

**California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA)  
2016 Specialty Crop Block Grant Program  
Technical Review Committee**

CDFA  
1220 N Street, Auditorium  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Thursday, May 26, 2016  
10:30 am – 11:00 am

**PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE**

- I. Introduction and Opening Remarks** **10:30 am**  
Jim Houston, Undersecretary, CDFA  
Dr. William Matthews, Chairman, Specialty Crop Technical Review Committee
  
- II. Specialty Crop Block Grant Program Subcommittee Reports** **10:40 am**
  - A) California Grown Promotion
  - B) Market Expansion and Access
  - C) Specialty Crop Nutrition Education
  - D) Equipping Current and Next Generation Specialty Crop Farmers
  - E) Environmental Stewardship and Conservation
  - F) Plant Health and Pest Management
  
- III. Action Item - Present and Accept Subcommittee recommendations to CDFA** **10:50 am**  
Present: Dr. William Matthews, Chairman, Specialty Crop Technical Review Committee  
Accept: Jim Houston, Undersecretary, CDFA
  
- IV. Public Comments/Adjournment** **10:55 am**

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Members of the public are limited to three minutes. Meeting minutes will be posted on CDFA's website at: [www.cdfa.ca.gov/grants](http://www.cdfa.ca.gov/grants)

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