

## 25th Anniversary No-till on the Plains Winter Conference January 26, 2021

7:30-8:30 Check-in and Coffee Opening Remarks & Introductions 8:30 **Darin Qualman, Civilization Critical** 8:45-10:00 Darin is the author of the 2019 report "Tackling the Farm Crisis and the Climate Crisis" and the 2019 book Civilization Critical: Energy, Food, Nature, and the Future. 10:00-10:30 **Break** Chris Teachout, Breathing Life Into Our 10:30-Noon Soils. Shenandoah, Iowa farmer Chris Teachout has been using soil health principles on his farm for the last 20 years. Hear what Chris has unearthed from a soil caretaker point of view. Noon-1:00 **Break** 

1:00-4:30 John Kempf, Biology Centric Nutrient (Break at 3:15) Management, (Good bye chemistry)

John will give you a very different perspective on plant nutrition, one you won't hear about from ag retailers.

- How most nutrient deficiencies are created by over-application
- How the form of nutrients applied determines availability, (and most commercial products reduce availability rather than increase it)
- How soil analyses that are known to be inaccurate are used as sales tools to sell unneeded products.
- How soil amendments and fertilizers often are applied at the least optimal time

Panel of the 3 Conference speakers moderated by Dr. Dwayne Beck







4:30-5:15













