

# Cover Crops, the Secret to Soil Health

## 2017 Soil Health Breakfast

### WHEN:

Wednesday, August 16, 2017

8 a.m. – 11 a.m.

### WHERE:

Stanly County  
Agri-Civic Center

Buffet Breakfast

Stanly Soil & Water  
Conservation District  
26032-C Newt Road  
Albemarle, NC 28001

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### Register

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### Nathan Lowder, NRCS, Southeast Regional Soil Health Specialist

- Live rainfall simulation to demonstrate infiltration, runoff and erosion.
- Informative lecture on implementing cover crops for healthier soil.

*"We want to keep all the residue in place to conserve moisture, provide weed suppression, and prevent erosion." Lowder*

### Will Mann, Fishing Creek SWCD, Resource Conservation Specialist

Topics include:

- Value of soil health.
- Use of cover crops and no-till to increase fertility, increase yield, and improve crop quality.

*"Naturally, our soils have a lot of fertility in it. Our goal is to unlock that fertility. Get the biology working correctly." Mann*



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