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Agriculture, Soil Health, and Climate Policy Meeting

How increasing your soil health can benefit your operation
Wednesday, February 24th, 7:30-9:30am Pacific Time

Join this virtual information and discussion session on ways farmers and ranchers can improve their soil health and bottom line and help stabilize our weather and climate.

Zoom link for meeting below. Questions? Contact us at <http://cclpalouse.org/contact-us/>

Sponsored by Palouse Citizens' Climate Lobby, a nonpartisan organization using respectful approaches to address climate change.

Speakers

*Jodi Johnson-Maynard**, University of Idaho Dept. of Soil and Water Systems
“How Increasing Soil Health Can Benefit your Operation in the Short and Long Term”

*Jeremy Bunch**, Shepherd's Grain - Sales, Research, and Logistics Manager
“Shepherd’s Grain’s Experience Working with Carbon Credit Markets”

Roundtable Discussion

"How Can Proposed Federal Policy Support Healthy Soil and Ag Producers?"

[Growing Climate Solutions Act](#) - How producers can use the policy to facilitate payments from voluntary carbon credit markets

[Energy Innovation and Carbon Dividend Act](#) - How decreasing carbon emissions can help stabilize climate and reduce unpredictability for farmers and ranchers

Presented by Palouse Citizens' Climate Lobby volunteers

*Jodi Johnson-Maynard is Head of the Soil and Water Systems Department, University of Idaho. She works on soil health management impacts, sustainable agriculture, and climate change/variability. Jodi’s research and extension efforts include dryland farming rotations, nutrient availability, carbon cycling and storage, and impacts of management on earthworms and soil physical properties.

*Jeremy Bunch grew up on a grass farm in the Willamette Valley of Oregon. After managing grass seed farms and cleaning warehouses, he began work with the Idaho Dept. of Agriculture in organic certification, performing hundreds of organic inspections. In 2008, Jeremy began working for Shepherd’s Grain, managing operations including assisting Shepherd’s Grain growers analyzing and developing soil carbon markets.

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