

Hillsboro Scouting Report

Small Grains

A few wheat fields are ready for head scab application, while others will be ready over the next week or so. The correct timing for head scab is when the heads have just started flowering. Usually after the head has fully emerged, it will be about 2 days and flowering will begin. If you have any fields in question feel free to contact us.

Corn and Soybeans

The corn should get back on track with the weather we have had later in the week. If over the next few days you are still seeing what looks to be signs of nutrient deficiency, contact us to get a plant tissue analysis to decide whether to add a micronutrient.

The soybeans should also begin to come back from the early setback they have had from IDC. There are fields where the new growth on the plant is healthy. If you have a severe case of IDC in your fields there are some post-emergence applications that can be beneficial.

Sugarbeets

With the recent weather events, there is a fair amount of disease in the beets. Continue to watch for signs of Rhizoc and Aph, and contact us if you need to plant samples sent in for an analysis. Also, conditions are favorable this year for Cercospora so be on the lookout for that as well.

Halstad Scouting Report

Wheat

The general condition of the crops in the Halstad area remains varied. The early seeded wheat is looking good and beginning to head, head scab spraying is fast approaching. We can help with the timing of these applications.

Row Crops

The heat has improved the condition of the Beets, Corn, and Soybeans, although chlorosis is very evident in many fields, some the Soygreen fields are showing good results so far. Roundup applications are in full swing when the field conditions are fit.

Weeds

Just another reminder to be vigilant with checking for resistant weeds as early detection is important in controlling the spread of these weeds.

Hope everyone has a safe and relaxing July 4th Weekend!

