

**6th Annual
Strategic Animal Ag Conference**

**Minnesota's Renewable Fuels and Livestock
Industries—Can They Co-Exist?**

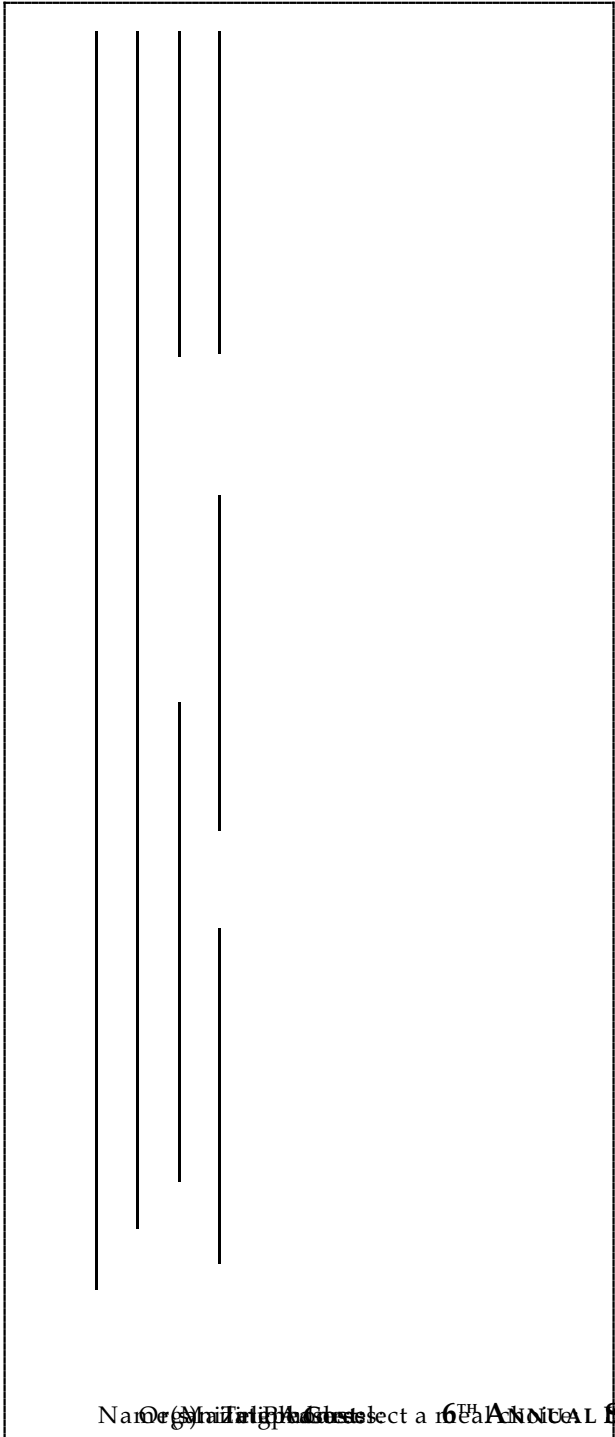
**February 23, 2007
Agenda**

- 7:30 Registration and Rolls/Beverages**
- 8:15 Welcome/Introductions** Kim Larson
Agribusiness/Renewable Energy Development Committee
. Steve Renquist
Executive Director
Kandiyohi County & City of Willmar EDC
- 8:20 Morning Session Focus/Introduction of
Legislative Panelists** Curt Zimmerman
Minnesota Department of Agriculture
- 8:25 2007 Federal Ag Policy Agenda**
. Congressman Collin Peterson (Invited)
Chairman, U.S. House Ag Committee
- 8:45 2007 Minnesota Ag Policy Agenda**
. Representative Alan Juhnke, Chairman
Minnesota House Ag/Rural Economies Committee
. Senator Joe Gimse
Minnesota Senate Ag Committee
- 9:10 Minnesota Farm Bureau—Livestock
Issues Outlook** Kevin Paap, President
Minnesota Farm Bureau
- 9:25 Minnesota Farmers Union—Livestock
Issues Outlook** Doug Peterson, President
Minnesota Farmers Union
- 9:50 Growth and Direction of Minnesota Renewable
Fuels/Distillers Grains** Erik Osmon
General Manager, Bushmills Ethanol
William (Bill) Lee
General Manager, Chippewa Valley Ethanol
- 10:15 Questions for Panelists**
- 10:20 BREAK**
- 10:35 Governor's Address** Governor Tim Pawlenty
(Invited)

- 11:05 The Key to What Sells Distillers
Grains** Dr. Gerald C. Shurson
Professor, Department of Animal Science
University of Minnesota
- 11:30 Livestock Industry Outlook—The
Renewable Fuels Effect** Dr. Dermot J. Hayes
Professor, Agricultural Economics
College of Agriculture, Iowa State University
- 11:55 Questions for Panelists**
- 12:00 Lunch**
- 12:20 Luncheon Address
Facing Economies of Change for
Livestock Industry** Brian L. Buhr, Professor
Applied Economics Department
College of Agriculture, University of Minnesota
- 1:15 Afternoon Session Focus/Proactive Livestock
Siting/Introduction of Panelists** Rob Sip
Minnesota Department of Agriculture
- 1:40 Minnesota Regulations Review** . Wayne Anderson
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
- 1:50 Siting of Animal Production Units Using
Odor Modeling** Larry D. Jacobson, Professor
University of Minnesota
- 2:00 County Experiences Dealing with Ag &
Urban Development** Tina Rosenstein, Director
Environmental Services, Nicollet County
- 2:15 Townships Adapting to Transitions with Ag
& Urban Development** Eric Hedtke, Attorney
Minnesota Association of Townships
- 2:30 Questions for Panelists**
- 2:40 Closing Remarks** . . Gene Hugoson, Commissioner
Minnesota Department of Agriculture
- 3:00 ADJOURN**

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