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To: Area Agronomy Professionals

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**Re: 2017 UW Extension Pest Management Update**

**Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, the Annual UW Pest Management Update will be held in Sparta, Wisconsin at Jake's Northwoods.** Registration will begin at 8:30 am, the program will begin promptly at 9:00 am., and finish by noon. Jake's is located on the northeast side of Sparta on Hwy 21 next to the American Legion.

**Format for this year:**

- The workshop is only three hours in length
- There will be morning refreshments
- **Lunch is not included at the Sparta location this year.** You are welcome to have lunch on your own in the restaurant at Jakes or head to your deer stand or back to the grain facility.

**2017 Pest Management Update Topics:**

- Integrated Pest Management Updates in corn, soybeans, alfalfa, and small grains: Update on new products and/or use of existing products as well as brief highlights of the 2017 pest situations in each crop.
- Wisconsin herbicide resistance update by Mark Renz
- In-depth weed diagnostic and management training by Mark Renz and Dan Heider

3 CEU pest management credits have been applied for.

Cost for the update is \$40, which includes handouts and refreshments. Extra packets will be available for \$30. **There will be a \$5 late fee for all registrations after the November 3rd deadline, and walk-ins as per state instructions.**

**Please register with the Monroe County Extension Office 608-269-8722 by Friday, November 3rd if you plan on attending. Please help us keep costs for these programs down by pre-registering.**

Other upcoming Ag Professional Updates in Sparta include:

- Soil and Water and Fertilizer Update, Thursday, November 30<sup>th</sup> afternoon only**
- Agronomy Update, Friday January 5<sup>th</sup>, noon to 3 pm