MEETING OF THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE BIPOC PRODUCER ADVISORY COMMITTEE ALL MEETINGS OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Date: Wednesday, December 4, 2024

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COMMITTEE MEETING OF December 4, 2024

AGENDA ITEMS *

Item No.

I. Welcome and Introductions

- Committee Member introductions
- o CDFA Staff Introductions
- CDFA Departmental Updates

II. Call to Order- Committee Chair Hung K. Doan

III. Action Item

• Approval of Minutes of August 21 Meeting

IV. Discussion Items

- o SGC Land Equity Task Force updates- Qi Zhou, LETF Liaison
- Small-Scale Producer Advisory Committee Updates
- Budget Update- Thea Rittenhouse, Farm Equity Advisor
- CDFA CUSP Program Update- Faye Lessler, Office of Grants

Administration Analyst

o Farms to Community Food Hubs Grant Program- Christina Harrington,

CDFA Farm to Fork, Grant Admin & Outreach Specialist

• Group Reflections & Principle Learnings from Committee- Minkah

Taharkah, BIPOC Committee Member (CFJC)

• Rural Justice Summit: Building & Maintaining Regenerative Relationships between BIPOC Farmers

V. Topics for Future Agenda Items

CDFA Produce Safety Program Updates Presentation: Geetika Joshi,
Program Manager- CDFA Produce Safety Program

VI. Public Comments

• Time will be afforded for members of the public to provide comments on any agenda item or other issues relevant to the committee's work

VII. Adjournment

* Order of Agenda Items subject to change