## SOIL HEALTH & COVER CROP FIELD MEETING

AUGUST 16, 2023

**10 AM - 2 PM** 

## MINER AG RESEARCH INST 1034 MINER FARM ROAD GHAZY, NY 12921



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Clinton County Soil and Water Conservation District in partnership with Miner Institute, New York Soil Health and Cornell North Country Regional Ag Team proudly presents a Soil Health & Cover Crop Workshop on August 16, 10 AM-2 PM.

This event will feature live demonstrations of the District Interseeder and other conservation equipment; soil health experts; a panel of farmers practicing different tillage methods and cover cropping; and highlights of local cost share opportunities and programs.

Improving on-farm soil health is integral to ensuring productive, profitable, and sustainable agricultural operations while improving water, wildlife, and air quality. Managing for soil health is one of the most effective ways for framers to increase crop productivity and profitability while also improving the environment. Clinton County Soil and Water works to help our farmers to adopt practices that will regenerate soils and increase organic matter storage.

This event will be held at the WH Miner Agricultural Research Institute in Chazy, NY. Miner Institute conducts research programs that apply basic science to contemporary problems confronting the dairy and equine industries. The Institute's Agronomist Allen Wilder. Wilder will highlight his cover crop research and soil health practices. This event will also feature presentations from Kitty O'Neil the Regional Field Crops and Soils Specialist, District Technician Jillian Zajac and Joseph Amsili from the NY Soil Health Initiative at Cornell.

During lunch, a farmer panel will discuss real world experiences with cover crops, interseeding and practices that they have implemented to improve their soil health. Funding for this event and much of the equipment being demonstrated has been obtained from grants issued by the Lake Champlain Basin Program and NEIWPCC.

There is no cost to attend, and lunch will be provided. CCA Continuing Education Credits will be available. If more than one person from your farm or agency is considering attending, please register each individual.

PRE-REGISTER FOR THIS EVENT BY AUGUST 7<sup>TH</sup>.

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