

AGPROfessionals Founder, Tom Haren Selected for USDA's Task Force on Agricultural Air Quality Research

GREELEY, CO, UNITED STATES,
November 21, 2024 /
EINPresswire.com/ -- On November
18th, the USDA announced the
appointment of <u>Tom Haren</u>, CEO and
Founder of <u>AGPROfessionals</u>, as one of
the 27 new members of the Task Force
on Agricultural Air Quality Research.
Haren is based in Greeley, Colorado,
and is one of two members from the
state.

According to the USDA announcement, some of the topics the task force may focus on include:

- Discussing state and local air quality regulations related to agriculture and the potential impact on agricultural operations in those areas.
- Providing guidance and recommendations to the secretary

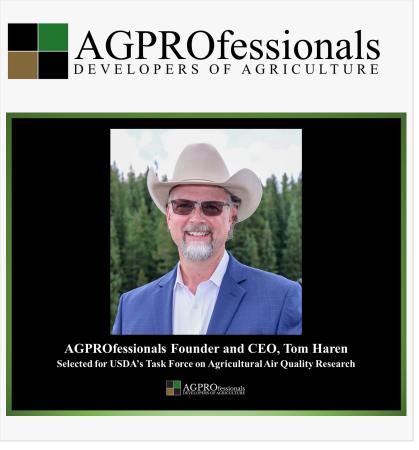
 The secretary from the secr

regarding the impact on agriculture from U.S. Environmental Protection Agency rules and research.

• Discussing agricultural greenhouse gas and carbon sequestration topics and sustainable solutions.

The task force is chaired by USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service Chief and was created by the 1996 Farm Bill to address agricultural air quality issues. The new task force members will "examine the intersection of agricultural production and air quality and advise the secretary on supporting agricultural solutions to help improve air quality."

Members of the 2024-2026 task force are:



Kevin Abernathy – Tennessee Robert Burns - Tennessee Brian Cochrane – Washington Manuel Cunha - California Iris Feng – North Dakota Daniel Fields - Michigan Kelley Green - Texas Thomas Haren – Colorado Maia Hutt - North Carolina Jimmy Kinder - Oklahoma April Leytem - Idaho Hong Li – Delaware Sheryl Magzamen - Colorado Chris McGlothlin - California Frank Mitloehner - California Lara Moody - Maryland Paul Ollerton – Arizona Sally Shaver - North Carolina Bryan Shaw - Texas Samir Sheikh - California Philip Silva – Kentucky Rick Stowell - Nebraska Marguerite Tan - Arizona Rod Venterea - Minnesota Lingjuan Wang-Li – North Carolina D'Ann Williams - Maryland Joseph Wolfgang - Pennsylvania

"I am honored to be selected to serve on USDA's Agricultural Air Quality Task Force. I look forward to contributing to the important work of bridging the gap between regulations and environmental protection while ensuring a safe and abundant food supply for all," said Tom Haren, AGPROfessionals founder and CEO.

AGPROfessionals is an outcome-focused development and advocacy company that provides a broad spectrum of services to farmers, ranchers, investors, and other stakeholders in the agricultural industry across the United States. AGPROfessionals is headquartered in Greeley, Colorado and has team members strategically located in Arkansas, Idaho, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas.

Karen Gerfen Glueck - VP Communications & Strategic Planning AGPROfessionals +1 970-571-4146 email us here Visit us on social media: Facebook X LinkedIn Instagram YouTube

This press release can be viewed online at: https://www.einpresswire.com/article/762717976

EIN Presswire's priority is source transparency. We do not allow opaque clients, and our editors try to be careful about weeding out false and misleading content. As a user, if you see something we have missed, please do bring it to our attention. Your help is welcome. EIN Presswire, Everyone's Internet News Presswire™, tries to define some of the boundaries that are reasonable in today's world. Please see our Editorial Guidelines for more information. © 1995-2024 Newsmatics Inc. All Right Reserved.