

Nevada Board of Agriculture

Meeting Notice and Agenda

Thursday, March 19, 2026, at 9:00 a.m.



Nevada
Department
of Agriculture

Meeting Location: Nevada Department of Agriculture (NDA)
405 S. 21st Street
Sparks, NV 89431
775-353-3601

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Below is an agenda of all items to be considered. Action may be taken on items preceded by an asterisk (*). Two asterisks denote possible closed session (**). Items on the agenda may be taken out of the posted order, items may be combined for consideration, and items may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time at the discretion of the chairperson. Unless noted as an action item, discussion of any item raised during a report or public comment is limited to that necessary for clarification or necessary to decide whether to place the item on a future agenda.

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- a. Nevada Department of Agriculture: 405 S. 21st Street, Sparks, NV 89431

- b. Nevada Department of Agriculture: 4780 E. Idaho Street, Elko, NV 89801
- c. Nevada Department of Agriculture: 2300 E. St. Louis Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89104

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Agenda

1. Open meeting-call meeting to order by Chairman Snyder

- A. Pledge of Allegiance
- B. Moment of Silent Reflection
- C. Virtual attendee reminders
 - 1) Given by Julieanna Hendrix
- D. Roll call
 - 1) Sparks Office Attendees
 - 2) Elko Office Attendees
 - 3) Las Vegas Office Attendees
 - 4) Virtual Attendees

2. Public Comment

3. Minutes

- A. *Approve December 4, 2025 meeting minutes (*for possible action*)

4. Board Management

- A. Discussion and possible action to approve regular meeting dates for the remainder of calendar year 2026 – Chairman Snyder (*for possible action*)
 - a. June 11, 2026 (Reno)
 - b. September 10, 2026 (Elko)
 - c. December 3, 2026 (Las Vegas)
- B. Board Member Updates on Represented Industries (*for information only*)

5. Director's Report

- A. Honor former board member Heather Lackey – J.J. Goicoechea, Director (*for information only*)
- B. Director's Report – J.J. Goicoechea, Director (*for information only*)

6. Division of Administrative Services

- A. Board Update – Cathy Balcon, Administrator (*for information only*)

7. Division of Animal Industry

- A. Board Update – Chad Sestanovich, Administrator (*for information only*)

8. Division of Food and Nutrition

- A. Board Update – Patricia Hoppe, Administrator (*for information only*)

9. Division of Measurement Standards

- A. Board Update – Bill Striejewske, Administrator (*for information only*)

10. Division of Plant Health and Compliance

- A. Board Update – Meghan Brown, Administrator (*for information only*)

11. Public Comment

12. Final Roll Call

13. Adjournment