Meeting of the
California Department of Food and Agriculture
Apiary Advisory Board

MEETING NOTICE

The Apiary Advisory Board will hold a meeting on:

Thursday, December 3, 2026, at 10:00 a.m.

This meeting will be held via GoTo Meeting and In-Person at:

CDFA Plant Pest Diagnostics Center
3294 Meadowview Rd.
Sacramento, CA 95832

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Members of the public are encouraged to provide comments to the Board and may suggest items to be placed on the agenda for discussion at the next Board meeting. While the Board values the participation of the public, the Board Chair reserves the right to limit the time for public comment to a maximum of three (3) minutes per agenda item.

All matters noticed on this agenda may be considered for action. Items listed on the agenda may be considered in any order at the discretion of the Board Chair. Any item not so noticed will not be considered or discussed. Each of the agenda items may include discussion and possible action by the Board. Time will be allowed for members of the public to make comments on each agenda item. All meeting agendas and notices are available on the California Department of Food and Agriculture website at: http://www.cdfa.ca.gov/plant/meetings/..

For further information, please contact Jennifer Berger at jennifer.berger@cdfa.ca.gov or Apiary Protection Program,1220 N Street, Sacramento, 95814, (661) 575-5832.

AMERICAN WITH DISABILITIES ACT

All Board meetings must be accessible to the physically disabled. Any person needing disability-related accommodation or modification in order to attend or participate in any Board meeting, may request assistance by contacting Jennifer Berger at (661) 575-5832. Providing your request at least five (5) business days before the meeting will help ensure availability of the requested accommodation.

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Meeting details below:

https://meet.goto.com/909442229
To log in anonymously, enter "guest" for name and a blind email account or
Call in anonymously at:

Phone Number:
1 (408) 650-3123
Access Code:
909-442-229

AGENDA

All matters noticed on this agenda may be considered for action and taken in any order at the discretion of the Board Chair. Any item not so noticed will not be considered or discussed.

1. CALL TO ORDER, WELCOME AND OPENING COMMENTS

2. ROLL CALL AND INTRODUCTIONS

3. APPROVAL OF PAST MINUTES
    - Minutes from August 19, 2026, Apiary Advisory Board Meeting

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS NOT ON THE AGENDA

5. MANAGED HONEY BEE HEALTH PROGRAM

6. CDFA PROGRAM UPDATES

7. APIARY PROGRAM FISCAL DOCUMENTS

    - Overview- FY25/26 and FY26/27
    - County Cooperative Agreements
    - Reserve

8. CALIFORNIA AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONERS AND SEALERS ASSOCIATION: APIARY

9. TROPILAELAPS

10. HIVE THEFT AND PREVENTION

11. BOARD MEMBER VACANCY

12. MITICIDE TREATMENTS

13. HONEY ADULTERATION AND ENFORCEMENT

14. APIARY REGISTRATION FEE

15. NEXT MEETING AND AGENDA ITEMS

    - Apiary Advisory Board- 2027 Meeting Schedule

16. CLOSING COMMENTS AND ADJOURNMENT

Meetings of the Apiary Advisory Board are open to the public and comply with the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act. This Act allows for public comment on all agenda items.

The agenda order is tentative and subject to change by the Board without prior notice. Audience members may address the Board following each agenda item. While the Board values public participation, the Board reserves the right to limit each person's time for public comment to a maximum of three (3) minutes per agenda item.

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