



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
FOOD & AGRICULTURE

Karen Ross, Secretary

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TO: All Fairs

SUBJECT: REVISED: 2023 State Rules Advisory Committee Meeting

The Fairs and Expositions Branch (F&E) would like to invite you to the 2023 State Rules Advisory Committee Meeting on Thursday, October 05, 2023, at **1:00 pm**. Due to scheduling conflicts, the meeting time has been revised to 1:00 pm. The meeting will be held in-person at the California Fair Services Authority office, Suite 200, with a virtual option via **Zoom**. The purpose of this annual meeting is to discuss any pertinent state rule change recommendations to the State Rules Advisory Committee for the following year.

The purposes of the State Rules are to ensure educational and equitable competition, provide state-wide competition consistency, and maximize exhibitor and public safety. These rules apply to all competitive exhibits conducted by District Agricultural Associations, citrus fruit fairs, and county fairs in the State of California.

During this time, we are accepting any topics you would like to submit for discussion during the meeting. Please provide any State Rules-related topics and information to Sofia Goss at sofia.goss@cdfa.ca.gov by close of business on September 29, 2023, for consideration. A notice and agenda will be sent out by email and posted on the F&E [website](#) 10 days prior to the October 5th meeting.

If you have any questions/concerns regarding State Rules, please contact [Mike Francesconi](#) at (916) 900-5365.

Respectfully,

Mike Francesconi
Branch Chief

