

# Central Jersey Vegetable Growers Meeting

## Sign-Up Form

**Friday, February 20, 2026**

**9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**

**Fee: \$40 per person which includes coffee with light fare in the morning and lunch**

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

State & Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ :

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

# of Attendees \_\_\_\_\_ X \$40 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### **Payment is required with registration**

Registrations are non-refundable

### **Please make checks payable to:**

**Rutgers, the State University of NJ**

**and mail to:**

**Rutgers Cooperative Extension**

**4000 Kozloski Road, Freehold, NJ 07728**

**For registration questions, call Cathy at 732-431-7260**

or email to

[Catherine.VanBenschoten@co.monmouth.nj.us](mailto:Catherine.VanBenschoten@co.monmouth.nj.us)

Purchase Orders will be Accepted

**Kindly RSVP by Monday, February 9, 2026**

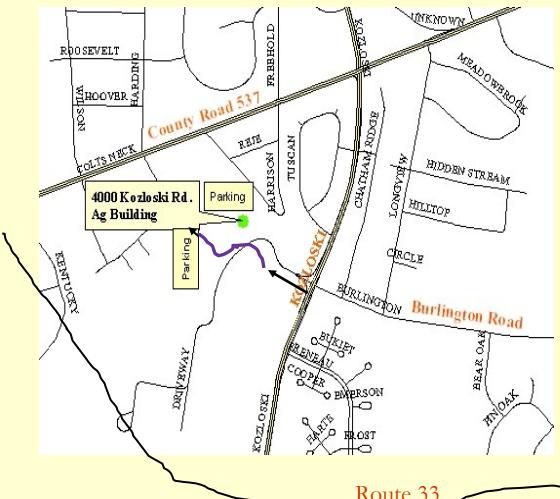
## LOCATION

### Monmouth County Ag Building

4000 Kozloski Road

Freehold, NJ 07728

(732) 431-7260



The Ag Building is located at 4000 Kozloski Road, located between Rt. 537 and Rt. 33. Traveling north on Kozloski, turn left at traffic signal on to First Responders Way. Traveling south on Kozloski, turn right at signal. Ag building is the red brick building with blue trim. Please park in rear of building or in the parking lot to the right of building as you enter the complex.

In case of extremely inclement weather, please call office at 732-431-7260 for message

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New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station

Rutgers Cooperative Extension

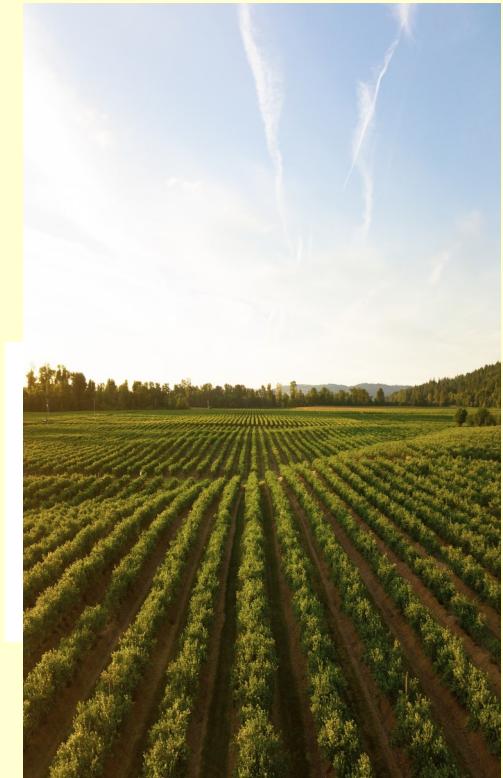
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# Agenda

### 8:30 - REGISTRATION

### 9:00 - Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) for Pesticide Applicators

- David Hlubik

### 9:30 - Vegetable IPM Updates

- Amanda Quadrel

### 10:00 - Identifying and Differentiating Common Diseases of Cucurbits

- Patrick McMullen

### 10:30—10:45 - BREAK

### 10:45 - Intercropping Ginger Trials

- Lauren Erickson

### 11:15 a.m. - Specialty Winter Squash for New Jersey Growers

- David Hlubik

### 11:45 - 12:30 LUNCH

### 12:30 - Service Provider Updates

### 1:00 p.m. - Resistance Management and the Pesticide Label— What You Need to Know

- Kate Brown

### 1:30 - Soil Fertility and Nutrition for Plant Health

- Joseph Heckman

2:00 p.m. - **Managing Mugwort on Unkempt Farmland Using an Integrated Approach**

- Matthew Milburn

2:30 p.m. - **Making Your Website Work Harder**

- Justine Gray

3:00      Course Evaluation  
Pesticide Credits

### PLEASE READ THIS IMPORTANT INFORMATION!

All NJ Pesticide applicators MUST show a photo ID and Pesticide License Number

### DEP Pesticide Credits Applied For:

CORE - TBD

1A - TBD

PP2 - TBD

10 -TBD

***This Annual Event***

***is brought to you by***

***Rutgers Cooperative Extension***

***of***

***Monmouth, Mercer,***

***Middlesex, Burlington, Ocean***

***& Somerset Counties.***

***The cost of lunch and registration is \$40***

