



# South Dakota's Soil Health Challenge

**DATE:** January 31, 2017

**LOCATION:** Wall Community Center, Grand Hall

**TIME:** 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

- 9:00 AM **Registration**
- 9:30 AM Welcome
- 9:45 AM Western South Dakota Soils, Kent Cooley, Soil Scientist, NRCS, Rapid City, SD
- 10:30 AM Break
- 10:45 AM Alkaline Soils in SD: Defining the Problem and Management Options, Dr. Cheryl Reese, SDSU, Brookings
- 11:45 PM **Lunch**
- 12:45 PM Why is Everyone Talking about Soil Microorganisms? Dr. Mike Lehman, USDA-ARS, Brookings, SD
- 1:45 PM The Power of Crop Rotation, Cover Crop Establishment and Grazing, Dwayne Beck, SDSU, Pierre
- 2:45 PM Break
- 3:00 PM Farm Panel
- 3:45 PM Wrap Up

No charge to attend. Lunch is included. CEU's will be available.

**Preregistration is required by Friday, January 27 at 5 PM. Please RSVP to 605-773-8120**

For more information email [ruth.beck@sdstate.edu](mailto:ruth.beck@sdstate.edu). Agenda and information can also be found at [www.sdnottill.com](http://www.sdnottill.com) and [iGrow.org/events](http://iGrow.org/events). Person's needing special accommodations should contact Ruth Beck at 605-773-8120 at least one week in advance of the event.

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