



## **IDDA Annual Conference**

**Friday, December 4, 2009**

**Starlight Village Hotel**

**Fort Dodge, Iowa**

### **Welcome to the IDDA Annual Conference and Business Meeting.**

We hope you find the information provided in today's program to be useful and informative. IDDA appreciates your support, financial and otherwise, of association activities.

IDDA also thanks the corporate sponsors of today's meeting which, with their support, help keep our meeting costs low. Our silver sponsor is Agri-Drain Corp. and our Blue sponsors are Brinton, Bordwell, & Johnson; Jacobson-Westergard & Associates, Kuehl & Payer Ltd. and Prinsco Inc.

## **Morning Session**

- 7:45 a.m. - Registration opens.  
Morning refreshments.
- 8:30 a.m. - IDDA Annual Business Meeting
- 9:00 a.m. - Commence IDDA annual meeting
- 9:15 a.m. - Mr. Dean Lemke, Director of Water Resources, IDALS; "The Iowa Drainage and Wetland Landscape Initiative – Where are we and what happens next?"
- 10:05 a.m. – Dr. Matt Helmers, Iowa State University; What strategies do we have for reducing nitrate export and how effective are they?"
- 10:50 a.m. - Mr. Don Etler, P.E.: "Why don't more drainage projects get done?"
- 11:30 a.m. – Sponsor presentations

## **Afternoon Session**

- 12:15 p.m. – Buffet Lunch
- 1:00 p.m. – Mr. Monte Shaw, Executive Director, Iowa Renewable Fuels Association; "Ethanol and Biodiesel – The American Solution
- 1:45 p.m. - Adjourn