

# MMSPA Fall Membership Meeting

**Date:** Saturday, October 7th, 2023, 9:30 AM  
**Meeting Location:** Butch & Amy Fideldy's  
Timbersweet Sugarhouse  
36131 County Road 63  
Cohasset, MN 55721

## Agenda:

**October 6 – Optional Friday Night Gathering at Rapids Brewing Co. (5:30 PM; Pizza and other food available).** 214 N Pokegama Ave, Grand Rapids, MN 55744

**October 7 – Saturday Meeting.** The meeting on Saturday will not feature a standard meeting program but rather focus on tours. Directions to tour stops will be provided at registration.

9:00-9:30 AM	Registration at Fideldy's sugarbush (36131 County Road 63, Cohasset, MN) <i>(refreshments provided)</i>
9:30-10:30 AM	Tour of Fideldy's Timbersweet sugarbush
10:30-11:30 AM	Tour of Pat Matthias sugarbush
11:30-12:30	Lunch at Fideldy's Orchard
1:00 PM	Tour of Forest History Center, <i>near Grand Rapids</i>

**Cost:** Meeting cost is \$15 (*lunch and Forest History Center tour included in fee*)

**RSVP:** Please RSVP by September 29th to MMSPA Secretary Ben Carlson via email ([sec@mnmaple.org](mailto:sec@mnmaple.org)) or phone (320-363-7784). Also indicate any dietary restrictions and number of people attending the meeting.

**Lodging:** There are many lodging options available with more than 7 hotels located in Grand Rapids:

- **AmericInn** – 1812 S Pokegama Ave, Grand Rapids, MN 55744
- **Best Western Plus** – 2309 SW 1st Ave, Grand Rapids, MN 55744
- **Country Inn & Suites** – 2601 US-169, Grand Rapids, MN 55744
- **Hotel Rapids** – 680 U.S. Rte 2, Grand Rapids, MN 55744
- **Timberlake Lodge** – 144 SE 17th St, Grand Rapids, MN 55744
- **IM by Timberlake** – 1702 S Pokegama Ave, Grand Rapids, MN 55744
- **Super 8** – 1702 S Pokegama Ave, Grand Rapids, MN 55744



**Figure 1** – Butch & Amy Fideldy, major hosts of the upcoming Fall Meeting of MMSPA. Image from the Minnesota Grown website (see URL below) <https://minnesotagrown.com/pick-of-the-month/member-feature-timbersweet/>