

AGRICULTURE CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

2023 North American Wildlife & Natural Resources Conference

Chair: Kevin Robling (SD)
Vice-Chair: Tim McCoy (NE)

Friday, March 24th
9:00am-12:00pm

Room: Marriot Grand Hotel
St. Louis, Missouri



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Agenda

9:00 Call to Order, Review Agenda

Kevin Robling (SD)

9:05 Review Charge

“The Agricultural Conservation Committee is charged with advancing administrative and legislative policies that create, enhance, and protect fish and wildlife habitat and expand recreational access on farm, ranch, and forest land. The Committee is also charged with helping document program and policy benefits and outcomes, as well as assessing the habitat risks and impacts from food, fiber, and biomass production to inform Committee policy recommendations.”

9:15 Federal Updates

- Farm Service Agency
- Natural Resources Conservation Service

9:45 Farm Bill

Kevin Robling & Kalina Vatave, AFWA

- Review platform updates
- Top priorities

10:00 IRA & Partnership

Kalina Vatave

- NRCS partnership Success Stories
- “Climate-smart” wildlife practices

10:30 Work Group Reports Out

Working Group Chairs

11:30 Working Group Admin

Kevin Robling

- Chair vacancies: RCPP (Chair/vice), Bioenergy (Chair), Public Access (vice-chair)
- Consolidation of Working Groups

11:40 RAWA

Sean Seville, TBD

11:45 State Roundtable, Updates

All

12:00 Adjourn