## **Economics of Soil Health and Cover Crops:** What's the Bottom Line?

Hear from Rick Clark and 2 local area farmers, about how they are making cover crops work economically in their operations. Hear data on how cover crops have increased the profitability for their farms and how their focus has changed from yield to ROI and Net profit per acre.

## Friday, February 28th, 2020

8:30 am – 3:00 pm

Stewartville Civic Center

106 City Center PI, Stewartville MN 55976

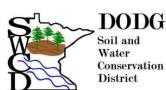
Additional parking by City Hall

- Registration Fee of \$15.00—includes lunch \*\*
- RSVP by Wednesday Feb 26<sup>th</sup> by emailing SWCD@co.olmsted.mn.us or call 507-328-7070
- CEU Credits Available

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## **Rick Clark**

"Rick Clark is a 5th generation farmer from Williamsport, Indiana farmer. The National No-Till Farmer writes that "to Rick Clark, 'Farming Green' is a systematic approach to regenerative soil health and that's what he brings to the 7,000 acres he manages at both Clark Land & Cattle and for his family. He strives to be the best steward of the land. A main component of his no-till system is maximizing cover crop performance and planting his cash crops into living covers to build bio-mass, suppress weeds, recycle nutrients and feed soil microbes." Rick has been farming for 35 years and has included no-till and cover crops in his system for the last 10 years. He is a Purdue University graduate with an Ag Economics degree."