

# You're Invited To A Celebration Of Successful And Responsible Livestock Farming

The Coalition to Support Iowa's Farmers (CSIF) invites Iowa farmers and the public to attend a series of "Doing Things Right" on-farm workshops focusing on the planting of vegetative environmental buffers (VEBs), the Green Farmstead Partner program and other timely livestock production issues.

You'll learn about the benefits of VEBs, site considerations, plant selection and maintenance and proper tree-planting techniques. Other topics include farm energy audits and beef and pork industry market outlooks. You'll also enjoy, at no cost, a delicious meal featuring pork or beef.

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## When and Where

### **June 11, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m**

Al and Sandra Laubenthal Farm (hoop barn beef production)  
1703 50th Avenue, Whittemore

### **June 16, 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m**

Cade and Angel Perrinjaquet farm, Curt and Karen Keppler farm (pork production)  
16694 Highway 3, Strawberry Point

### **June 29, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

Ryan and Lana Reed farm (pork production)  
17747 110th Avenue, Ottumwa

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There is no charge to attend the Doing Things Right on-farm workshops and all are welcome to attend. The Green Farmstead Partner program is a joint effort of the Coalition to Support Iowa's Farmers, Trees Forever and the Iowa Nursery and Landscape Association.

For more information, call the Coalition to Support Iowa's Farmers at 800-932-2436 or check the website at [www.supportfarmers.com](http://www.supportfarmers.com)

The Laubenthal, Perrinjaquet, Keppler and Reed families are hosting the celebrations with the support of United Soybean Board, Kent Feeds, Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., Farm Credit Services of America, Alliant Energy, West Central, Trees Forever and the Iowa Nursery and Landscape Association.

