AGENDA
88TH ANNUAL CENTRAL PLANT BOARD MEETING
JUNE 3-7, 2012

Grand Traverse Resort
Acme, Michigan
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Sunday June 3, 2012

3:00-6:00 PM  Registration
6:00-9:00 PM  Welcome Reception

Monday June 4, 2012

7:00 AM  Registration
7:00 AM  Continental Breakfast

OPENING SESSION
Moderator – Phil Marshall

8:30 AM  Call to Order  Phil Marshall
8:35 AM  Roll Call  Collin Wamsley
8:40 AM  Introduction of Attendees  Phil Marshall
8:50 AM  Welcome to Michigan  Keith Creagh, Director
                      Michigan Dept. of Agriculture
                      & Rural Development

GENERAL REPORTS
Moderator – Phil Marshall

9:00 AM  Central Plant Board Report  Phil Marshall
9:10 AM  National Plant Board Report  Mike Cooper, NPB President
9:30 AM  USDA APHIS PPQ Regional Reports  Jeff Grode, Acting Director -
                           Western Region
                           Vic Harabin, Director -
                           Eastern Region

10:00 AM  MORNING BREAK
GENERAL REPORTS - continued  
**Moderator – Phil Marshall**

10:20 AM  
**USDA FOREST SERVICE –**  
State & Private Forestry –  
Forest Health Report  
*Marc Buccowich, Asst Director  
Forest Health & Economics  
USDA Forest Service*

10:40 AM  
**NAASF Forest Health Committee Report**  
*Steve Koehn, State Forester  
Maryland Dept Natural Resources*

11:00 AM  
**Customs & Border Protection Report**  
*Kevin Harriger,*

11:20 AM  
**State Pest Risk Committees – Panel**  
Report on committee processes & activities  
With questions/discussion  
*Michigan – Craig Kellogg, Chair  
Indiana – Gary Simon, Chair  
Missouri –Mike Brown, Chair  
Minnesota - TBD*

12:00 PM  
**LUNCH (Provided)**

FOREST PEST ISSUES  
**Moderator – TBD**

1:15 PM  
**Emerald Ash Borer Update**  
Survey  
Quarantine & Firewood  
Biocontrol  
*Phil Bell – EAB Eastern Program  
Director, USDA APHIS  
Scott Pfister – Director Forest Pest  
Programs USDA APHIS  
Or Paul Chaloux – EAB National  
Program Director USDA APHIS  
Jonathan Lelito - Facility Manager EAB  
Biological Control USDA APHIS*

2:15 PM  
**Asian Longhorned Beetle Update**  
Ohio Infestation – Handling Public Pressure  
Ohio Extension and ALB  
*Dan Kenny – Ohio Dept of Agriculture  
Amy Stone (tentative)*

3:00 PM  
**AFTERNOON BREAK**

FOREST PEST ISSUES - continued

3:30 PM  
**Thousand Cankers Disease of Black Walnut Update**  
Survey & trap/lure  
Research & Technology Development  
*Bruce Moltzan – USFS (tentative)  
Manfred Mielke – Pathologist USDA  
Forest Service*
4:30 PM  Gypsy Moth Slow the Spread Program –  
Marc Buccowich - Asst Director  
Forest Health & Economics

5:00 PM  ADJOURN

5:30 PM  OFFICIAL PHOTO – Central Plant Board Members

Tuesday June 5, 2012

7:00 AM  Continental Breakfast

7:30 AM  Registration

BREAKOUT SESSIONS  
(with breakfast)

7:00 AM  Central Plant Board Members and Staff

7:00 AM  USDA APHIS PPQ Staff

GENERAL REPORTS  
Moderator – TBD

9:00 AM  State Reports (IL, IN, IA, KS, MI) (5 min. each)

9:25 AM  Central Chapter Horticultural Inspector Society  
TBD

9:35 AM  Phytophthora ramorum Update  
Pre-Notification, Nursery Protocols, Surveys  
Anthony Man-Son-Hing, USDA APHIS

10:00 AM  MORNING BREAK

GENERAL REPORTS - continued

10:20 AM  Farm Bill Projects  
APHIS general report on 10201 projects  
Carlos Martinez, USDA APHIS

10:40 AM  Boxwood Blight Update  
North Carolina Webinar  
Best Management Practices  
Kelly Ivors, (Tentative)  
TBD

11:05 AM  National Plant Board Committees Reports:  
CPB representative to NPB Committee

Japanese Beetle Harmonization Committee  
Julie Van Meter, Nebraska and/or Gray Haun

Export Certification Work Group & CWR  
Mike Bryan, Michigan Dept of Ag & Rural Development
IPHIS & CAPS

Julie Van Meter, Nebraska

ipmPIPE

Collin Wamsley, Missouri

Interagency Communications Committee

Geir Friisoe, Minnesota

National Plant Health Emergency Framework Committee

Geir Friisoe, Minnesota

National Seed Health System (NSHS) Program Review

Robin Pruisner, Iowa

12:00 PM  LUNCH (provided)

NURSERY TOPICS

Moderator – TBD

1:15 PM Systems Approach to Nursery Certification (SANC)

Ken Rauscher, NPB Groupee

2:00 PM National Clean Plant Network (NCPN)

Erich Rudyj, USDA APHIS

2:45 PM  AFTERNOON BREAK

GENERAL TOPICS

Moderator – TBD

3:05 PM The Greening of Detroit

Rebecca Salminen Witt, President of The Greening of Detroit

3:35 PM Investigative & Enforcement Services Update

Tom Rippy, USDA APHIS

4:00 PM Potato MOU

Robert Bailey, USDA APHIS

4:30 PM American Firewood Producers & Distributors Association

Representative W.W. Wood Inc

5:00 PM  ADJOURN

Tuesday June 5, 2012 cont’d

5:15 PM USAPlants Demonstration

Dinner on your own
Wednesday June 6, 2012

7:00 AM  Continental Breakfast
7:30 AM  Registration
8:00 – 11:00 State Survey Coordinators Breakout Session

GENERAL TOPICS
 Moderator – TBD

8:00 AM  Pest Risk Maps  Rob Venette, USDA FS (suggested)
8:30 AM  Barberry Trueness-to-Variety Project  Dr. Mark Brand, Univ of Connecticut (Tentative)
9:00 AM  Federally Recognized State Managed Phytosanitary Program (FRSMP) & SPRO role  TBD – Alan Dowdy (suggested)
9:30 AM  Pest Lists - Who manages them, which list goes to which program, how are they reviewed  TBD – Diane Schuble (suggested)

10:00 AM  MORNING BREAK

GENERAL TOPICS – continued

10:20 AM  State Reports (MN, MO, NE, ND, OH, SD, WI)
10:55 AM  Mountain Pine Beetle & Wood Waste  Terry McDill, MN Dept of Ag(Tentative)
11:15 AM  Break for Tour Prep
11:45 AM  Load Bus
12:00 PM  Tour (box lunch on Bus)
Sleeping Bear Dunes – Invasive Plant Project
Hops, Apples and Grapes Production and Certification

6:00 PM  Reception / Wine tasting / Banquet -  Black Star Winery (tentative)
9:00 PM  Return to the Grand Traverse Resort
Thursday June 7, 2012

7:00 AM  Continental Breakfast

BUSINESS MEETING

8:00 AM  Central Plant Board Business Meeting
8:00 AM  State Plant Health Director Meeting
12:00 PM  ADJOURN