

Iowa Watershed Academy

October 13 & 14, 2021
Jester Park Nature Center
12130 NW 128th St.
Granger, Iowa 50109

October 13

10:00 - 10:30 am	Introductions	
10:30 - 11:30 am	The Conservation Practitioner Poll	Chris Morris, Iowa State University
11:30 - 12:30 pm	Lunch	
12:30 - 4:00 pm	Edge of field practice surveying (<i>outdoor</i>)	Shane Wulf, Iowa Dept of Ag. John Swanson, Polk Co. Public Works Tanner Puls, Polk SWCD Caleb Rasmussen, JEO Consulting
5:30 pm	Social (with pizza) at Uptown Garage Brewing Company in Ankeny	

October 14

8:00 - 9:00 am	Farmer cover crop motivations (<i>outdoor</i>)	Mike Helland, Farmer Meaghan Anderson, ISU Extension
9:00 - 9:30 am	Welcome and breakfast	
9:30 - 10:30 am	Talking producers through cover crop decisions	Becca Clay, Practical Farmers of Iowa
10:30 - 11:30 am	Cover Crop Economic Simulator	Suzanne Fey, Iowa Soybean Association
11:30 - 12:00 pm	Resources Roundup/Funding options	Catherine DeLong, ISU Extension
12:00 - 1:00 pm	Lunch	
1:00 - 2:00 pm	Watershed Coordinator success stories	Emery Davis, Linn County Shannon Moeller, Iowa Seed Corn Ethan Thies, Black Hawk Lake, DNR