

# Sustainable Farming Webinar

A Virtual Webinar Hosted by the  
Mason-Lake, Manistee, Muskegon, Newaygo  
& Oceana Conservation Districts  
in Partnership with MSUE

- 9:00 **Michigan Agriculture Environmental Assurance Program (MAEAP) Introduction– Videos**  
Jamie VanderZanden, MAEAP Technician, Mason-Lake & Manistee CD
- 9:10 **Backflow Prevention for Spray Buildings and Irrigation:**  
Dan Busby, MAEAP Verifier, MDARD
- 9:20 **Pesticide Jug Recycling, MAEAP Cost-share Opportunities**  
Lynda Herremans, MAEAP Technician, Oceana CD
- 9:30 **Integrating Cover Crops into your Farming Operation**  
Christina Curell, Cover Crops and Soil Health Educator, MSUE  
Alex Svoboda, MAEAP Technician, Osceola-Lake CD  
Jack Thornton, Grower
- 10:00 **Nutrient Management: Myth-busting Phosphorus in your Field**  
Sarah Fronczak, Environmental Management Educator, MSUE
- 10:25 **Break—MAEAP Video**
- 10:35 **Water Quality: Where MAEAP & FSMA Produce Safety Overlap**  
Jordan DeVries, Produce Safety Technician, Newaygo CD
- 10:55 **Michigan Managed Pollinator Protection Plan and Pollinator Stewardship**  
Ana Heck, Apiculture Extension Educator, MSU
- 11:30 **MAEAP: Forest, Wetlands and Habitat**  
Symon Cronk, MAEAP Technician, Newaygo & Muskegon CD
- 11:45 **NRCS Conservation Cost Incentive Program Summary**  
Jerry Kass, Technician, Mason-Lake CD
- 11:55 Wrap Up

Below is the link to the [registration](https://forms.gle/jYPN22Xb3mR7fyUW6) for this meeting!

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Wednesday  
March 3, 2021

9:00 am to 12:00 pm



**Agenda Approved For  
MAEAP Phase 1 Credit**

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or Commercial Core**

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