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## Session 1: Introduction to Rotational Grazing (February 11)

**Duration:** 90 minutes

- **Welcome & Program Overview** (CFGAs Staff)
  - Brief introduction to the program and objectives.
  - Overview of grazing mentor and grazing plan development
  - Look at eligible and ineligible expenses associated with implementation applications
  - Increased cap of \$100,000
- **Why Rotational Grazing?**
  - Benefits for small ruminants, larger animals, pastures, and producers.
- **Key Concepts of Rotational Grazing**
  - Understanding grazing pressure, rest periods, and stocking rates.
  - AGS
- **Case Study:** Successful Rotational Grazing Systems in Alberta/Sask that has received funding
  - Cheryl Theil
- **Q&A and Discussion**

<https://agriculture.canada.ca/en/programs/agricultural-climate-solutions-farm-climate-action-fund>

<https://www.canadianfga.ca/en/projects/advanced-grazing-systems/>

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Upcoming events: <https://www.canadianfga.ca/en/events/event-calendar/>

BC mentor list: <https://bcforagecouncil.ca/projects/ofcaf-funding/bc-grazing-mentors/>

Alberta mentor list: <https://areca.ca/ofcaf>

Sask mentor list: contact adrienne [adrienne@canadianfga.ca](mailto:adrienne@canadianfga.ca)

Link to Grazing Plan Template:

<https://www.canadianfga.ca/en/resource-library/grazing-plan-resources/>