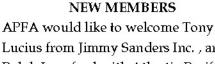
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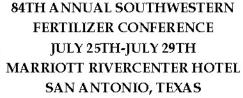
FERTILIZER FEE'S INCREASE

On August 1,2009 the fertilizer inspection fee will be raised to \$2.40/ton. This is due to the previous legislative session raising the fees to support research and maintaining the Marianna soil test station. All residents of Arkansas are provided



APFA BOARD APPOINTS

Lucius from Jimmy Sanders Inc., and Ralph Lunsford with Atlantic-Pacific Ag. Co. Tony and Ralph were elected to the APFA board at the last meeting held in May 09.



The 2009 Southwestern Fertilizer
Conference will begin Saturday, July
25th in San Antonio, Texas. This year's
world fertilizer outlook will be
presented by Bill Whitacre, CEO, J.R.
Simplot Company. Other highlights of
the conference, will include credit
situation positioning by Erin
Fitzpatrick. Also, there will be a
Governmental Affairs Update by Ford
West, President of The Fertilizer
Institute. For more information visit



free soil sample analysis, unlike some states that charge for this service. In addition this money funds research projects approved by the soil test review board. Arkansas State Plant Board







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APFA Summer Meeting

AUGUST 7TH-9TH TUNICA, MISSISSIPPI

The Arkansas Plant Food
Association will hold its summer
meeting at Harrah's Veranda Towers
Casino and Resort. The general
membership meeting will be
Saturday, August, 8th at 8:00 a.m.
The meeting will be held at the
Mid-South Convention center, which
is located next to the Veranda
Towers. After the meeting, there
will be a golf game scheduled for
The Links at Cottonwood at 10:00 for
anyone who would like to play.

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Other activities available include a concert by Dwight Yoakam, Counting Crow's show, Fishing, factory shoppes, Bellissimo Spa & Salon, Sporting Clays and much more. Please see contact information below for reservations:

room reservations
1-866-635-7095
Block #S08APF9
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Technical Conference

Dr. Leo Espinoza 'C'
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Dr. Calvin Shumway
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