MEETING OF THE CALIFORNIA STATE BOARD OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE
(ALL MEETINGS OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC)

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BOARD MEETING OF NOVEMBER 16, 2011

AGENDA ITEMS

Forum on Extreme Climate Risks and California’s Future
Agriculture and the Food System

10:00 a.m. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL/APPROVAL OF MINUTES

10:05 a.m. OPENING REMARKS AND INTRODUCTION
  ▪ President Craig McNamara, California State Board of Food and Agriculture
  ▪ Secretary Karen Ross, California Department of Food and Agriculture
  ▪ Wade Crowfoot, Governor’s Office of Planning Research

10:15 a.m. PRESENTATION – Climate Change and U.S. Agriculture
  ▪ Lucinda Roth, State Climate Change Specialist
    U.S. Department of Agriculture, Natural Resources Conservation Service
  ▪ Questions from the Public

10:45 a.m. PANEL DISCUSSION – Extreme Events and Climate Change in California
  ▪ Dr. Louise Jackson, University of California, Davis
    o Challenges for Agricultural Landscapes
  ▪ Dr. Glen M. MacDonald, UCLA Institute on Environment and Sustainability
    o Ecosystems and Humans – an Agricultural Focus
  ▪ Kamyar Guivetchi, California Department of Water Resources
    o Drought and Agricultural Water Supply
  ▪ Questions from the Public

11:45 a.m. PRESENTATION – Economic Impact of Climate Change
  ▪ Daniel Sumner, Agricultural Issues Center
    University of California
  ▪ Questions from the Public

12:15 p.m. PANEL DISCUSSION – How California Can Respond to Climate Change
  ▪ Justin Malan, California Climate and Agriculture Network
    o Policy and Opportunity
  ▪ Kurt Malchow, Cal-Adapt
    o Resources and Network
  ▪ Courtney Albrecht, California Department of Food and Agriculture
    o 21st Century Pest Management (Invasive Species and Climate Change
  ▪ Dave Puglia, Western Growers
    o Agricultural Perspective
  ▪ Questions from the Public
1:15 p.m. PANEL DISCUSSION – Local/State Extreme Event Planning
- Ken Worman, California Emergency Management Agency
  - Statewide Extreme Event Planning – Scenarios
- John Rowden, California Department of Food and Agriculture
  - Agriculture and Food System Response in an Extreme Event
- Tammy Seale, PMC
  - Local Level Community Planning Agriculture
- Questions from the Public

2:15 p.m. CLOSING REMARKS
- Secretary Karen Ross, California Department of Food and Agriculture
- President Craig McNamara, California State Board of Food and Agriculture

2:20 p.m. OTHER BUSINESS

2:30 p.m. PUBLIC COMMENTS/ADJOURNMENT

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