



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF  
FOOD & AGRICULTURE

Karen Ross, Secretary

January 14, 2019

TO: CALIFORNIA ORGANIC PRODUCTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (COPAC),  
INTERESTED PARTIES

A meeting of the California Organic Products Advisory Committee has been scheduled.

Date: January 24, 2019  
12:30 – 3:15 P.M.

Location: Asilomar Conference Grounds  
Scripps Conference Room  
800 Asilomar Ave, Pacific Grove, CA 93950  
(916) 900-5030

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Please find the enclosed agenda. If you have any questions regarding this meeting, please contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

Danny Lee  
Supervising Special Investigator  
State Organic Program

Enclosures

cc: Hyrum Eastman, County/State Liaison

**Public Participation**

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**MEETING OF THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND AGRICULTURE  
CALIFORNIA ORGANIC PRODUCTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (COPAC)  
(ALL MEETINGS OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC)**

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**Contact:** Thomas Osborn, Branch Analyst  
**Office:** (916) 900-5030

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**AGENDA**

**Item No.**

- (1) CALL TO ORDER-INTRODUCTIONS/ROLL CALL
- (2) JAKE LEWIN RESOLUTION
- (3) ELECTION OF OFFICERS
- (4) PUBLIC COMMENTS
- (5) REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF SEPTEMBER 5, 2018 MEETING MINUTES
- (6) NATIONAL ORGANIC PROGRAM UPDATE
- (7) CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATES
- (8) STATE ORGANIC PROGRAM UPDATES
  - i. Vacancies and Terms
  - ii. Training/Orientation for New COPAC Members
  - iii. Communications Update
  - iv. Certifiers Registering on Behalf of Clients
  - v. Compliance & Enforcement/Appeals Summary
  - vi. Revenue from Registration/New Registrations
  - vii. Complaints Detailed Report
  - viii. SOP Fund Condition
  - ix. Pesticide Residue Report/Updates
- (9) GLYPHOSATE TESTING
- (10) IMPACTS OF THE FARM BILL
- (11) GMO TEST PILOT PROGRAM
- (12) ENFORCEMENT OF PASTURE RULE

- (13) PERIODIC INSPECTIONS OF RESTAURANTS
- (14) PUBLIC COMMENTS
- (15) NEXT MEETING/AGENDA ITEMS
- (16) ADJOURNMENT

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