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**JOINT MEETING OF THE  
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE  
PIERCE'S DISEASE AND GLASSY-WINGED SHARPSHOOTER BOARD  
AND PIERCE'S DISEASE ADVISORY TASK FORCE**

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Meeting Date: Thursday, January 29, 2026

Physical Location:  
California Department of Food and Agriculture Auditorium  
1220 N Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

Web-Conference and Teleconference Information: See below

(This Meeting is Open to the Public)  
Contact: Giancarlo LaGiusa (916) 900-5024

**AGENDA**

<u>Approx. Time</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	
10:00 a.m.	(1)	CALL TO ORDER
	(2)	ROLL CALL AND INTRODUCTIONS
	(3)	WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Randy Heinzen</b> <i>Chair, PD/GWSS Board</i></li><li>• <b>Kristin Lowe</b> <i>Chair, PD Advisory Task Force</i></li><li>• <b>Joseph Damiano</b> <i>Statewide Coordinator, PDCP, CDFA</i></li></ul>
10:10 a.m.	(4)	PUBLIC COMMENT
10:15 a.m.	(5)	APPROVAL OF MINUTES <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Randy Heinzen</b> <i>Chair, PD/GWSS Board</i></li><li>• <b>Kristin Lowe</b> <i>Chair, PD Advisory Task Force</i></li></ul>
10:20 a.m.	(6)	NEXT MEETINGS <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Randy Heinzen</b> <i>Chair, PD/GWSS Board</i></li><li>• <b>Kristin Lowe</b> <i>Chair, PD Advisory Task Force</i></li><li>• <b>Joseph Damiano</b> <i>Statewide Coordinator, PDCP, CDFA</i></li></ul>

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10:30 a.m.	(7)	NOMINATION COMMITTEE REPORT <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Randy Heinzen</b> <i>Chair, PD/GWSS Board</i></li></ul>
10:40 a.m.	(8)	ELECTION OF PD/GWSS BOARD OFFICERS <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Randy Heinzen</b> <i>Chair, PD/GWSS Board</i></li></ul>
10:50 a.m.	(9)	FISCAL UPDATES <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Beth Stone-Smith</b> <i>California Assistant State Plant Health Director, USDA</i></li><li>• <b>Myrna Villegas</b> <i>Analyst II, PDCP, CDFA</i></li><li>• <b>Matthew Kaiser</b> <i>Environmental Program Manager I, PDCP, CDFA</i></li></ul>
11:10 a.m.	(10)	NURSERY TREATMENT FUNDING <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Stacie Oswalt</b> <i>Senior Environmental Scientist, PDCP, CDFA</i></li></ul>
11:20 p.m.	(11)	BOARD CONTINUATION PROCESS, BOARD NAME, AND OTHER POSSIBLE CHANGES REQUIRING LEGISLATION <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Randy Heinzen</b> <i>Chair, PD/GWSS Board</i></li><li>• <b>Joseph Damiano</b> <i>Statewide Coordinator, PDCP, CDFA</i></li></ul>
12:05 p.m.	(12)	RESEARCH PROGRAM UPDATE <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Matthew Kaiser</b> <i>Environmental Program Manager I, PDCP, CDFA</i></li></ul>
12:15 p.m.	(13)	RESEARCH COORDINATOR UPDATE <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Kristin Lowe</b> <i>Chair, PD Advisory Task Force</i></li></ul>
12:25 p.m.	(14)	OUTREACH AND EDUCATION UPDATE <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Nicole Shorter</b> <i>Brown-Miller Communications</i></li></ul>

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12:35 p.m.	(15)	COUNTY ERADICATION PROJECT UPDATES <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Corrie Larsen</b> <i>Assistant Agricultural Commissioner, El Dorado County</i></li><li>• <b>Jason Perez</b> <i>Interim Deputy Agricultural Commissioner, Kings County</i></li><li>• <b>Priscilla Yeane</b> <i>Agricultural Commissioner, Santa Clara County</i></li><li>• <b>Joseph Gerald</b> <i>Deputy Agricultural Commissioner, Solano County</i></li><li>• <b>Melissa Lovett</b> <i>Deputy Agricultural Commissioner, Stanislaus County</i></li><li>• <b>Michelle Pham</b> <i>Environmental Program Manager I, PDCP, CDFA</i></li></ul>
1:05 p.m.	(16)	PDCP PROGRAM OPERATIONS UPDATES <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>PDCP staff, CDFA</b></li></ul>
1:10 p.m.	(17)	OTHER ITEMS
1:15 p.m.	(18)	CLOSING COMMENTS AND ADJOURNMENT

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- Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82740330722>
- Web-Conference Meeting ID: 827 4033 0722, Passcode: 7PD/GWSS
  
- Dial by your location: +1 669 900 6833 US (San Jose)
- Teleconference Meeting ID: 827 4033 0722, Passcode: 04865125
- Join Instructions:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/meetings/82740330722/invitations?signature=n5Wjw0baGsWZv0qBHojWUNKNMK6dAtSqhsbkpklTCZ4>

**Members joining remotely**

Greg Coleman, Ha Dang, J.D. Harkey, Kendall Hoxsey-Onysko, Steve McIntyre, Beth Stone-Smith, David Teuschler, Judy Zaninovich

Each PD/GWSS Board (Board) and/or PD Advisory Task Force (Task Force) meeting provides an opportunity for members of the public to address the Board and/or Task Force on subject matters within the jurisdiction of the Board and/or Task Force. Audience members may address the Board/Task Force before or during the discussion concerning each agenda item. Each person from the audience will be allowed a maximum of three minutes to ensure that everyone has a chance to speak.

NOTE: Agenda order is tentative and subject to change by the Board/Task Force without prior notice. *To request special accommodations for those persons with disabilities, contact Giancarlo LaGiusa at (916) 900-5024 prior to the date of the meeting.* For more information, please contact the Pierce's Disease Control Program, 1220 N Street, Suite 241, Sacramento, CA 95814, (916) 900-5024. This agenda is available on the Pierce's Disease Control Program website at <http://www.cdfa.ca.gov/pdcp>.

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**ACTION IS POSSIBLE ON ANY ITEM CONTAINED ON THIS AGENDA.**

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