**DRAFT – SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

**From Dust to Diamonds**

**Monday Sessions:**

**Conservation Training Workshops, Session 1: 11am-12pm**

1. **Tom Spellmire Leadership Academy**
2. **SWCD Succession Planning & How to Hire New Staff**
3. **SWCD Education: How to Reach a Diverse Audience**
4. **Investigating Pollution Complaints**
5. **Using Native Warm Season Grasses for Grazing**
6. **Climatology: Global Weather Changes**
7. **Phosphorous Filter Beds, Part 1**

**Conservation Training Workshops, Session II: 1:15-2:15pm**

1. **Tom Spellmire Leadership Academy**
2. **General HR Procedures for Boards and Administrators**
3. **Cover Crops, Soil Fertility & Soil Health: How to Achieve Success**
4. **Trees: Planting with a Purpose**
5. **NRCS Nutrient Management Plans**
6. **Pipelines: Statewide Rules and Regs**
7. **Phosphorous Filter Beds, Part 2**

**Conservation Training Workshops, Session III: 2:35pm-3:35pm**

1. **BeeHive, SWIMS Replacement Program**
2. **Envirothon Training for Workers and Volunteers**
3. **Grant Opportunities**
4. **Soil Health Partnership**
5. **The Effect of the GLSM Distressed Watershed Rules on Water Quality**
6. **Planning Grazing Events**
7. **Urban Networking**

**Conservation Training Roundtables -3:45pm-4:45pm**

1. Administrative Assistant
2. District Administrators, Program Specialists & Supervisors
3. Ditch Maintenance
4. Education Specialists
5. Wildlife & Forestry Specialists
6. Ag, Urban & GIS Technicians
7. Watershed Coordinators

**TUESDAY AGENDA**

**Conservation Training Workshops, Session IV: 10:45am-11:45am**

1. **Cyber Security**
2. **Tips and Recommendation for Retaining SWCD Staff**
3. **Marketing and Outreach**
4. **Soils Education Refresher**
5. **Cover Crops, Soil Fertility & Soil Health, How the Achieve Success (REPEATED SESSION)**
6. **Supplementing Gauge Stations**
7. **Development & Stormwater Issues**

**Conservation Training Workshops, Session V: 1:45pm-2:45pm**

1. **Legislative and Lobbying Efforts**
2. **Drones: STEM Education Program for Students and the Use of Technology**
3. **Soil Health Champions**
4. **Water Quality – QDC Program**
5. **Tree Sales – Pests, Diseases, etc.**
6. **GIS**
7. **Envirothon: Student Interaction**

**Conservation Training Workshops, Session VI: 3pm-4pm**

1. **New and Innovative Education Programs**
2. **Ditch Maintenance**
3. **Farmland Preservation – LAEPP**
4. **Urban Soil Fertility – Unique Partnerships**
5. **Board Member Training; Now that I have the basics, what’s next?**
6. **Pollinator Plug Planting**
7. **OPEN Session**