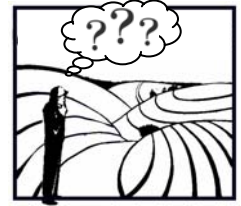


# Tillage, Technology & Environmental Stewardship



**Northern Illinois Tillage Seminar  
Tuesday, February 12, 2008  
Quality Inn & Suites of Bradley, Kankakee (Bradley), IL**

**Directions:**

800 N. Kinzie (Rt 50 – ½ mile south of I-57 – Exit 315)  
Bradley, Illinois 60915

5 CEU's for Certified Crop Advisers (4.5 – Soil & Water, .5 – IPM)

**– AGENDA –**

8:00 - 8:50 a.m. <b>Registration</b> Meet with Agri-business Exhibitors, Coffee & Rolls	10:45 -11:45 a.m. <b>Optimizing No-till/Strip-till Systems – Part 1: Rotations, Residues, and Resolutions</b> - Tony Vyn, Purdue University Agronomist & Researcher
8:50 - 9:00 a.m. <b>Opening Remarks and Welcome</b> - U of I Extension and SWCD staff	11:45 - 12:45 p.m. <b>Lunch and Visit with Exhibitors</b>
9:00 - 9:20 a.m. <b>State Cost-Share &amp; Technical Assistance Programs</b> - Joe Bybee, IL Dept. of Agriculture Regional Representative	12:45 - 1:30 p.m. <b>Optimizing No-till/Strip-till Systems – Part 2: Automatic Guidance, Fertilizer Placement, and New Directions</b> - Tony Vyn, Purdue University Agronomist & Researcher
9:20 - 10:10a.m. <b>Selecting a Guidance System that Works for You</b> - Jay Solomon, U of I Engineering Technology Educator	1:30 - 2:15 p.m. <b>Continuous Corn Disease Mgmt for No-till Corn</b> - Russ Higgins, Feltes, U of I Integrated Pest Management Educator
10:10 - 10:25 a.m. <b>Break, Meet with Agri-Business Exhibitors</b>	2:15 - 3:00 p.m. <b>Practical, “hands-on” Management Tips for No-till/Strip-till and Use of Autosteer</b> , - Doug Thompson, 8 years experience with Strip-tilling in Logan County
10:25 - 10:45 a.m. <b>What’s in the 2007 Farm Bill for You? Federal Cost-Share &amp; Technical Conservation Assistance</b> – Paul Youngstrum, NRCS Regional Agronomist	3:00 p.m. <b>Seminar Adjourns, Meet with Exhibitors and Speakers</b>

Detach and Mail for Registration.....Preregistration is Necessary!.....DEADLINE – FEBRUARY 5, 2008  
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Number of Reservations \_\_\_\_ @ \$15 per person = \$\_\_\_\_\_ Make check payable to “Kankakee SWCD” and mail to: Kankakee Co. SWCD, 685 Larry Power Rd., Bourbonnais, IL 60914

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