

2022 CIFA SRF Workshop Online Program

Innovative Financing: Thursday, October 13, 2022, 3:00 – 4:30 pm (ET)

ReFocus on Better Environmental Outcomes

Learn how Iowa's Clean Water State Revolving Fund invested in the Soil and Water Outcomes Fund, a partnership between ReHarvest Partners, subsidiary of Quantified Ventures, and AgOutcomes, a subsidiary of the Iowa Soybean Association, is incentivizing farmers to implement new conservation practices that improve water quality and sequester greenhouse gases.

- Dan Yeoman with ReHarvest Partners will talk about the outcomes-based approach to conservation and financing requirements to support new practice implementation.
- Aaron Smith with the Iowa Finance Authority will discuss how the Iowa SRF program partnered with ReHarvest to incentivize agricultural producers to adopt conservation practices that deliver positive outcomes for water quality.

Meet the Speakers



Dan Yeoman Chief Executive Officer ReHarvest Partners



Aaron Smith Chief Bond Programs Director Iowa Finance Authority

Bios

Dan Yeoman

CEO, ReHarvest Partners, Co-Manager, Soil & Water Outcomes Fund

Dan brings years of experience helping public and private sector organizations design and implement durable operating models and strategic growth plans. Dan serves as Chief Strategy Officer (CSO) for Quantified Ventures and Chief Executive Officer for ReHarvest Partners,

Quantified Ventures' sustainable agriculture subsidiary. Dan co-manages the Soil and Water Outcomes Fund with AgOutcomes, a subsidiary of the Iowa Soybean Association. As Quantified Ventures' CSO, Dan oversees financial operations and planning as well as new growth initiatives and deal structuring. As ReHarvest Partners' CEO, Dan manages new outcome customer relationships, customer and farmer contracts, and capital strategy. Prior to taking on the CEO role, Dan helped launch ReHarvest in 2020 and served as CFO overseeing ReHarvest's financial and capital model.

Prior to joining Quantified Ventures, Dan spent several years with McKinsey & Company and General Electric and its spinoff Genworth Financial. Dan has an MBA from Duke University and a BA from Wesleyan University.

Aaron Smith

Chief Bond Programs Director, Iowa Finance Authority

Aaron Smith joined the Authority as the Chief Bond Programs Director in March 2021. He oversees the Iowa State Revolving Funds for Clean Water and Drinking Water, the Private Activity Bond Program, the Homeownership Program, and the Beginning Farmer Loan Program. He holds master's degrees in Finance and Business Administration from Creighton University and a B.A. from MidAmerica Nazarene University. Aaron represents EPA Region 7 on the Board of Directors of the Council of Infrastructure Financing Authorities (CIFA).