



Leasing and Your Land: A free webinar series for landowners who rent out land for farming

As a landowner, you want to be a responsible steward of your land and maintain its natural assets for future generations. Soil is one of the most important assets of land, but it's not always obvious how to work with an operator to protect it.

A good relationship and a strong, fair lease can put an owner and operator on the same page regarding soil health. In this series, presenters will start at the beginning to help you better understand your soil, conservation practices, and how to develop a good lease. You'll also receive a lease template and resources so you can keep learning!

- Understanding Your Farmland: Monday November 9, 6:30-7:30 PM
Learn about the connection between land use and water quality, basics of soil types, soil productivity and limitations, and how to use the Web Soil Survey
- Protecting Soil and Water: Wednesday November 11, 6:30-7:30PM
Learn about soil health, soil fertility, manure applications, basics of conservation practices (including cover crops and reduced tillage), and farmland programs and regulations.
- Developing a Farmland Lease: Monday November 16, 6:30-7:30PM
Learn about the importance of a multi-year, written lease, the economics of crop production, what goes into a good lease, and considerations for a fair price. Plus hear the perspective of a local landowner and operator.

Registration is required and can be completed using the following link:

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