



SOUTH TEXAS COMMODITY SYMPOSIUM

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SOUTH TEXAS COMMODITY SYMPOSIUM TO BE HELD IN SAN ANTONIO

SAN ANTONIO, TX (October 21, 2011) - The second annual South Texas Commodity Symposium will be held November 11, and is hosted by Texas Corn Producers, Texas Grain Sorghum Producers, Texas Peanut Producers Board, Texas Wheat Producers Association, South Texas Cotton & Grain Association and Southwest Council of Agribusiness.

The symposium will be held in conjunction with the third annual San Antonio International Farm and Ranch Show at Freeman Coliseum. The symposium will begin at 10 a.m. The event is free to all and will conclude with a catered lunch.

Tentative speakers include a representative from the State Comptroller's office to provide an update on agriculture sales tax exemption and endangered species regulations, and Tracy King of the Texas House Natural Resource Committee to discuss agriculture issues in the Texas legislature. The program will also include a panel of farmers and officials from around the state discussing water regulations and farm irrigation issues.

For more information about the symposium, please contact Morgan Newsom, Texas Grain Sorghum Producers, Producer Relations Coordinator. For more information about the 2011 San Antonio International Farm and Ranch Show, please visit www.farmandranchexpo.com.