

September 9, 2020 Board Report

Director's Office



Industry/External

- COVID-19 Response
Continued to work with agencies, committees and community organizations to respond to circumstances around COVID-19, but also plan for response efforts in over the next 2-5 years.
Continue to work with government affairs and federal delegation to obtain funding for Nevada's food and agriculture sector.
- Chaired Food Security Council meeting
- Attended Annual Meeting of the National Associate of State Departments of Agriculture (NASDA)
- Attended the board meeting as the Secretary for the Western United States Trade Association (WUSATA)
- Attended the Western Association of State Department of Agriculture (WASDA) Annual Meeting.

Partner Coordination

- Attended the Sagebrush Ecosystem Council Meetings
- Presented at the Nevada State Board of Education Meeting on school meals and food availability.
- Met with State Director of USDA Wildlife Services to discuss long-term strategic plan

Executive

- Presented an update on Nevada Food Security to the Legislative Committee on Health Care
- Met with Congresswoman Titus' Office regarding wild and feral horses
- Continued Budget preparations and submission