

## September 5, 2018 Board Update

### Plant Industry Division

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#### Presentation

- Food Safety Modernization Act Updates – Ashley Jeppson

#### Program Highlights

- Chemistry
  - Lab up to date on all pesticide analyses
  - Preparing for hemp season – THC testing
  - Working to establish detection limits for pesticides in marijuana
  - Increase in complaints on glyphosate
  - Revise class of fertilizers to include “Biostimulants”
- Pest Control
  - Increase in verified complaints: YTD 14
  - NAC adoption hearing
- Environmental
  - Disposed of over 4,000 lbs of waste this year
  - Chuck Moses retiring
- Crops/Nursery
  - P. ramorum traceback
  - Nurseries in violation, 980 inspections (increase)
  - FSMA inspections to start this spring
- Pathology
  - International Congress of Plant Pathology
    - Hemp diseases
  - Farm Bill and CAPS projects submitted
- Entomology
  - Pest detection update
  - Farm Bill and CAPS projects
  - National Plant Board
- Noxious Weeds
  - US Forest Service grant increase
  - Certified Weed Free brochure
  - Weed Free Gravel certification increase
- Natural Resources
  - Range App available on iPhone
    - Training BLM and producers
  - Foundation Seed Warehouse update/BLM
  - Post fire restoration plans
  - Sagebrush Ecosystem revised priorities
  - Drought Program update