



NGFA's Annual Country Elevator/Feed Industry Conference & Trade Show

Dec. 6-8, 2009

Hyatt Regency Crown Center, Kansas City, Mo.

JUST CONFIRMED!!!

Two NEW major sessions have been added to the Monday, Dec. 7 program focusing on the impact of this year's late – and potentially yield-reduced, quality-challenged – corn and soybean harvest. In addition, a major session on grain and feed operations issues has been finalized for the Dec. 7 afternoon program. These sessions alone will be worth the trip! This is timely information you can take home and put to work right away to enhance the safety and the profitability of your business!

Domestic and Global Market Trends

Given this year's harvest delays, there's major interest in the impact on corn and oilseed supplies to meet market demand. What are the current trends shaping grain and oilseed markets? What impact will these trends have on usage of corn for biofuels? When may we see a turnaround in the hard-hit hog and dairy sectors? And what are the longer-term trends for grain and oilseed markets around the world? Our headline speaker is one of the nation's most knowledgeable and insightful market analysts:

Bill Hudson, Principal/Founder
The ProExporter Network, Olathe, Kan.

Managing and Sourcing Quality Grain in a Difficult Crop Year

This fall's high-moisture fall crop presents significant challenges to grain handlers concerning quality, grain drying and storage procedures. This session will provide an important refresher on steps you can take when receiving and storing grain to maintain and preserve commodity quality to the maximum extent possible, avoid grain dryer fires, and originate and ship the quality needed to meet contract obligations. Expert panelists will include:

Dr. Dirk Maier, Head, Department of Grain Science and Industry, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kan.
Robert Marlow, Regional Manager, The Andersons, Delphi, Ind.

Top Grain and Feed Operations Issues for 2010

A number of critically important operations issues of which managers and key employees should be fully aware have come to the fore recently and will affect grain and feed facility operations in 2010. This is your best opportunity to receive a concise, boiled-down version of what you really need to know, presented by knowledgeable regulatory and industry experts you can trust. Topics and speakers include:

Moderator: Jess McCluer, NGFA Director of Regulatory Affairs

“OSHA and EPA Developments Affecting Grain Handlers”

Kevin Danner, Environmental, Health and Safety Leader, West Central Cooperative, Ralston, Iowa

“Your Safety Matters”

Premier National Showing of New NGFA/GEAPS Safety DVD and Training Package

“EPA's Development of New Emission Controls for Feed Mills – What's the Latest?”

Paul Luther, Environmental, Health and Safety Leader, Land O'Lakes Purina Feed LLC, St. Louis, Mo.

“Food Defense and Facility Security – NGFA's Guide and Its Relevance for the Future”

Randy Gordon, NGFA Vice President
Communications and Government Relations

For complete program details, please visit www.ngfa.org/2009CE-FIC.cfm.

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(Nov. 16—Nov. 30)

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Special Needs: If you require special assistance or if you have specific dietary needs **including allergies**, please check box and attach an explanation.

REGISTRATION FEE: Includes admittance to entire program and trade show, program materials, refreshments, continental breakfasts on Dec. 7 and 8, luncheon on Dec. 7 and receptions on Dec. 6 and 7. The spouse registration fee includes Dec. 8 breakfast and two receptions as well as a special program on Dec. 8.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS: Call the Hyatt Regency Crown Center at (816) 421-1234 or (800) 233-1234 and identify with the National Grain & Feed Association to obtain the special room rate of \$129 + tax per night (single/double occupancy). **Room block cut-off date is November 5th.** After Nov. 5, the hotel will accept reservations based on availability at the NGFA group rate.

PAYMENT POLICY: To qualify for Early Bird rates, payment must accompany registration. For Early Bird faxed forms, payment must be received within 10 days of registration. Payments for registration after Nov. 16 must be received prior to Nov. 30 or will be billed at the higher onsite registration fee.

CANCELLATION POLICY: Registration fees will be refunded in full if cancellation notice is postmarked or faxed on or before November 16. Cancellation notices postmarked or faxed between Nov. 17 and Nov. 30 will be assessed a \$75 administrative fee. No refunds will be provided to any person canceling or failing to give notice of cancellation after Nov. 30.

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