NATURAL ENEMIES, POLLINATORS, AND PESTICIDES:

BENEFICIAL INSECTS AND INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT



6 p.m.-8 p.m. Thursday, Feb.15

Orangeburg County Cooperative Extension 1550 Henley St., Suite 200, Orangeburg



Featuring Dr. Rebecca Ann Schmidt-Jeffris, Clemson University Assistant Professor of Vegetable and Strawberry Entomology, and Emily Bonilla, USDA-NRCS District Conservationist



Beneficial insects are an important part of on-farm integrated pest management. During this workshop, Dr. Schmidt-Jeffris will discuss the importance, identification, biology, and conservation of beneficial insects, including the natural enemies of pest insects. Ms. Bonilla will share information about USDA-NRCS programs to assist with pollinator habitat enhancement. Join us to learn how to protect and encourage beneficial insects on your farm!



Supper provided, and pesticide applicators may receive 1 CCH. Preregistration is required; maximum of 45 participants. Register ASAP by contacting Diane Curlee at 803-534-2409, ext. 8918 or dcurlee@orangeburgcounty.org.

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