2024 Governor's Ag Summit – June 12-13, 2024 – Huron, SD

Tentative: All times are approximate and subject to change.

Wednesday June 12, 2024		
7:30am to 8:30am, CDT	Registration and Breakfast	
8:30am to 8:35am, CDT	Welcome Address Secretary Hunter Roberts, South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources	
8:35am to 9:10 am, CDT	Governor Policy Update and Ag Ambassador Award Governor Kristi Noem	
9:10am to 9:15am, CDT	5 Minute Break	
9:15am to 9:45am, CDT	Exploring Emerging Agricultural Law Issues: WOTUS, Foreign Ownership, Prop 12, and More Harrison M. Pittman, National Ag Law Center	
9:45am to 10:05am, CDT	Networking Break	
10:05am to 11:05am, CDT	The 'Ations' of Agriculture: Addresses the Key Issues Impacting Our Industry – Immigration, Population, Regulation, Confrontation, Inflation, and Threats from Other Nations. Damian Mason, Keynote Speaker	
11:05am to 12:05pm, CDT	Strengthening South Dakota's Economy Through Trade Luke Lindberg, South Dakota Trade; Jerry Schmitz, South Dakota Soybean; Dennis Harstad, Houdek; Cesar Garcia Arevalo, Advanced Sunflower	
12:05pm to 12:50pm, CDT	<u>Lunch</u>	
12:50pm to 1:20pm, CDT	The Changing Face of American Agriculture: Insights from the 2022 USDA Census of Agriculture Erik Gerlach, State Statistician, USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service	
1:20pm to 1:50pm, CDT	Lankota – Ag Driven Innovations Lance Tschetter, President, Lankota	
1:50pm to 1:55pm, CDT	5 Minute Break	
1:55pm to 2:25pm, CDT	Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI) update: Poultry and Mammals Dr. Beth Thompson, State Veterinarian, South Dakota Animal Industry Board	
2:25pm to 2:45pm, CDT	Networking Break	
2:45pm to 3:45pm, CDT	Commodity Market Dynamics & Effects on Rural Communities Elaine Kub, Market Economist	
3:45pm to 3:50pm, CDT	5 Minute Break	
3:50pm to 4:50pm, CDT	Navigating Global Trade: Enhancing Agriculture Supply Chain Logistics Panel Jared Gooch, AVP Sales & Marketing, RCP&E Railroad; Travis Antonsen, SVP of Grain Marketing and Rail Logistics, Agtegra; Matt Erickson, Regional Trading Director, CHS Inc.	
4:50pm to 5:00pm, CDT	Closing Remarks	

Thursday June 13, 2024	
8:00am to 9:00am, CDT	Registration and Breakfast
9:00am to 9:45am, CDT	The Deep Roots of Agriculture Anchoring the South Dakota State Fair Faron Wahl, Chairman, SD State Fair Commission
9:45am to 10:15am, CDT	<u>Travel</u>
10:15am to 2:00pm, CDT	Exploring Hutterite Heritage: A Tour of Spink Colony and Kasemeister Creamery
2:00pm to 2:30pm, CDT	<u>Travel</u>
2:30pm, CDT	Conclusion of the 2024 Governor's Ag Summit
8:00pm, CDT	DEXtravaganza 'Grand Opening' Concert ft. Thomas Rhett The DEX on the State Fairgrounds, Huron, SD