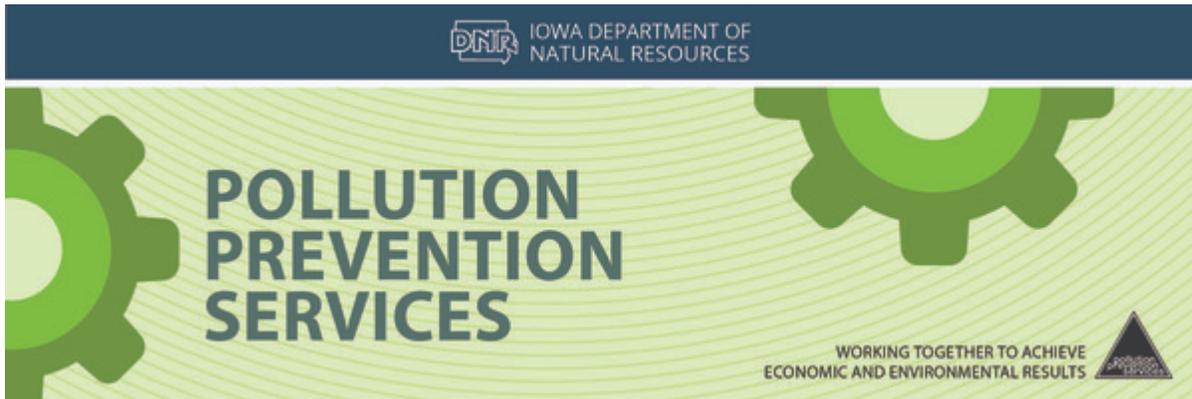




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September 2018 summit brings food recovery focus to the Midwest

Food waste is a problem globally and nationally. There are many opportunities and options out there for food waste reduction, recovery, and recycling to solve this problem and the 2018 Midwest Food Recovery Summit is bringing many of them to Des Moines, IA from September 11-13, 2018.



The first summit, held in September 2017, brought together over 130 attendees from all over the United States (18 states overall) and Canada to discuss their food waste initiatives, case studies, and successes to overcome and tackle food waste. Speakers and attendees alike came from numerous industries (education, grocery stores, restaurants, consultants, regulatory agencies, landfill operations, and more) and focused on initiatives from many levels of food recovery (source reduction, food insecurity, anaerobic digestion, composting, landfill operations, and more).

The 2018 summit will do the same and include keynotes, panel discussions, and interactive workshops allowing attendees to learn, network, and discuss ways to tackle food waste as well as showcase their own efforts to reduce food waste and increase food recovery and recycling.

To register or learn more about sponsorship opportunities, the schedule, or other details, please visit mwfoodsummit.com.

Upcoming Events

August 1 [EMS Workshop](#) Johnston, IA

August 7 - 9 [Kansas Environmental Conference](#) Wichita, KS

September 5 - 6 [Industrial Pretreatment Conference](#) Marshalltown, IA

September 11 - 13 [Midwest Food Recovery Summit](#) Des Moines, IA

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