



## ENVIRONMENTAL FARMING ACT SCIENCE ADVISORY PANEL (EFA SAP)

### CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE

#### PUBLIC MEETING AGENDA

**November 9, 2023**

**9 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

#### IN-PERSON LOCATION

*Open to all. Please arrive with enough time to pass through CDFA security.*

CDFA Headquarters Main Auditorium

1220 N Street, Sacramento, CA 95621

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OEFI will post background materials at the following link by 5:00 pm PST by November 2, 2023:

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<b>Approximate Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Presenter(s)</b>	<b>Action Level</b>
8:30	Pre-Meeting Coffee and Networking Session	N/A	N/A
9:00	Introductions and Approval of Minutes	Chair Dlott, EFASAP	Decisional- Approve/Amend Minutes
9:05	OEFI Update	Tawny Mata	Informational
9:15	Federal Funding Opportunities for Climate Smart Agriculture	RaeAnn Dubay, NRCS	Informational
9:55	Break		
10:10	Kickoff for CDFA's Climate Strategy for Agriculture	Deputy Secretary Virginia Jameson, CDFA	Informational
10:15	Agriculture in the CARB Scoping Plan	Adam Moreno, CARB	Informational
10:45	Agriculture in the Natural and Working Lands Climate Smart Strategy	Deputy Secretary Amanda Hansen, CNRA	Informational
11:15	Developing a Climate Strategy for Agriculture	Deputy Secretary Virginia Jameson, CDFA	Informational
12:00	Lunch		
1:00	Future of Sharing Healthy Soils Data	Michael Wolff	Decisional*
1:30	General Public Comment	Chair Dlott	Informational
2:00	Adjourn		

Timing of each agenda item is approximate. The meeting may run ahead of schedule.

\*All decisional items denote a decision on a recommendation to the Secretary of Agriculture. They are not final Departmental decisions.

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