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Lee County Extension hosts Creeping Indigo workshop

North Fort Myers, FL, Jan. 27, 2015 – Lee County UF/IFAS Extension Services will host a workshop on Creeping Indigo, a toxic broadleaf legume that has been identified in Lee County pastures and is harmful to horses. Dr. Brent Sellers of the Cattle Research and Education Center (CREC) will offer in-depth information on how to identify and control this plant in pastures and receive resources on other less known plants toxic to horses.

This free workshop is from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 4, at the North Fort Myers Recreation Center, 2000 North Recreation Park Way, behind the North Fort Myers Library, North Fort Myers. Please RSVP to Roy Beckford at fbeckford@leegov.com or 239-533-7512.

UF/IFAS Lee County Extension agents offer educational services through a three-way cooperative arrangement between the Board of County Commissioners, the University of Florida and the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Local extension agents are off-campus faculty members of the University of Florida.

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Note to media: Images available upon request. Contact Kristie Valone at Lee County Parks & Recreation, 239-533-7437 or kvalone@leegov.com