Managing Saline Soils

~Producer Workshop~

Monday, February 6, 2017

Prairie Place Complex, Arcola, SK

9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.



For more information & to pre-register by Thursday, February 2, contact:

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Agenda:

9:30 a.m. - Registration, Coffee/Donuts

10:00 a.m. - Welcome

10:10 a.m. – Soil Salinity – What is it, What Causes it and Case Studies of Various Techniques for Managing Salinity. - Marla Riekman, P.Aq, MSc, CCA – Manitoba Agriculture

11:00 a.m. – Economic and Agronomic Considerations of Farming Saline Land – Larry Durand, P.Ag,

MSc., CCA – Field Good Agronomics

11:40 a.m. - High Value Forage Program and Foxtail Barley Project - Ducks Unlimited Canada

12:00 p.m. - Lunch

1:00 p.m. - Validating Variable Rate with Profit Maps - David Renkas, Agri-Trend Coach

1:30 p.m. – Promoting Landscape Diversity on the Canadian Prairies for Sustainably Increased

Yield – Gregory Sekulic, P.Ag. – Canola Council of Canada

2:20 p.m. - Coffee Break

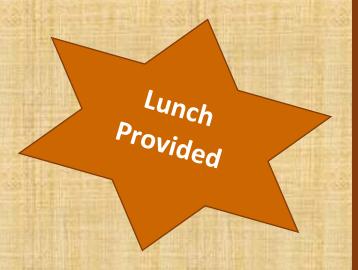
2:50 p.m. – Economic Considerations of Hay Production – Lorne Klein, Ministry of Agriculture

3:20 p.m. – Farm Stewardship Program & Farm & Ranch Water Infrastructure Program Updates

– Upper Souris Watershed Association & Lower Souris Watershed Committee

3:45 p.m. - Wrap Up and Adjourn





Information booth available about selecting saline tolerant species and other solutions for managing saline soils.