

CDFA Dairy Digester Research and Development Program (DDRDP) 2017 Community Outreach Resources

Background

Pursuant to requirements set forth in California Government Code Section 16428.86(a), (i.e. SB 859, Section 6), a project shall not receive funding through the DDRDP unless the applicant has demonstrated to CDFA that the applicant has done all of the following:

- Conducted outreach in areas that will potentially be adversely impacted by the proposed project.
- Determined potential adverse impacts of the project.
- Committed to measures to mitigate impacts.

CDFA shall review the applicant's analysis identifying potential adverse impacts of the proposed project when making awards.

Services Provided

CDFA is partnering with [UC Davis Extension – Collaboration Center](#) (the Center) to serve as a resource for potential DDRDP applicants to support community outreach efforts.

Applicants may contact the Center (information provided below) to schedule a telephone consultation with a UC Davis Community Engagement Specialist, or request assistance to conduct a community meeting. Requests must be submitted via email to collaboration@ucdavis.edu by **5:00 p.m. PDT on May 18, 2017** and must include the following information:

- Project Name(s)
- Dairy Operation Name(s) and Location(s)
- Developer Name(s)
- Request for:
 - Consultation (Y/N)
 - Conducting a Community Meeting (Y/N)

Consultations and meeting assistance will be available on a first-come-first serve basis and based on schedule and resource availability, for up to 10 meetings. CDFA has limited resources and funds available for community outreach activities through the Center; and funds will be allocated to assist as many applicants/developers as possible. Based on the number of requests received and funding availability, each applicant/developer may be limited to assistance for one community meeting. In addition, assistance requests for meetings are encouraged to include more than one applicant.

This effort is in partnership with the Strategic Growth Council which provides technical and community outreach assistance funds from the California Climate Investments.

Contact Information to schedule a consultation and/or meeting assistance:

UC Davis Extension Collaboration Center, EMAIL: collaboration@ucdavis.edu