



Government Affairs Committee

NCFC Office

1C Conference Room

Washington, DC

November 12 – 14, 2025

OVERVIEW AGENDA

November 12th

All Day **Arrival and Check-in**

5:30 PM **Welcome Reception**
East Atrium Gallery
The Royal Sonesta

November 13th

1C Conference Center
50 F Street NW

8:00 AM **Breakfast**

9:00 AM **Washington Update**
Guest Speaker: David Wasserman
The Cook Political Report with Amy Walter

10:00 AM **Break**

10:30 AM **Department of Labor AWER Rule Expectations for 2026**
Guest Speaker: Samantha Ayoub & John Walt Boatright
American Farm Bureau Federation

11:30 AM **Networking Lunch**

1:00 PM **Americans for Food Ingredient Transparency (AFIT) Coalition Update**
Guest Speaker: Samantha Buchalter
The Russell Group

2:00 PM **Trade Update**
Guest Speaker: Josh Snead, House Ways and Means Trade Subcommittee (invited)*



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3:00 PM **Break**

3:30 PM **NCFC Strategic Planning Process – Horizon Scanning**

- *Preparing NCFC for the Next Decade Through Market and Policy Foresight*
- *Identifying Emerging Trends and Disruptors in Agriculture Policy*
- *Assessing Future Opportunities and Risks for Farmer Cooperatives*

5:00 PM **Adjourn**

6:00 PM **Reception & Dinner**

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November 14th

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8:30 AM **Breakfast**

9:00 AM **NCFC CO-OP/PAC Report – Planning for 2026**

9:30 AM **Review of NCFC Policy & Priorities for 2026**

- *Opportunity to Discuss Public Policy Conference Topics and Program*

10:00 AM **Break**

10:30 AM **NCFC Strategic Planning Continued**

- *Deepening Member Engagement to Drive Collective Impact*
- *Effective Advocacy and Communications*
- *Building Organizational Capacity for Strategic Execution*

12:00 PM **Adjourn & Lunch**