# Nevada Board of Agriculture

Meeting Notice and Agenda Wednesday, March 19, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.



Meeting Location:	Nevada Department of Agriculture (NDA) 405 S. 21 <sup>st</sup> Street Sparks, NV 89431 775-353-3601	
Video Conference:	NDA 2300 E. St. Louis Avenue Las Vegas, NV 89104 702-668-4590	NDA 4780 E. Idaho Street Elko, NV 89801 775-778-0270
Virtual Meeting Information:	Join the meeting now https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-teams/join- a-meeting Meeting ID: 210 433 827 701 Passcode: 9UT22mA2 Dial in by phone +1 775-321-6111,,964408842# United States, Reno Find a local number: https://dialin.teams.microsoft.com/1ef7fc5c-3859-4a06- ba30-c622c05e60f9?id=964408842 Phone conference ID: 964 408 842#	

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This meeting will be conducted in accordance with the Open Meeting Law (NRS 241.020).

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.

Public comment may be presented in-person, by computer, phone, or written comment. Written comments may be submitted by completing a public comment form available

405 South 21<sup>st</sup> St. Sparks, NV 89431 online at <u>https://agri.nv.gov/Administration/Board of Agriculture/BOA-Home/</u>. Written comments can also be submitted via fax to 775-353-3661, email to <u>jhendrix@agri.nv.gov</u>, or to any of our offices listed below.

- 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) Elko Office Attendees
  - 2) Las Vegas Office Attendees
  - 3) Sparks Office Attendees
  - 4) Virtual Attendees

## 2. Public Comment

#### 3. Minutes

A. \*Approve December 6, 2024 meeting minutes (for possible action)

## 4. Board Management

- A. \*Appointment of one Board member to the Predatory Animal and Rodent Control (PARC) Committee *(for possible action)*
- B. Legislative Update Director Goicoechea and Julieanna Hendrix, Executive Assistant *(for information only)*
- C. \*Discussion and potential adoption of formal Board position on the measures being considered in the 83<sup>rd</sup> Legislative Session *(for possible action)*
- D. Board Member Updates on Represented Industries (for information only)

## 5. Director's Report

A. Report – J.J. Goicoechea, Director (for information only)

## 6. Division of Plant Health and Compliance

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

#### 7. Division of Measurement Standards

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

#### 8. Division of Food and Nutrition

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

#### 9. Division of Animal Industry

B. Board Update - Chad Sestanovich, Administrator (for information only)

#### 10. Division of Administrative Services

- A. \*Review and potential adoption of proposed policy establishing an Infants-at-Work and Nursing Mothers Program at the Nevada Department of Agriculture *(for possible action)*
- B. Board Update Cathy Balcon, Administrator (for information only)

## 11. Public Comment

## 12. Final Roll Call

## 13. Adjournment