



## News Release

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**Ankeny, Iowa** — The North Central Soybean Research Program (NCSRP) is launching a newly designed website to maximize and showcase the efforts of the 13-state, farmer-led organization.

“The redeveloped NCSRP website demonstrates how these North Central states collaborate to provide meaningful research through farmer checkoff investments regarding pests and diseases, weed management and breeding and genetics,” says Cecil Demott, president of the NCSRP Board of Directors. “Since 1992, our organization has funded more than \$56 million in soybean research and this new website is a central location for farmers to see the results of this investment.”

Website users can access an abundance of information including articles highlighting the most recent NCSRP-funded research projects conducted across the region as well as up-to-date findings about soybean diseases and pests.

The NCSRP is recognized as a leader in multi-state collaborative research and outreach efforts to support soybean farmers and drive the soybean industry forward. The focus of NCSRP is soybean production research and extension outreach. NCSRP’s emphasis on enhancing and protecting soybean yield through genetics and agronomic practices contributes to farmer success today and tomorrow. The NCSRP Board of Directors is comprised of 13 farmers representing each of the member states who work together to advance the soybean industry for their peers.

The NCSRP site shares valuable information with the [Soybean Research & Information Network \(SRIN\)](#) website, which showcases soybean research conducted across all soybean growing regions of the United States.

“The SRIN website is an inclusive resource for soybean farmers, Extension professionals, consultants and researchers. The website originated with NCRSP and has now expanded

through our partnership with the United Soybean Board (USB) to include information for soybean growers across the country,” says Ed Anderson, NCSRSP executive director. “It is a comprehensive website for soybean farmers to learn the latest about agronomics, diseases and pests, as well as how researchers are improving the soybean through genetic development and breeding. We are appreciative of USB for their partnership in the SRIN expansion to encompass all soybean growing areas.”

To learn more about the NCSRSP visit: [ncsrp.com](http://ncsrp.com).

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*The North Central Soybean Research Program serves as a bridge between state and national soybean organizations in funding and communicating basic and applied soybean research programs for growers across the North Central region. The research programs are highly collaborative and uniquely appropriate in addressing soybean production, profitability and environmental sustainability. Funded by the soybean checkoff.*