C-AGG Meeting Agenda

Wednesday 19 - Thursday 20 July 2017
Hotel InterContinental Magnificent Mile
Chicago, IL

Wednesday 19 July 2017
C-AGG Meeting, Day One

7:30 am  Breakfast

8:30 am  Welcome and Introductions
  •  C-AGG Overview and Background
  •  Meeting Themes and Objectives
  •  Review of C-AGG Principles
  Debbie Reed, C-AGG Executive Director

9:30 am  Keynote Address: Soil Health and Soil Carbon
Charles Rice, Chairman of Board on Agriculture, National Academy of Sciences
Kansas State University

11:00 am  Coffee and Networking Break

11:30 am  Enriching Soil, Enhancing Life: An Action Plan for Soil Health
Steven Shafer, Soil Health Institute

12:30 pm  Lunch and Networking Break
1:30 pm  Perennial Biomass Crops for Multiple Ecosystem Services in Corn – Soybean Landscapes
Stephen John, The Agricultural Watershed Institute
Madhu Khanna, University of Illinois

2:30 pm  COMET Farm and COMET-Planner Updates
Keith Paustian, Colorado State University
Mindy Selman, USDA Climate Change Program Office

3:30 pm  Coffee and Networking Break

4:00 pm  C-AGG Discussion: Monetizing Soil Health and Soil Carbon
• What / where is the Value?
• What / where are the Opportunities?
• What is the role for C-AGG?

5:30 pm  C-AGG Reception

Thursday, 20 July 2017
C-AGG Meeting, Day Two

7:30 am  Breakfast

8:30 am  Recap of Day One
Debbie Reed, C-AGG Executive Director

8:45 am  Rice Cultivation Offsets Project Sale of Credits: Successes & Challenges
Erica Meta Smith, TerraGlobal Capital

9:15 am  Ontario and Quebec Cap-and-Trade Program and CA Linkages
Max DuBuisson, Climate Action Reserve
Karen Haugen-Kozyra, Viresco Solutions

10:30 am  Coffee and Networking Break

11:00 am  Designing Decision Support Materials to Engage Farmers & Ranchers
Doug Kueker and Audrey Denney, Vivayic

12:00 pm  Meeting Adjourns