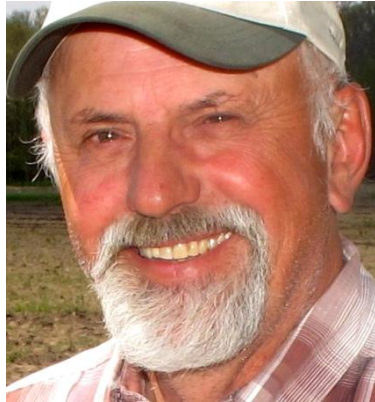




Meet Dave Bishop: OGRAIN Contractor



Dave Bishop and his family own and operate PrairiErth Farm, a 480-acre diversified farm in central Illinois. They produce corn, soybeans, wheat, vegetables, beef, pork, eggs, and honey. The farm has been certified organic since 2004.

Dave is president of the Illinois Local Food, Farms, and Jobs Council, and serves on the Sustainable Ag Advisory Committee for the Illinois Department of Agriculture. He also has an organic systems consulting business.

The farm's mix of livestock and crops is the foundation of its sustainable system. Dave's extended crop rotation includes grazing time for livestock on row crop fields to build organic matter in the soil, provide balanced fertility for future crops, and increase the income-producing capacity of each acre.

The Bishops' farming practices have garnered several awards: They are the 2017 MOSES Organic Farmers of the Year and recipients of the 2018 RJ Vollmer Award for Sustainable Agriculture from the Illinois Department of Agriculture.

Do you have questions that Dave can answer? Dave is available to answer your e-mails & calls about anything related to Organic grain production

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