

Wednesday, June 19

- 3 – 9 p.m. Trade Show Set Up
3 p.m. Committee Meetings for Policy Development
*proposed policy must be submitted by 2 p.m. Friday
5 p.m. Affiliate Council Meeting
6 p.m. Welcome Reception *Sponsored by Risk Associates and From the Farm*

Thursday, June 20

- 6 a.m. Trade Show Set Up
7 a.m. Registration and Trade Show Open
8 a.m. Convention Welcome
9 a.m. **The Good Ole Boys**—Max Thornsberry, DVM, former President
Annual Prayer Breakfast *Sponsored by Ag-West Feeds*
9:45 a.m. Break
10 a.m. **The Global War on Farmers & Humanity**—Alex Newman, Liberty Sentinel CEO
10:45 a.m. Trade Show Break
11:30 a.m. **Progress Made and More to Come: An Update on USDA's Commitment to Fair and Competitive Markets**—Andy Green, USDA Senior Advisor for Fair and Competitive Markets
12 p.m. **Can Shrimpers Save Ranchers? Congress Rediscovering Tariff Protection**—Charles Benoit, Coalition for a Prosperous America Trade Counsel
12:30 p.m. Leaving a Legacy Lunch *Sponsored by Tri-State Livestock News and Trade Show Break*
1:30 p.m. **FSA Supporting Livestock Producers-Now and in the Future**—Zach Ducheneaux, USDA Farm Service Agency Administrator
2 p.m. **Protect American Lamb Panel**—Carson Jorgensen, Utah sheep rancher; John Espil, Nevada sheep rancher; and Bill Kluck, Sheep Committee Chair
2:45 p.m. Trade Show Break
3:15 p.m. **Cut out the Middleman: Diversify Revenue and Grow Your Direct-to-Consumer Operation**—Mike Parker, Direct Farm Marketing Owner
4 p.m. **Liberty Lost: Lessons From A Cow**—Tracy Hunt, Wyoming rancher and attorney
5 p.m. Raising the Bar Social, Entertainment, and Pub Crawl *Sponsored by Cattlemen's Heritage Beef Company and Legacy Beef Co-op*
Trade Show Closed

Friday, June 21

- 8 a.m. Registration and Trade Show Open
8:30 a.m. Business Over Brew: R-CALF USA Membership Breakfast *Sponsored by Fort Pierre Livestock Auction*
CEO Report—Bill Bullard
Committee Chair Reports—Shad Sullivan, Property Rights; Kenny Fox, Animal ID; Vaughn Meyer, Checkoff; Mike Schultz, Country of Origin Labeling; Max Thornsberry, Animal Health; Eric Nelson, Marketing; and Bill Kluck, Sheep
9:15 a.m. **Antitrust Litigation Update**—Patrick McGahan, Scott + Scott attorney and partner
Checkoff Litigation Update—David Muraskin, FarmSTAND Managing Director of Litigation
10:30 a.m. Trade Show Break

- 11:15 a.m.** **The Beef Checkoff and Fleas from the Dogs We Lay With**—Jim Mundorf, Lonesome Lands owner and journalist
- 12 p.m.** 1998 Lunch *Sponsored by Risk Associates* and Trade Show Break
- 1 p.m.** **From Cattle Drives to Captive Supply, Competition in the Cattle Industry**—Michael Kades, DOJ Antitrust Division Deputy Assistant Attorney General
- 1:30 p.m.** **COOL and Competition Reform-DC Update**—Patty Lovera, Campaign for Family Farms and the Environment Policy Advisor
- 2 p.m.** Break
- 2:15 p.m.** **Congresswoman Harriet Hageman (R-WY)**
- 3 p.m.** Break
- 3:45 p.m.** Business Session, Board Nominations, and Voting on Proposed Policy Resolutions
Trade Show Closed
- 5 p.m.** Boots and Bling: Silver Spur Social
- 6 p.m.** 25th Anniversary Banquet Dinner *Sponsored by Weinreis Brothers*
- 7 p.m.** **The Undeclared War on Food**—Lara Logan, Award-winning investigative journalist
- 8 p.m.** Saddle Raffle Drawing and Live Auction