

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

**Location:** SAFE Credit Union Convention Center  
1401 K Street – Meeting Room #9  
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**BOARD MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 26, 2025**  
**AGENDA ITEMS**

<u>Approx. Time</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
10:00 a.m.	(1)	<b>CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL</b>
10:05 a.m.	(2)	<b>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</b>
10:10 a.m.	(3)	<b>DEPARTMENTAL UPDATE</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Secretary Karen Ross</li></ul>
10:15 a.m.	(4)	<b>PANEL DISCUSSION</b> <b>Terra Madre Americas</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mike Testa, Visit Sacramento</li><li>• Patrick Mulvaney, Mulvaney's B&amp;L</li></ul>
10:45 a.m.	(5)	<b>PANEL DISCUSSION</b> <b>Local Foods on the Global Stage</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Michael Dimock, Roots of Change</li><li>• Claire Tauber, Community Alliance with Family Farmers</li><li>• Tracy Celio, UC Agriculture and Natural Resources</li><li>• Helle Petersen, F3 Local</li></ul>
11:45 a.m.	(6)	<b>PRESENTATION TO THE BOARD</b> <b>International Culinary Trends</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Greg Drescher, The Culinary Institute of America</li></ul>
12:30 p.m.	(7)	<b>PRESENTATION TO THE BOARD</b> <b>Climate Resilience Strategy</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Virginia Jameson, CA Department of Food and Agriculture</li></ul>
12:50 p.m.	(8)	<b>BOARD DISCUSSION</b>
1:00 p.m.	(9)	<b>PUBLIC COMMENT/ADJOURNMENT</b>

EACH BOARD MEETING PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY FOR MEMBERS OF THE  
PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON SUBJECT MATTERS WITHIN THE  
JURISDICTION OF THE BOARD.

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Although no formal Board action may be taken, the Board is allowing an opportunity to interested members of the public to address the Board on items of interest that are within the Board's jurisdiction, but that do not specifically appear on the agenda. Each person will be allowed a maximum of three minutes to ensure that everyone has a chance to speak. Note: *Agenda order is tentative and subject to change by Board without prior notice.*

While the Board intends to webcast this meeting, it may not be possible to webcast the entire open meeting due to limitations on resources.

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