



2025 Tentative Agenda

*Please note: This schedule is very fluid and will change.

Monday, May 5

Washington Watch Social Media Coverage

Sponsor: Pivot Bio

8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

NAFB Board of Directors Meeting
Holiday Inn Capitol: House

1:30-3 p.m.

NAFB Member Business Meeting & Registration
Holiday Inn Capitol: Congressional I
Registration Sponsor: Syngenta

3-4 p.m.

Issues Forum Registration
Holiday Inn Capitol: Capitol Ballroom Foyer
Sponsor: NASA Agriculture

3-6 p.m.

Issues Forum (see participants on page 4)
Holiday Inn Capitol: Capitol Ballroom
Sponsor: The Fertilizer Institute

6-6:45 p.m.

Issues Forum Reception
Holiday Inn Capitol: Congressional Foyer
Sponsor: United Soybean Board

7 p.m.

Dinner
Holiday Inn Capitol: Congressional I
Dinner Sponsor: Farm Credit
Topic: The Beagle Brigade, USDA's Detector Dogs
Speaker: Carrie Thomas USDA Associate Deputy Administrator, Business and Employee Services, Plant Protection and Quarantine, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS)

Tuesday, May 6

Washington Watch Social Media Coverage

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7:15 a.m.

Arrive on your own to USDA-Jefferson Drive Entrance
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
We will meet in the hotel lobby at 6:45 a.m. to walk as a group.
(Please allow yourself time to get through security-BRING PHOTO ID.)

- 7:30 a.m.** Continental Breakfast
Whitten Building – Williamsburg Room 107-a
Sponsor: Agricultural Retailers Association
- 8-11 a.m.** USDA Speaker Lineup
Whitten Building - Williamsburg Room 104-a
- Speaker Lineup:
8 a.m. Brooke Rollins, USDA Secretary of Agriculture
8:30 a.m. Group Photo
9 a.m. Brad Rippey, USDA Meteorologist and managing editor of the Weekly Weather and Crop Bulletin
9:30 a.m. EPA Administrator Lee Zeldin
10 a.m. Secretary of Interior Doug Burgum
10:30 a.m. TBD
- 11:30 a.m.** Boxed Lunch Served
Holiday Inn Capitol: Capitol I
Sponsor: Corn Refiners Association
- 11:40 a.m.** Professional Improvement Session
Topic: Cyber Security
Speaker: Emily Odom, FBI Cyber Assistant Special Agent in Charge
- 12:30 p.m.** House Hunger Caucus Update
Speaker: Congressman Tracey Mann (R - KS)
- 1:20 p.m.** Depart for embassy NASA Headquarters Visit
- 1:30-3:30 p.m.** NASA visit programming
- 4-6 p.m.** Rooftop Reception
National Cattlemen’s Beef Association Headquarters
1275 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Sponsor: National Cattlemen’s Beef Association
- 6:45 p.m.** Washington Nationals vs. Cleveland Guardians
Nationals Stadium
1500 S Capitol St. SE
Sponsor: National Corn Growers Association

Wednesday, May 7

Washington Watch Social Media Coverage
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- 7:15 a.m.** Arrive on your own to Longworth house Office Building – Room 1300 on the third floor
We will meet in the hotel lobby at 6:45 a.m. to walk as a group.
(Please allow yourself time to get through security-BRING PHOTO ID.)
- 7:15 a.m.** Continental Breakfast

Sponsor: Associated Milk Producers Inc.

7:50-8:50 a.m.

Policy Insights Panel - Immigration and Labor

Panelists:

Ben Tindall, Executive Director, Save Family Farming

Sarah Black, General Manager of Great Lakes Ag Labor Services

Sponsor: Clean Fuels Alliance America

9a.m.-11:40 p.m.

Capitol Hill Speaker Lineup

Longworth House Office Building 1300

Confirmed Lawmakers:

9 a.m. Congressman Glenn "GT" Thompson (R - PA)

9:20 a.m. Senator John Boozman (R - AR)

9:40 a.m. Congressman Dusty Johnson (R - SD)

10 a.m. Congresswoman Angie Craig (D - MN)

10:20 a.m. Break

10:40 a.m. Congressman Eric Sorenson (D - IL)

11 a.m. Senator Roger Marshall (R - KS)

11:20 a.m. Congresswoman Nikki Budzinski (D - IL)

11:40 a.m. Senator Deb Fischer (R - NE)

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ISSUES FORUM

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2025 Participants

Agriculture Retailers Association
American Farm Bureau Federation
American Feed Industry Association
Clean Fuels Alliance
Corn Refiners Association
CropLife America
Farm Credit
Growth Energy
International Fresh Produce Association
NASA Agriculture
National Association of State Departments of Agriculture
National Cattlemen's Beef Association
National Corn Growers Association
National Council of Farmer Cooperatives
National Farmers Union
National Oilseed Processors Association
National Pork Producers Council
National Sorghum Producers
Pivot Bio
Renewable Fuels Association
The Fertilizer Institute
United Soybean Board
U.S. Wheat Industry