



## **LEAD MEETING AGENDA**

**January 21-22, 2019**  
**Embassy Suites, Lexington**

### **Monday, January 21, 2019**

***\*All Times are Eastern Standard Time.***

***\*\*Business Casual Dress for meeting. Casual Dress (jeans) is acceptable for dinner.***

***\*\*\*Meeting will be in the Fayette Room.***

**6:45 – 8:30 AM      *Breakfast***

*Complimentary cook-to-order breakfast, located in the Paddock Lounge, is open to LEAD participants beginning at 6:45 AM. Please have breakfast prior to the session beginning at 8:45 AM.*

**8:45 – 9:00 AM      Greetings from Ms. Sharon Furches, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President  
Kentucky Farm Bureau**

**9:00 AM              *“Get Acquainted” Exercise, Meeting Overview &  
LEAD Program Orientation & Guidelines (Fayette Room)*  
Kentucky Farm Bureau Staff**

**10:15 AM            *Break***

**10:30 AM            *Plugging In***  
**Todd Bright, Director, Communication Division**  
**Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation**  
*LEAD Class members must absorb a great deal of information during the next two years, but Kentucky Farm Bureau is a large, busy organization and knowing how to get connected to the news as it happens can sometimes be difficult. In this short session, we will explain the many different Kentucky Farm Bureau communication channels available to you; walk through the steps to access them directly; and, examine how you will need to put them to use in the coming months.*

**11:30 AM            *Depart for Lunch***

**12 Noon              *Etiquette Lunch with Mrs. Terri Thompson*  
Clark County Farm Bureau Office**

**1:30 PM              *Tour Winchester Dairy***

**Monday, January 21, 2019 (continued)**

- 3:00 PM            ***Travel to Hotel***
- 3:30 PM            ***Business Etiquette with Mrs. Terri Thompson***
- 6:00 PM            ***Depart hotel for Group Dinner***  
                      *\*Casual Attire (jeans) is acceptable for dinner.*
- 6:30 PM            ***Group Dinner***
- 8:45 PM            ***Return to Hotel***

**Tuesday, January 22, 2019**

***\*All Times are Eastern Standard Time.***

***\*\*Business Casual Dress for meeting.***

***\*\*\*Meeting will be in the Fayette Room. Lunch will be in the Lower Atrium.***

- 6:45 – 7:45 AM    ***Breakfast***  
                          *Complimentary cook-to-order breakfast, located in the Paddock Lounge, is open to LEAD participants beginning at 6:45 AM. Please have breakfast prior to the session beginning at 8:00*
- 8:00 – 8:15        ***Greetings from Mr. Drew Graham, Executive Vice President Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation***
- 8:15 AM            ***StrengthsFinder 2.0***  
                          ***Elise Stoddard, Director, Leadership Development***  
                          ***American Farm Bureau Federation***  
                          *During this interactive session, you will learn more about your unique combination of talents, knowledge, and skills. You will learn how best to utilize these innate traits and abilities in your daily life to better relate with others and achieve your personal and professional goals. People who focus on their strengths daily are more likely to be engaged and have greater success, both personally and professionally.*
- 10:00 AM          ***Break***
- 10:15 AM          ***StrengthsFinder 2.0 (continued)***
- 12:30 PM          ***Group Lunch (Lower Atrium)***

- 1:30 PM                    ***Dimensions of Kentucky Farm Bureau***  
**Matthew W. Ingram, Director, Organization Division &  
Assistant to the Executive Vice President  
Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation**  
*Farm Bureau is the most powerful, effective and respected farm organization in Kentucky today, largely in part, to the grassroots character of the organization and the involvement of its members. In this session, you will receive an overview of Kentucky Farm Bureau from an organizational standpoint. Extra time will be allowed for you to ask questions about the organization and its programs and services.*
- 2:15 PM                    ***Break***
- 2:30 PM                    ***Young Farmer Engagement Opportunities***

**Tuesday, January 22, 2019 (continued)**

- 3:00 PM                    ***Review of 2019 State and National Priority Issues***  
**Jeff Harper, Director, Public Affairs Division  
Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation**  
*In this session, you will learn about the state and national issues that will be a priority for Kentucky Farm Bureau throughout 2019.*
- 3:30 PM                    ***Preparations for the Kentucky Farm Bureau Congressional Tour  
February 22-26, 2019***  
*Review travel arrangements and tentative agenda.*
- 4:00 PM                    ***Meeting Evaluation & Adjourn***

## 2019 LEAD MEETING DATES

February 22-26 KFB Congressional Tour, Washington, DC

August 20-22 LEAD Meeting, Central KY/Louisville

October (TBA) LEAD Meeting, Western Kentucky

December 4-7 KFB State Annual Meeting, Louisville, KY

*\*No formal LEAD functions scheduled and attendance at the state annual meeting is not required.*