assessment 3; Room 7 Allen Casey & Aaron Roth
3:45-4:30	Web soil survey; Room 3 Jennifer Moffitt & Jericho Winter		Sampling protocol 1; Room 2 Shannon Cappellazzi & Leslie Michel			