



Agri-Land Resources

A workshop focused on assisting
agri-land owners and managers

Topics include USDA/NRCS Programs

Rural Energy for America, Grazing Management, Wildlife Habitat
Management, Brush Management, Beekeeping in Agriculture,
and Pesticide Laws & Regulations and more!

CEUs will be available.

May 25, 2023

9:30 am – 5:00 pm

Jourdanton Community Library, 1101 Campbell Ave.

Jourdanton, Texas 78026

FREE Workshop! Pre-Registration REQUIRED online.

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DEADLINE May 21, by 5:00 pm

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- 9:30 am Sign In & Registration begins ~ Peggy Hollin**, Alamo RCD Outreach Director
- 10:00 am Opening Remarks ~ Peggy Hollin**, Alamo RCD Outreach Director, Topic: Overview of Alamo RCD mission and programs.
- 10:15 am Wildlife Management ~ Matt Reidy**, Wildlife Biologist, Texas Parks & Wildlife Department, Topic: Management of Wildlife concerns including quail, turkey and Chronic Wasting Disease.
- 11:00 am Weed & Brush Management ~ Dale Rankin**, Atascosa County Extension Agent, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service, Topic: Landowners goals toward the management of weed and brush issues on their property.
- 12:00 pm Rural Energy for America (REAP) ~ Betty Soto**, Area Specialist, USDA Rural Development, Topic: Financial assistance for renewable energy projects for agricultural producers and small businesses.
- 12:30 to 1:30pm LUNCH BREAK (Lunch provided)**
- 1:30 pm Beekeeping for Agriculture ~ Gary Rankin**, Owner, The Bee Place, Somerset, Topic: Beekeeping Management and considerations for Ag Evaluation.
- 2:30 pm Adaptive Grazing Management ~ Kason Haby**, Rangeland Management Specialist, Natural Resources Conservation Services (NRCS), Topic: Discussion of proper and flexible stocking rates and rotational grazing systems and their benefits.
- 3:30 pm Pesticides – Labels & Labeling ~ Vick Alexander**, Assistant Regional Director– Pesticides, Texas Department of Agriculture, South Central Texas Regional Office, Topic: Overview of Parts of a Pesticide Label and where to find the information needed for proper application.
- 4:30 to 5:00 pm Evaluations (REQUIRED). Question and Answer, Wrap Up and Closing Remarks**
~ **Peggy Hollin**, Alamo RCD Outreach Director

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- ◆ Atascosa County Agri-Life Extension Office/Dale Rankin, County Extension Agent
- ◆ USDA Pleasanton Service Center/Hector Pruneda, District Conservationist