JOINT STATE AGENCY PUBLIC MEETING OF THE
ENVIRONMENTAL FARMING ACT SCIENCE ADVISORY PANEL (EFA SAP)
CALRECYCLE AND THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

MEETING AGENDA
July 17, 2015
10 am to 4 pm
Byron Sher Auditorium
California Environmental Protection Agency
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EFA SAP MEMBERSHIP
Don Cameron, Member and Chair
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Jocelyn Bridson, MSc, Member
Vacant, Natural Resources Agency
Jeff Dlott, PhD, Member
Luana Kiger, MSc, Subject Matter Expert
Doug Parker, PhD, Subject Matter Expert

1. Introductions
2. Welcome address by CalRecycle and CDFA
   Jenny Lester Moffitt
   Deputy Secretary, CDFA
3. Updates
   • Minutes from previous meeting
   • SWEEP
4. Healthy Soils Initiative
   a. Impact of Soil Organic Matter on Nutrient Conservation and Soil Health
      Dr. William Horwath, Professor of Soil Biogeochemistry, UC Davis
   b. Microbial Communities, Compost and Implications for Soil Health
      Dr. Gary Andersen, Senior Scientist, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
   c. CalRecycle – efforts to date on compost
      Howard Levenson, CalRecycle
   d. A tool for incentivizing soil health in agriculture (Comet-Planner)
      Dr. Adam Chambers, USDA NRCS
5. Public Comment and Discussion (2 hours)
6. Next meeting and location

Amrith Gunasekara, PhD, CDFA Liaison to the Science Panel
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