



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
FOOD & AGRICULTURE

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Cattle Health Advisory Task Force Meeting Notice

The Cattle Health Advisory Task Force will meet:

Thursday, December 8th, 2022: 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

California Department of Food and Agriculture
1220 N Street, Room 333,
Sacramento, CA 95814

Zoom meeting:

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Justin Oldfield, Chair

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Public Participation

Members of the public are encouraged to provide comment to the Task Force and may suggest items to be placed on the agenda for discussion at the next Task Force meeting. While the Task Force values the participation of the public, the Task Force Chair reserves the right to limit the time for public comment, depending on the length of the agenda and number of commenters. Public comment must be related to the Task Force's authority and jurisdiction and its placement on the agenda is within the discretion of the Task Force Chair.

All matters noticed on this agenda may be considered for action. Items listed on the agenda may be considered in any order at the discretion of the Task Force Chair. Any item not so noticed will not be considered or discussed. All meeting Agendas and notices are available on the California Department of Food and Agriculture website at: www.cdfa.ca.gov/ahfss/ahfss_meetings.html.

Each of the agenda items will include discussion and possible action by the Task Force. Time will be allowed for members of the public to make comments on each agenda item. Comment time may be limited based on the number of agenda items and/or number of commenters.

Americans with Disabilities Act

All Task Force meetings must be accessible to the physically disabled. Any person needing a disability-related accommodation or modification in order to attend or participate in any Task Force meeting may request assistance by contacting Dr. Kavishti Kokaram, CDFA, Animal Health Branch, 1220 N Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, (916) 900-5002, or emailing kavishti.kokaram@cdfa.ca.gov.





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1. Introductions, approval of minutes; membership, review of committee bylaws and mission: Justin Oldfield
2. Agency and Member updates:
 - CDFA/Animal Health & Food Safety – Dr. Annette Jones
 - USDA/APHIS/VS – Dr. Larry Rawson
 - CAHFS Laboratory, UC Davis – Dr. Ashley Hill
 - UC Davis – Dr. Gaby Maier
 - California Cattlemen’s Association – Dr. Aubrey “Bud” Sloan





- Farm Bureau – Larry Massa
 - California Milk Advisory Board – Melissa Lema
 - Livestock Market Association – Forest Mangan
3. New Legislation:
 - Vesicular Stomatitis Rule Change: Update and Discussion – Dr. Emily Nierzeba, CDFA
 - Update on California Animal Health Laboratory Certification Program – Dr. Kavishti Kokaram, CDFA
 4. Regulated disease updates:
 - Trichomonosis: Update on Testing Options, Proposed Change to “Bull Slaughter Agreement” Exemption and Trich Signage at Salesyards – Dr. Kavishti Kokaram, CDFA
 - Update on TB Gamma interferon testing – Dr. Adam Smith, USDA
 5. Animal Care:
 - Updates to the Animal Care Program and Veal – Dr. Liz Cox, CDFA
 6. Antibiotic Use and Stewardship:
 - Update on Cow-calf resources – Dr. Marissa Silva, CDFA
 7. Emergency Preparedness:
 - California Carcass Composting Update – Lisa Quiroz, CDFA
 - Rangeland and Bovine Germplasm Movement Plans for FMD – Dr. Kavishti Kokaram and Dr. Halley Fobes, CDFA
 8. Food Safety:
 - Update on California Ag Neighbors Report in relation to Salinas area outbreaks – Natalie Krout, CDFA
 9. Tuberculosis in Mexico:
 - Mexican border and BCG Vaccination Study update – Dr. Andrea Mikolon, CDFA
 10. Public comment on matters not on the agenda.
 11. Agenda items and schedule for future meetings.

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Capitol Garage – 1225 10th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

City Hall Garage – 948 10th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

900 13th Street Garage – 900 13th Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Powerhouse Lot – 1114 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

- Hourly street parking is also available: <https://parkmobile.io/>
- On-site parking is available for the alternative location at the Tulare District Offices, 18830 Road 112, Tulare, CA 93274

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