

National Plant Board 93rd Annual Meeting
August 12-15, 2019
Kalispell, MT

SUNDAY

August 11, 2019

Time	Topic
	Travel
1:00 - 5:00 p.m.	Registration <i>North Foyer</i>
1:00 - 4:00 p.m.	National Plant Board - Board of Directors Meeting <i>Glacier III</i>
6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Welcome Reception <i>Blue Canyon Kitchen and Tavern</i>
8:00 – 11:00 p.m.	Hospitality / Discussion <i>Swan Room</i>

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MONDAY AFTERNOON SESSION <i>Aurelio Posadas – Facilitator</i> <i>Glacier IV</i> 1:15 – 5:00 p.m.	
1:15 – 1:30 p.m.	Welcome/Opening Remarks – <i>Ann Gibbs (ME), National Plant Board President</i>
1:30 – 1:35 p.m.	Roll Call – <i>Julie Van Meter (NE), Secretary/Treasurer</i>
1:35 – 2:00 p.m.	State Welcome – <i>The Honorable Mr. Steve Bullock, Governor, State of MT (Invited)</i>
2:00 – 2:30 p.m.	State of the National Plant Board – <i>Ann Gibbs, NPB President</i>
2:30 – 3:00 p.m.	Remarks by Plant Protection & Quarantine Deputy Administrator - <i>Osama El-Lissy, Deputy Administrator, United States Department of Agriculture, Animal & Plant Health Inspection Service, Plant Protection & Quarantine</i>
Break 3:00 – 3:20 p.m.	
Door Prizes 3:20 – 3:30 pm	
3:30 – 3:50p.m.	National Association of State Departments of Agriculture – <i>Aline DeLucia, Associate Director, Regulatory and Legislative Affairs, National Association State Departments of Agriculture</i>
3:50 – 4:20 p.m.	Department of Homeland Security, Customs & Border Protection – <i>Kevin Harriger, Executive Director, Office of Field Operations, Agriculture Programs and Trade Liaison, US Department of Homeland Security, Customs & Border Protection</i>
4:20 – 5:00 p.m.	AmericanHort Update - <i>Craig Regelbrugge, Senior Vice President, Industry Advocacy & Research, AmericanHort</i>
Dinner on your own	
7:00 – 9:00 p.m.	Resolution Committee Meeting – <i>Seeley Boardroom</i>
8:00 – 11:00 p.m.	Hospitality / Discussion

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Time and Room	Topic
All Day	Registration
6:30 – 8:00 a.m.	Full Breakfast (provided) <i>East and North Foyer</i>
TUESDAY MORNING SESSION <i>Susan Ehlenbeck – Facilitator</i> <i>Glacier IV</i> 8:00 am - 12:00 pm	
8:00 – 9:00 a.m.	The Plant Protection Act & Discussion – <i>Andrea Huberty, Director, Imports, Regulations, and Manuals, Plant Protection and Quarantine</i>
9:00 – 9:30 a.m.	Safeguarding Firewood Initiatives – <i>Ann Gibbs, Maine Department of Agriculture; Leigh Greenwood, “Don’t Move Firewood”, The Nature Conservancy</i>
9:30 – 10:00 a.m.	Grain by Grain: A Quest to Revive Ancient Wheat, Rural Jobs and Healthy Food – <i>Robert “Bob” Quinn, Organic Farmer and Author from Big Sandy, MT</i>
Break 10:00 – 10:20 a.m.	
Door Prizes 10:20-10:30 am	
10:30 – 11:30 a.m.	Safeguarding eCommerce Panel Discussion – USA Update - <i>Cory Marker, SITC Internet Compliance Group, Plant Protection and Quarantine</i> Canadian Update - <i>Darlene Blair, Deputy Chief Plant Health Officer for Canada, Canadian Food Inspection Agency</i> State Perspective: Amazon De-Coded – <i>Nara Mnatsakanian, California Dept. of Food and Agriculture (Invited)</i>
11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	ePhyto Progress Report – <i>Christian Dellis, Deputy Director, Export Service, Phytosanitary Issues Management, Plant Protection and Quarantine</i>
12:00 – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch (provided) <i>Blue Canyon Kitchen and Tavern</i>

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TUESDAY AFTERNOON <i>Amy Higley – Facilitator</i> 1:30pm - 5:00pm	
1:30 – 3:00 p.m.	New, Emerging and Ongoing Pest Issues Roundtable (20 min per topic; 10 min. high level update per person; 10 min. for questions/discussion) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moving Containers/GM Update – Paul Chaloux, National Policy Manager, Plant Protection and Quarantine • European Cherry Fruit Fly: 2019 Direction - Chris Logue, NY Dept. of Agriculture and Markets; Rich Johnson, National Policy Manager, Plant Protection and Quarantine • Guava Root Knot Nematode – Phil Wilson, NC Department of Agriculture • Japanese Beetle – Nick Condos, CA Dept. of Food and Agriculture; Helmuth Rogg, OR Dept. of Agriculture • Truffle Troubles? - Dana Rhodes, PA Department of Agriculture
3:00 – 3:30 p.m.	Biotechnology Regulatory Services Update – Alan Pearson, Assistant Deputy Administrator, Biotechnology and Regulatory Services (Invited)
Break 3:30 – 3:50 p.m.	
Door Prizes 3:50 – 4:00 p.m.	
4:00 – 4:30 p.m.	North American Plant Protection Organization – Stephanie Bloem, Executive Director, North American Plant Protection Organization
4:30 – 5:00 p.m.	Canadian Report - Darlene Blair, Deputy Chief Plant Health Officer for Canada, Canadian Food Inspection Agency
6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Dinner on Your Own
7:00 – 9:00 p.m.	Center for Food Integrity Gene Editing Workshop

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7:00 – 11:00 a.m.	Registration
6:30 – 8:00 a.m.	<i>Full Breakfast</i> (provided) East and North Foyer
WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION <i>Susan Ehlenbeck – Facilitator</i> <i>Glacier IV</i> 8:00 - 10:00 a.m.	
8:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Light Brown Apple Moth Panel – <i>Nick Condos, CA Dept. of Food and Agriculture</i> <i>Trevor Smith, FL Dept. of Agriculture and Consumer Services</i> <i>Chris Logue, NY Dept. of Agriculture and Markets</i> <i>Rich Johnson, National Policy Manager, Plant Protection and Quarantine</i>
8:30 – 8:45 a.m.	State Invasive Plant Regulations and Treatment of Plant Cultivars - Craig Regelbrugge, Senior Vice President, Industry Advocacy & Research, AmericanHort
8:45 – 9:30 a.m.	“First-Find” Situations – How Do CA, FL, HI Handle These? <i>Nick Condos, CA Dept. of Food and Agriculture</i> <i>Trevor Smith, FL Dept. of Agriculture and Consumer Services</i> <i>Kevin Hoffman, HI Dept. of Agriculture</i>
9:30 – 9:45 a.m.	Wrap Up on Morning Session Topics and Announcements
Break & Prepare for Tour 9:45 - 10:00 a.m.	
10:00 a.m – 5:00 p.m.	TOUR ITINERARY 10:00 a.m.: Load buses and depart Hilton 10:30 a.m.: Arrive Big Sky Orchards, Big Fork *Hop production and marketing discussion with Tom Britz, Glacier Hops Farm* 11:15 a.m.: Load buses and depart Big Sky Orchards

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11:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.: Travel through Montana Sweet Cherry production area on eastside of Flathead Lake

12:00 p.m.: Arrive at Kwataqnuq Resort, Polson

12:30 p.m.: Board Shadow Cruiser, Flathead Lake Charter

12:30 – 2:30 p.m.: Flathead Lake cruise with lunch provided

Aquatic Invasive Species prevention discussion with Tom Woolf, Montana Invasive Species Council and Kate Wilson, Upper Columbia Conservation Commission (UC3)

3:00 p.m.: Load buses for return to Hilton

4:00-5:30 p.m.: Return to Hotel (Break)

5:30 p.m.: Load buses to award banquet at Flathead Lake Lodge, Big Fork

6:00-8:00 p.m.: Awards banquet at Flathead Lake Lodge (CASUAL DRESS)

8:00 p.m.: Load buses and return to Hilton

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7:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Registration
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THURSDAY MORNING SESSION <i>Amy Higley – Facilitator</i> 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	
8:00 – 8:30 a.m.	Spotted Lanternfly: Status and What's next? – <i>Dana Rhodes, PA Department of Agriculture; Helmuth Rogg, OR Dept. of Agriculture; Scott Pfister, Director, Otis Laboratory, Center for Plant Health Science and Technology, Plant Protection and Quarantine</i>
8:30 – 8:45 a.m.	National Pest Diagnostic Network (NPDN): What it is and What's new – <i>Dr. Martin Draper, Interim Associate Dean, Research and Graduate Studies, College of Agriculture, Kansas State University (Invited)</i>
8:45 - 9:15 a.m.	Seed Health Update – <i>Shailaja Rabindran, Assistant Director, Plants for Planting, Policy, Import Regulations and Manuals, Plant Protection and Quarantine</i>
9:15 – 9:35 a.m.	IFA Program: What's New/What's Next? – <i>Andrew Wilds, National Policy Manager, Plant Protection and Quarantine</i>
9:35 – 10:00 a.m.	Biocontrol for EAB – <i>Robyn Rose, National Policy Manager, Plant Protection and Quarantine; Craig Kellogg, State Plant Health Director - MI, Plant Protection and Quarantine</i>
10:00 – 10:10 a.m.	Closing Remarks – Next Year's Meeting - <i>Ann Gibbs, NPB President</i>
Break & Door Prizes 10:10 – 10:30 a.m.	

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<p>THURSDAY August 15, 2019</p> <p>10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. National Plant Board Business Meeting</p> <p style="text-align: center;">NPB Members Only</p>	
<p>12:00 – 1:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Lunch on Your Own</p>
<p>1:30 – 5:00 p.m.</p>	<p>National Plant Board - Board of Directors/United States Dept. Agriculture, Animal & Plant Health Inspection Service, Plant Protection & Quarantine Leadership Team Meeting</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Alpine Room</i></p>