

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

Location: California Department of Food and Agriculture
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BOARD MEETING OF APRIL 1, 2014
AGENDA ITEMS

<u>Approx. Time</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
10:00 a.m.	(1)	CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL
	(2)	APPROVAL OF MINUTES
10:15 a.m.	(3)	PRESENTATION TO THE BOARD –Workforce Housing & Transportation <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Ag Innovations Network
10:45 a.m.	(4)	PRESENTATION TO THE BOARD – Drought Impact on Pollinators <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ California State Beekeepers Association (INVITED)
11:15a.m.	(5)	PANEL DISCUSSION – Pollinator Decline <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Berkeley Food Institute, UC Berkeley▪ Harry H. Laidlaw, Jr. Honey Bee Research Facility, UC Davis (INVITED)▪ Miller Honey Farms
12:15 p.m.	(6)	BREAK
12:45 p.m.	(7)	PANEL DISCUSSION – Pollinators (Agricultural Perspective) <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ USDA Natural Resources Service (INVITED)▪ Project Aphis m.▪ Western Plant Health Association▪ Almond Board of California
1:45 p.m.	(8)	PANEL DISCUSSION – Pollinators (State Agencies/Policy) <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ California Department of Pesticide Regulation▪ California Department of Food and Agriculture▪ CDFA’s Environmental Farming Act Science Advisory Panel▪ Pollinator Partnership (INVITED)
2:45p.m.	(9)	OTHER BUSINESS
3:00p.m .	(10)	PUBLIC COMMENTS/ADJOURNMENT

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

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. To request special accommodations for those persons with disabilities contact Joshua Eddy at (916) 654-0462.*

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