



# Southwest Indiana Veteran Farmer Workshop and Indiana AgVets Update



*Hosted by Purdue Extension, Indiana AgrAbility, Hoosier Uplands, and Farmer Veteran Coalition—Indiana*

**July 15, 2021 • Vanderburgh Co. Fairgrounds • Evansville, Indiana**

The ***Veteran Farmer Workshop and Indiana AgVets Update*** will focus on agricultural opportunities for military veterans.

This workshop will be held at the Vanderburgh 4-H Center near Evansville, Indiana. Program hosts will be Purdue Extension educators from Vanderburgh and Posey Counties and the Hoosier Uplands Economic Development Corporation.

If you are a veteran interested in or already involved with agriculture or a current (or prospective) Indiana AgVet, don't miss this chance to learn, network, and enjoy time with fellow veterans!

Lunch will be provided and there is **no fee to participate**, but pre-registration is required. Spouses or significant others are welcome (be sure to register for counting purposes)!

Planned topics:

- Indiana Grown and Homegrown by Heroes
- Purdue Extension resources for veteran and beginning farmers
- Direct marketing and agritourism opportunities
- USDA programs for farmer veterans (FSA, NRCS)
- AgrAbility, Farmer Veteran Coalition, Indiana AgVets Updates

**Additional opportunity!** Participants are encouraged to attend the ***SWCD's of Southwest Indiana Conservation Cookout*** immediately following the veterans workshop at the same location. Enjoy another great meal and learn about conservation of natural resources!

**PLEASE REGISTER FOR EACH PROGRAM SEPARATELY:**

**[www.tinyurl.com/agvetsevansville](http://www.tinyurl.com/agvetsevansville)**

**<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/conservation-cook-out-tickets-152739412695>**

COVID-19 safety protocols will be observed per current guidelines.

*Purdue University is an equal opportunity/equal access/affirmative action university. If you are in need of accommodations to attend this program, or have special dietary needs, contact Ed Sheldon at [ejsheldo@purdue.edu](mailto:ejsheldo@purdue.edu) or 800-825-4264 by July 10.*

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**Veteran Farmer Workshop:  
Noon—4:00 p.m. CDT**

**SWCD Conservation Cookout:  
4:30 - 7:30 p.m.**

**Vanderburgh 4-H Center**

**201 E Boonville-New Harmony Rd.,  
Evansville, IN 47725**

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