



KENTUCKY/TENNESSEE BEGINNING FARMER SUMMIT

FEBRUARY 16, 2018 @ 10:00 A.M.
KENTUCKY FAIR AND EXPOSITION CENTER
SOUTH WING ROOM B103

TRANSFORMING IDEAS INTO BUSINESS



FEATURED SPEAKERS



Ryan Quarles,
Kentucky Commissioner of
Agriculture



Jai Templeton,
Tennessee Commissioner of
Agriculture

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10:00 - 10:30 a.m. **Registration**

10:30 - 11:00 a.m. **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

John McCauley, Chair, Kentucky Agricultural Council
Jai Templeton, Tennessee Commissioner of Agriculture

11:00 - Noon **Basics of Starting a Business Plan**

Jonathan Carter, Farm Credit Mid-America
Part 1 - Have a Plan? Building a Business Plan
Part 2 - Financing the Plan - How to Work with a Lender

Noon - 12:30 p.m. **Working Lunch**

Recognition of individuals supporting the summit and veterans

12:30 - 1:00 p.m. **State of Kentucky Agriculture**

Ryan Quarles, Kentucky Commissioner of Agriculture

1:00 - 2:00 p.m. **USDA Beginning Farmer Initiative**

Amanda L. Robertson, Beginning Farmer Regional Coordinator

2:00 - 3:00 p.m. **Round Table Discussions**

- USDA - FSA, Rural Development, NRCS
- KFB/TFB - Farm Bill, Ag Policy Updates
- Dr. Andrew Griffith - Livestock Update
- UK/UT Extension Programs and Resources
- ADM - Grain Update
- Farmer/Veteran

3:00 p.m. **Closing Remarks**

Mark Barker, Vice-Chair, Kentucky Agricultural Council

Registration: www.kyagcouncil.org

Attendance is free of charge and
limited to 100 participants.

Questions?:

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