



PRODUCE SAFETY RULE

Biological Soil Amendments of Animal Origin VIRTUAL WORKSHOP | August 2-4, 2021 | 12:30 - 4:30 p.m. CDT

DESCRIPTION: This three-day workshop will cover best practices for using and making biological soil amendments of animal origin (BSAAO) within the context of the Produce Safety Rule.

Growers will learn about the risks and benefits of BSAAOs, how to comply with the current requirements, and discuss the possible future of Subpart F provisions for the use of untreated BSAAOs on covered farms.

TARGET AUDIENCE: Produce Growers, Cooperative Extension associates, Composting and other BSAAO industry members

REGISTRATION:
Free to all participants! Register at bit.ly/BSAAO-Workshop-Registration

QUESTIONS? Contact Julia Fryer at (501) 410-0447 or jfryer@uada.edu.

- **Welcome** – Secretary Wes Ward, *Arkansas Department of Agriculture*; Dr. Bob Scott, *University of Arkansas System Division of Agriculture*
- **Overview of PSR Subpart F – BSAAO** – Dr. David Ingram, *FDA*
- **Basics of Composting and Excel Tool** – Eric Simon, *University of Arkansas System Division of Agriculture*
- **On-Farm Nutrient Management** – Dr. Karl VanDevender, *University of Arkansas System Division of Agriculture*
- **Virtual Field Trip at The Urban Food Loop** – Read Admire
- **Risks of Unintentional Application of BSAAOs** – Dr. Amanda Philyaw Perez, *University of Arkansas System Division of Agriculture*
- **Nutrient Application** – Dr. Karl VanDevender, *University of Arkansas System Division of Agriculture*
- **Updates on BSAAO Risk Assessment Activities** – Dr. David Ingram, *FDA*
- **FDA's Inspectional Approach** – Arturo DeLaGarza, *FDA*
- **State Regulatory Considerations** – Scarlet Waters, *Arkansas Department of Agriculture*
- **Industry Observations Panel** – Brian Pugh, *City of Fayetteville*; Read Admire, *The Urban Food Loop*; Richard Ims, *Food Recycling Solutions*; Lisa Ellington, *Paragould Light, Water, and Cable*
- **Soil Health** – Dr. Amanda McWhirt, *University of Arkansas System Division of Agriculture*
- **Virtual Field Trip to KW Heritage Farm** – Larry Karigan-Winter
- **Farmer Panel Discussion** – Larry Karigan-Winter, *KW Heritage Farm*; Josh Hardin, *Randy Hardin Farms*; Sean Pessarar, *Mindful Farmer*; Travis DeLongchamp, *St. Joseph Center of Arkansas*; Richard Ims, *Food Recycling Solutions*

