



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF  
FOOD & AGRICULTURE

Karen Ross, Secretary

**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE  
FERTILIZER INSPECTION ADVISORY BOARD MEETING**  
(ALL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC)

**MEETING NOTICE**

TO: FERTILIZER INSPECTION ADVISORY BOARD (FIAB)  
INTERESTED PARTIES

A hybrid meeting of the Fertilizer Inspection Advisory Board has been scheduled.

Date: Tuesday, February 7, 2023  
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Meeting Location: DoubleTree by Hilton Fresno Convention Center (Sierra Room)  
2233 Ventura Street  
Fresno, CA 93721  
559-268-1000

Members of the public may also join the meeting at the meeting link below.

**Meeting Link:**

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1601541956?pwd=YWpJT0lnRUNtaUhGb2pSL2cwU2FyQT09>

**Meeting ID:** 160 154 1956

**Passcode:** FIAB-2023

**Toll-free:** 833 568 8864 (Passcode: 464300394)

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**Board Members**

Melissa McQueen, Chair  
Gary Silveria, Vice Chair  
Williams Oglesby

Chris Gallo  
Greg Cunningham  
Timothy Howard

David McEuen  
Jake Evans  
Gus Olson

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Please find the enclosed agenda. If you have any questions regarding this meeting, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

**ORIGINAL SIGNED BY NICK YOUNG**

Nick Young  
Environmental Program Manager I  
Fertilizing Materials Inspection Program

Enclosures

### **Public Participation**

Members of the public are encouraged to provide comment to the Fertilizer Inspection Advisory Board (FIAB) and may suggest items to be placed on the agenda for discussion at the next FIAB meeting. While the FIAB values the participation of the public, the Committee Chairman reserves the right to limit the time for public comment to a maximum of three (3) minutes per speaker in order to proceed with the agenda.

### **Americans with Disabilities Act**

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**Items**

- (1) Introductions and Announcements
- (2) Roll Call – Establish Quorum
- (3) Approve September 13, 2022 Meeting Minutes
- (4) Department / Division / Branch Updates
- (5) Fund Condition / Mill Assessment
- (6) Program Updates
  - a. Pathogen Pilot Survey Proposal
  - b. 2023 Proposed Rulemaking
  - c. Beneficial Substances / Biostimulant Update
  - d. Annual Impartiality Survey
  - i. Fertilizer Registration Updates
  - ii. Fertilizer Inspection Updates
  - iii. Fertilizer Research and Education Program Updates



- (7) Center for Analytical Chemistry (CAC) Lab Update
- (8) Public Comments – Limited to Items Not on the Agenda
- (9) Agenda Items for Future Meetings
- (10) Next Meeting
- (11) Adjournment

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Members of the public are encouraged to provide comment to the California Department of Food and Agriculture Feed Inspection Advisory Board (FIAB) and may suggest items to be placed on the agenda for discussion at the next FIAB meeting. While the Board values the participation of the public, the Board Chairperson reserves the right to limit the time for public comment to a maximum of (3) minutes per speaker, as needed, in order to proceed with the agenda.

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