Transitioning to No-till Corn Silage Production

a workshop for silage corn growers

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Friday, April 13, 2012

9:30 am - 2:30 pm

Waterville Elks Lodge
Waterville, ME

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Learn why many producers are switching to no-till corn production to save fuel and time and improve soil health.

Featured speakers Ray Archuletta NRCS Soil Specialist
Mark Anderson Dairy Farmer from NY

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Cost is $20 and includes Lunch

AGENDA

9-9:30 **Registration**

9:30 **Welcome**

9:45-10:45 **Ray Archuleta**
Understanding Soil Health and Function under no-till systems
Ray is a Conservation Agronomist at the NRCS East National Technology Center, in Greensboro, North Carolina. Ray teaches soil quality and the principles of agroecology throughout the country.

10:45-11 **Break**

11:00-12 **Mark Anderson**
How we manage no-till, manure and crop rotations on our farm
Mark Anderson oversees machinery, field crop operations, & nutrient management as partner at Landview Farms LLC near Eagle Bridge, N.Y. The dairy milks 1100 cows at 2 locations and raises 1100 acres of corn, 800 acres of hay and 200 acres of small grains and 400 acres of cover crops.

12:00-1 **Lunch**

1:00-2 **Ray Archuleta**
Fertility management under no-till…what changes?

2-3:00 **Farmer panel:**
Experiences with switching to no-till in Maine.

Pre-registration required
Deadline to register:
Monday, April 9, 2011

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Lunch **$5** x number of people = _____

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