

The Sauk County Land Resources and Environment Department will be hosting a three part webinar series for absentee landowners. These sessions are meant for landowners who rent out land for farming. Soil is one of the most important assets of land, but it's not always obvious how to work with a renter to protect it. In this series, presenters will help you better understand your soil, conservation practices, how to develop a good lease, and local resources available. Those who cannot attend the webinars, can request a resource packet be mailed to them. Please contact Melissa Schlupp at 608-355-4838 or melissa.schlupp@saukcountywi.gov for additional information on this series.

Please visit the workshop website at: https://www.co.sauk.wi.us/landconservation/
conservation-events in January 2023 for more information and learn how to register.

All webinars will be held from 6:30 - 7:30 pm.

Tuesday, Feb. 14:

Understanding Your Farmland

Learn about the connection between land use and water quality, basics of soil types, soil productivity and limitations. We will also discuss resources available to help you assess and determine what practices might best fit your lands and goals.

Tuesday, Feb. 21:

Protecting Soil & Water

Learn all about soil health, soil fertility, manure applications, basics of conservation practices, and farmland programs and regulations. We will also talk about local resources & assistance available to help you and your renter incorporate conservation practices on your land.

Tuesday, Feb. 28:

Developing a Farmland Lease

Learn about the importance of a multi-year written lease, the economics of crop production, what goes into a good lease, and considerations for a fair price.

