

DRAFT AGENDA - 2012 SPB MEETING

**Southern Plant Board
2012 Annual Meeting
San Antonio, Texas
April 15 – 18, 2012**

Sunday, April 15, 2012

- 2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. SPB Registration-
- 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. SPB Opening Reception-
- 8:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. SPB Hospitality Room-

Monday, April 16, 2012

- 7:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. SPB Registration-
- 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. Breakfast
- 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. SPB Opening Session
Call to Order – Christel Harden, SC
Roll Call – Terry Walker, AR
General Meeting Announcements and Introductions – Awinash Bhatkar, TX
Welcome to Texas – Todd Staples, Commissioner of Agriculture
Opening Comments – Christel Harden, SC
- 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Agency Reports:
9:00 – 9:20: National PPQ Perspectives/Budget – **Speaker T.B.D.**, USDA
APHIS PPQ
9:20 – 9:40: Eastern and Western Regional PPQ Perspectives - Vic Harabin,
USDA APHIS PPQ
9:40 – 10:00 - National Plant Board: Michael Cooper, NPB President
10:00 – 10:30 - Break -
10:30 – 11:00 - Southern Plant Board State Reports: AL, AR, FL
11:00 – 11:20 - CBP Report -, DHS CBP
11:20 – 11:40 - HISSC Update -
11:40 – 12:00 - Southern Plant Board State Reports: GA, KY
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. Lunch (Provided as part of SPB registration) –
- 1:15 p.m. – 1:35 p.m. Boxwood Blight (Background; Regulatory Status; State Actions) – **Speaker(s) T.B.D.**
- 1:35 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. Firewood Certification (Industry Members; SPB) **Speaker(s) T.B.D.**
- 2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. EAB (2012 Survey; Where Do We Go From Here) **Speaker(s) T.B.D.**
- 2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Break -

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- 3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Southern Plant Board State Reports: LA, MS, NC
- 3:30 p.m. – 3:50 p.m. *Phytophthora ramorum* (Pre-notification: How Is It Working) **Speaker(s) T.B.D.**
- 3:40 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. LBAM (What Will California/USDA-APHIS-PPQ Continue To Do; Harmonization Plan) **Speaker(s) T.B.D.**
- 4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Southern Plant Board State Reports: OK, PR, SC
- 4:10 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Daily Wrap-up

Tuesday, April 17, 2012

- 7:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. SPB Meeting Registration -
- 7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. Breakfast (Provided as part of SPB Registration)
- 8:00 a.m. – 8:20 a.m. Greater Caribbean Pest Initiative
- 8:20 a.m. – 8:40 a.m. On the Horizon: New and/or Emerging Pests of Concern to SPB - Sherry Altman
- 9:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. CAPS Break Out Session**
- 8:40 a.m. – 9:10 a.m. State Role in Non-Regulated Pests (Brown Marmorated Stink Bug, Kudzu Stink bug) **Speaker(s) T.B.D.**
- 9:10 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Systems Approach to Nursery Certification (SANC)
- 9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. Break
- 10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Southern Plant Board State Reports - TN, TX, VA
- 10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Volunteer Network Organization - Dr. Damon Waitt
- 11:00 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Citrus Greening in Texas
- 11:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. New Citrus Regulations
- 11:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. Giant African Land Snail In Florida
- 11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. CAPS Report-
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. Lunch and Entertainment

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1:30 p.m. – ? p.m. Activities

Wednesday, April 18, 2012

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast (Provided as part of SPB Registration)

8:00 a.m. - SPB Business Session (Open to SPB Members)

8:30 a.m. - USDA/APHIS/PPQ Meeting (Concurrent Session)

SPB Business Session Agenda Beginning at 8:00 a.m.:

Call to Order: Christel Harden, SC

SPB Meeting Minutes: Terry Walker, AR

SPB Treasurer's Report: Terry Walker, AR

SPB Committee Reports:

 Awards, Recognitions and Necrology: Joe Collins, KY

 Audit:,

 Nominations:,

 Policy and Resolutions: Mike Evans, GA

Break -

Recap and Follow-up on 2011 Resolutions:

2012 Policies and Resolutions Discussion

CAPS meeting Report: Joe Collins

New Business

2013 Meeting Location discussion

SPB Photo

Meeting Adjournment