

COUNTRY Financial®, Illinois Farm Bureau Keep Farmers Updated on Improved Opportunities to Protect Farm & Crops in 2022



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BLOOMINGTON, IL (November 18, 2021) – There is always uncertainty around what spring, summer and fall may bring. COUNTRY Financial® and Illinois Farm Bureau remain ready to assist farmers through every season. The organizations are again teaming up for ten regional meetings across Illinois to share updates on improved opportunities for farmers to protect their farms and crops in 2022.

“Every farm operation is different, and our goal is always to help our farm clients and Farm Bureau members reach their goals together with options and information from a trusted partner,” said Doug Yoder, COUNTRY Financial Crop Agency Manager. “These meetings offer us the opportunity to connect with clients and members prior to the busy planting season, to make sure they have the most up-to-date information about federal crop and hail insurance options, learn about new coverage options from COUNTRY and gain a better understanding of changes in markets and government that they may need to consider, so they can make informed decisions for their operation.”

The ten meetings co-hosted by COUNTRY Financial and Illinois Farm Bureau will take place throughout January and February (a schedule of the meetings can be found at whfarmbureau.org). Eight meetings will be held in-person across the state, and there will be two virtual presentations. All meetings will include:

- Crop Insurance Update, including changes to federal crop insurance and new private products offered by COUNTRY, the #1 crop hail insurer in Illinois. (Doug Yoder, Crop Agency Manager for COUNTRY Financial)
- Crop Claims Update (COUNTRY Financial Crop Claims Representative)
- Market Outlook (Tim Tresslar, Grain Origination Manager for Growmark)
- Legislative Update (Illinois Farm Bureau)
- Opportunity for Audience Q&A with presenters

One of the virtual presentations will be held **January 25th at 9:00am**. *This presentation will be [livestreamed](#) at the Warren-Henderson Farm Bureau® auditorium at 1000 N Main St. in Monmouth. Lunch will be served after the presentation. To register a seat contact Warren-Henderson Farm Bureau at 309-734-9401 or contact COUNTRY Financial Crop Specialist Michael Moore at 309-426-2077 or Michael.moore@countryfinancial.com. Each event is open to any Illinois farmer.*

For updates and a full agribusiness meeting schedule, visit <https://on.ilfb.org/winter-agribusiness-seminars>

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