

Cover Crop/Soil Health Workshop

Saturday, January 14, 2012

9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

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Guest Speaker

GABE BROWN

Nationally Recognized

- ◇ Farmer/rancher and County Conservation District Supervisor from Bismarck, ND
- ◇ Years of experience with cover crops, soil health, and other methods to improve productivity and profitability
- ◇ Highly diversified zero-tillage cropping system
- ◇ Farm has attracted visitors from all 50 states and 15 foreign countries
- ◇ Incorporates grazing into his cropping system

Guest Speaker

Ray Archuleta

Nationally Recognized

- ◇ Conservation Agronomist at the NRCS East National Technology Center from Greensboro, NC
- ◇ 24 years experience with NRCS in Missouri, New Mexico, Oregon, and North Carolina
- ◇ Utilizes demonstrations to teach soil quality and the importance of soil health

Topics

- ◆ **Improve profitability using no-till and cover crops**
- ◆ **Integrate livestock into cover cropping system**
- ◆ **Reduce input costs**
- ◆ **Building soil health**
- ◆ **Improve sustainability**
- ◆ **Cover crop selection, strategies, planting techniques, and management**

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