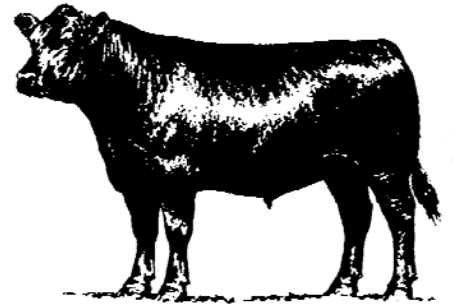


Open Beef Feedlot Tour

Thursday – August 27, 2009

1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Starting at the Larchwood City Park



*See How Small Feedlots Are Handling Manure and Controlling Run-Off
Using Cost-Effective & Site Specific Methods*

Agenda

12:30 p.m. – Check-In

1:00 p.m. – Bus leaves for first site

1:15 p.m. – **Wade Warner**, Larchwood – Wade is constructing a solids settling wall and terraces in a serpentine layout that utilizes a limited amount of land area for the filter strip.

1:45 p.m. – Travel to second site

2:00 p.m. – **Harlan Blied**, Larchwood – Harlan is relocating feedbunks, putting in a new solids settling system, treating effluent through a long, narrow filter strip and diverting clean water.

2:30 p.m. – Travel to third site

2:45 p.m. – **Dean Meyer**, Lester – Dean is re-engineering this feedlot to create more efficient solids settling facilities and to create a separate vegetative treatment system for each lot.

3:15 p.m. – Travel to fourth site

3:30 p.m. – **Perry Mogler**, Hills MN – Perry constructed a new solids settling system, vegetative infiltration basin, vegetative treatment area, and is now regularly monitoring the filtering.

4:15 p.m. – Travel to Larchwood City Park

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