

**2019 MACFO Annual Conference Agenda**  
**March 26 – 28, 2019**

**Tuesday, March 26, 2019**    **3 CEU**

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| 11:00 – 12:30 | Registration   |
| 12:30 – 12:40 | Welcome  |
| 12:40 – 2:00  | MPCA Program and Tempo Updates – Michelle/Steve/Sara <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- This time slot is intended to allow MPCA staff to provide updates to county staff. Updates will consist of previous report year results, program updates that are coming, and Tempo updates and refreshers.</li></ul> |
| 2:00 - 2:30   | Open time slot to ask questions of MPCA <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- This time allows for MPCA updates to have extended time if need but ultimately the time will be used to ask questions of MPCA while they are available in person.</li></ul>  |
| 2:30 – 2:45   | Break  |
| 2:45 - 3:30   | AMC Update – Jennifer <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Jennifer will give updates as to what AMC is currently working on, specifically related to the feedlot world. MACFO has recently upped the membership level with AMC and Jennifer will discuss that with the larger group.</li></ul>                 |
| 3:30 – 5:00   | MACFO Annual Board Meeting   |
| 6:00          | Banquet  |
| 7:30          | Bean Bags and Social Time  |

**Wednesday, March 27, 2019**    **7.75 CEU**

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| 7:00 - 8:00  | Breakfast  |
| 8:00 – 8:15  | Introduction to the day <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- A quick rundown of what the plan is for the day.</li></ul>   |
| 8:15 – 8:30  | Load Busses  |
| 8:30 – 9:45  | Travel to Brookings <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Marshall to Brookings is approximately an hour and 10 minutes</li></ul>  |
| 9:45 – 11:15 | SDSU Research Facility Tour 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- This tour will consist of visiting the SDSU swine research facility. This will be a tour of the swine research facility and a classroom type discussion of the research and what they are finding as a result. Half the group will visit this tour. The other half of the group will visit Tour 2 first.</li></ul> |

- 11:15 - 12:30 Lunch in Brookings  
 - Lunch at the cow/calf facility
- 12:30 - 2:00 SDSU Research Facility Tour 2  
 - This tour will be visiting the cow/calf research facility. It will be a tour of the facility along with a classroom discussion of their research. Although the facility is titled cow/calf” the research goes far beyond that. Half the group will visit this tour. The other half of the group will visit Tour 1 first.
- 2:00 - 3:15 Travel back to Marshall
- 3:30 - 5:00 Jay and Scott  
 - Lawyers will provide feedlot related updates but mostly allow for questions to be asked of them from a legal standpoint
- 6:00 Evening Meal
- 7:00 Hospitality Room

**Thursday, March 28, 2019      3.75 CEU**

- 7:00 - 8:00 Breakfast
- 8:00 - 9:30 Panel Discussion - - Permitting, EAWs, Compliance/Noncompliance  
 - Each presenter will give a short presentation about the given topics, the remaining time will be an open panel discussion to ask questions of the presenters.
- 9:30 - 10:15 Pipestone Systems – Barry Kerkaert  
 - Barry will present on the overall state of the pork industry, what the future holds, the effect of the new tariffs on pork producers along with other swine industry related topics
- 10:15 - 10:30 Break
- 10:30 - 11:15 Centrol – Ian Olsen  
 - Ian will present on the Roles of Consultants in Livestock Permitting/Manure Management, Basics of soil fertility/fertility management when Manure is involved, Types of soil sampling how soil sampling/precision sampling is or can be used in manure based fertility and how to integrate soil health into manure management
- 11:15 - 12:00 Whitetail Farms – Greg Leenderts  
 - Greg will provide a presentation about his whitetail deer operation near Hills, MN.

**Thank you everyone for attending and have a safe drive home!!**