

Climate Change & NJ Ag

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“Can I Get a Witness?”

- Is climate change being discussed by NJ farmers?
- Where are the tangible effects of climate change for NJ farmers to observe?
- Current farmer opinion/AFBF policy

Comments on Existing Status

- It's okay to encourage the climate change conversation
- NJAES/RCE is the place to have the conversation to increase awareness and discovery of implementation ideas
- Forget NJ boundaries

Comments on Future Steps / “What should we be doing?”

- Where does the conversation take us?
- Little appetite by industry for government mandates; institutional resources stretched very thin
- Who should take responsibility?
- Incremental v. universal approach for ag & the U.S. as a nation
- Ag institutions are ready to go