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ISU Extension and Outreach has scheduled five town hall meetings to hear from Iowans about how Iowa State University in partnership with counties can best serve citizens. Cathann Kress, ISU Extension and Outreach vice president, and Terry Maloy, Iowa Association of County Extension Councils executive director, will participate in these important conversations with Iowans.

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News Release
Contact: Allamakee County Extension Office, 563-568-6345

Commercial Manure Applicators Training Session Scheduled for Allamakee County
Waukon, Iowa — Commercial manure applicators who have not fulfilled their 2012 manure applicator certification training requirements can attend the three hours of annual continuing instruction required to maintain their manure applicator certification on Wednesday, Sep. 5, from 9 a.m. to noon. Iowa State University Extension and Outreach and the Iowa Department of Natural Resources will conduct a statewide reshow of the 2012 Commercial Manure Applicator Certification training. There is no fee to attend the workshop, but commercial applicators must register by Aug. 29 by calling the Allamakee County ISU Extension Office at 563-568-6345. Commercial applicator business owners and managers are reminded that existing or previously certified employees must meet certification requirements prior to hauling or land applying manure. New employees can work for the first 30 days of employment without meeting the certification requirements, but must be actively seeking certification status. Applicators who are unable to attend the Sept. 5 training need to schedule time at their local ISU Extension office to watch the training DVD. Due to scheduling conflicts, many county extension offices will no longer accept walk-in appointments to watch the DVD. If meeting training requirements by attending the three hour training session is not convenient, commercial applicators may contact their local DNR field office and schedule an appointment to take the certification exam to meet certification requirements. Commercial manure applicators that have already completed training for 2012 are not required to attend. If you have questions about this training session or the Manure Applicator Certification program, contact the Allamakee County Extension Office or go to http://www.agronext.iastate.edu/immag/mac.html.

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News Release
Contact: Howard County Extension Office, 563-547-3001

Commercial Manure Applicators Training Session Scheduled for Howard County
Cresco, Iowa — Commercial manure applicators who have not fulfilled their 2012 manure applicator certification training requirements can attend the three hours of annual continuing instruction required to maintain their manure applicator certification on Wednesday, Sep. 5, from 9 a.m. to noon. Iowa State University Extension and Outreach and the Iowa Department of Natural Resources will conduct a statewide rerelease of the 2012 Commercial Manure Applicator Certification training. There is no fee to attend the workshop, but commercial applicators must register by Aug. 29 by calling the Howard County ISU Extension Office at 563-547-3001. Commercial applicator business owners and managers are reminded that existing or previously certified employees must meet certification requirements prior to hauling or land applying manure. New employees can work for the first 30 days of employment without meeting the certification requirements, but must be actively seeking certification status. Applicators who are unable to attend the Sept. 5 training need to schedule time at their local ISU Extension office to watch the training DVD. Due to scheduling conflicts, many county extension offices will no longer accept walk-in appointments to watch the DVD. If meeting training requirements by attending the three hour training session is not convenient, commercial applicators may contact their local DNR field office and schedule an appointment to take the certification exam to meet certification requirements. Commercial manure applicators that have already completed training for 2012 are not required to attend.
If you have questions about this training session or the Manure Applicator Certification program, contact the Howard County Extension Office or go to http://www.agronext.iastate.edu/immag/mac.html.

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