



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
FOOD & AGRICULTURE

Karen Ross, Secretary

June 21, 2018

TO: Beet Curly Top Virus Diagnostics Subcommittee Members
Interested Stakeholders

SUBJECT: Beet Curly Top Virus Control Subcommittee Meeting

The Chairman of the Beet Curly Top Virus Diagnostics Subcommittee has called a meeting for **Tuesday, July 17, 2018 at 9:30 a.m.** The meeting will be held at the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) Fresno Office located at 2895 N. Larkin, Suite A, Fresno, CA 93727. Participation for interested stakeholders is also available via a conference line and other member locations listed on the agenda. **If you plan on attending this meeting, please notify Adriana Boyajian at (559) 294-2031.**

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The meeting agenda is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Willems, Senior Environmental Scientist
Integrated Pest Control Branch
Plant Health and Pest Prevention Services



California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA)
Beet Curly Top Virus Diagnostics Subcommittee Meeting

CDFA, Integrated Pest Control Branch, Fresno Office
2895 N. Larkin, Suite A Fresno, CA 93727

CDFA Plant Pest Diagnostics Lab
3294 Meadowview Road Sacramento, CA 95832

Conference Call in information: 1-888-793-8939
Participant Code: 8017579

July 17, 2018
9:30 a.m.

AGENDA

1. **Introductions** Ron Dalforno
2. **Bagley Keene Open Meeting Act Compliance** Board Members
3. **Develop and Discuss Criteria Needed for an RFP**
 - a. **Identify and define parameters**
 - b. **Reporting measures**
 - c. **Time frame requirements for submission of proposals and reports**
4. **Discuss and set appropriate funding levels of for research**
5. **Stipulate Program Activities vs. Research Needs**
6. **Determine LAMP Assay technology for CDFA field office(s)**
7. **Discuss parameters for treatment alternatives for efficacy trials**
 - a. **Discuss framework/staffing needs**
 - b. **Discuss and set appropriate funding level**
8. **Public Comments on Matters Not on the Agenda**
9. **Agenda Items for Future Meetings**
10. **Closed Session**
 - a. **If requested - per California Government Code Section 11126 (c) 16.**

Adjourn

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