

Join Us for an Exciting Agricultural Event! Hosted by the Virginia Dare Soil and Water Conservation District.

Date: Tuesday, June 24th, 2025

Time: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Location: Hickory Ruritan Club, 2752 S. Battlefield Blvd. Chesapeake, VA

Discover Opportunity through local Ag partners!

Join us for "**Talkin' Farmin**'," an evening dedicated to exploring opportunities through local Ag partners. Hear from producers in the area who have participated in different programs offered by the SWCD. Dig deep into the Va. Agricultural Cost Share Program and find out what other BMPs might fit your operation. Participate in a Question and Answer portion with the District and their partners to find out more about different practices and how they may fit into your current operation. Whether you're a seasoned farmer, an aspiring agriculturist, or simply interested in learning more about the world of farming, this event is for you!

Event Highlights

- Partner Agency Update: Hear from our partner agencies like DCR (Dept. Conservation & Recreation), NRCS (Natural Resource Conservation Service), FSA (Farm Service Agency), Virginia Cooperative Extension, Farm Bureau, and VSU Small Farm Outreach Program.
- **Q & A Session:** Participate in opening up the Program Year 2026 VACS Manual and see specific practices and specifications for different BMPs.
- Enjoy Dinner: Dinner will be offered for those who RSVP prior to the deadline.
- **Early Signup:** Get on the list for early sign up for VACS Practices including Cover Crop for Program Year 2026.

Registration

Admission: Free! Registration is strongly encouraged. Verbal Registration is ok through Cory Hoar or register here → ⊕ Talkin' Farmin' Event June 24th, 2025

RSVP: Please register by June 17th, 2025, to secure your spot.

Contact: For more information, email us at choar@vbgov.com or call (757) 560-4786.