

**Citrus Pest and Disease Prevention Committee (CPDPC)  
Executive Committee Webinar Meeting  
November 5, 2020 Minutes**

There was a quorum of the Executive Committee and the following were in attendance:

**Executive Committee Members Present:**

Jim Gorden\*  
Keith Watkins\*

Mark McBroom\*

Dr. Etienne Rabe\*

**CDFA Staff:**

Ryan Fong\*  
Alisha Garcia\*  
David Gutiérrez\*

Amelia Hicks\*  
Victoria Hornbaker\*

Anmol Joshi\*  
Keith Okasaki\*

**Other Attendees:**

Price Adams\*

\*Participated via webinar

**Opening Comments:**

Jim Gordon called the meeting to order at 1:03 p.m. and welcomed the Executive Committee (Committee), guests, and staff participating via webinar. There were no public comments.

**Finance Subcommittee Report**

Victoria Hornbaker advised the Finance Subcommittee reports were postponed until the November 17<sup>th</sup> meeting.

**Operations Subcommittee Report**

Keith Watkins reported that up-to-date standards for citrus hauling were being sent out and should help packing houses and haulers to stay in compliance. Multiple motions are moving forward to the Full Committee, including a motion to reduce the areawide treatment buffer zone from 400 meters to 250 meters. This reduction in treatment can reduce costs without lowering efficacy, although treatment areas in desert areas will stay the same because of climate factors. The last motion being moved forward is for grove trap servicing to occur at two (2) week intervals, instead of four. Keith also reported the Operations Subcommittee opted to continue with treatment in Santa Clara County and that migration to the CalTrap platform will move forward for trapping and mapping data.

**Science Subcommittee Report**

Dr. Etienne Rabe reported questions for Data Analysis and Tactical Operation Center (DATOC) are being finalized and raised concerns that chemical treatment in Southern California is not being utilized enough. The Science Subcommittee has no motions to move forward at this time, and Dr. Rabe will give a more robust update after reviewing chemical treatment and ACP canine data.

**Outreach Subcommittee Report**

Mark McBroom advised the Grower Liaison workgroup efforts are ongoing with results and recommendations being prepared for presentation to the Committee in January. Price Adams

added that survey data on the efficacy of Grower Liaisons is positive and thanks to the surveys, the Committee should be able to establish a set of expectations of the Grower Liaisons, the Statewide Coordinator, and the Regional Liaison roles.

**Closing**

The meeting was adjourned at 1:34 p.m. The next meeting will be held on December 10, 2020.