County of San Luis Obispo Agricultural Liaison Advisory Board

2156 Sierra Way, Suite A San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

Monday, December 9, 2019, 5:00 p.m.



Agricultural Liaison
Advisory Board (ALAB)

District One: Peschong Appt. Craig Pritchard (1/21)

Positions/Members/Terms

VICE CHAIR: Dan Rodrigues

CHAIR: Jean-Pierre Wolff

District Two: Gibson Appt. Lisen Bonnier (1/23)

District Three: Hill Appt. Tom Ikeda (1/21)

District Four: Compton Appt. Daniel Chavez (1/23)

District Five: Arnold Appt. vacant (1/21)

Ag. Finance Rep. Mark Pearce (8/22)

Cattlemen Rep. Dick Nock

Coastal San Luis RCD Rep. Jean-Pierre Wolff (8/22)

Direct Marketing/Organic Rep. Jutta Thoerner (4/20)

Environmental Rep. Krista Burke (1/23)

Farm Bureau Rep. R. Don Warden

Nursery Rep.

Butch Yamashita (4/20)

Upper Salinas-Las Tablas RCD Rep. George Kendall (4/23)

Vegetable Rep.

Claire Wineman (4/20)

Wine Grape Rep.
Dan Rodrigues (4/20)

Strawberry Rep. vacant

County Agricultural Commissioner
Marty Settevendemie
Ex-Officio

U.C. Coop. Extension, Farm Advisor Mark Battany **1.** 5:00pm Call to order, introductions, quorum determination Chair Wolff/Vice-Chair Rodrigues

LOCATION:

SLO County Farm Bureau

4875 Morabito Place, San Luis Obispo

2. 5:05pm Open comment: (for items not on the agenda) Chair Wolff/Vice-Chair Rodrigues

3. 5:10pm Review/approval of September 2019 meeting minutes Chair Wolff/Vice-Chair Rodrigues

4. 5:15pm Review/possible action: ALAB membership updates

*Nursery Representative update

*Chair and Vice-Chair elections at next ALAB Meeting

*Member terms expiring in 2020

*Proposed 2020 ALAB Meeting Schedule

5. 5:30 pm Updates from Ag Department & County staff

*Agricultural Worker Housing Ordinance Update

*SGMA Implementation Updates

*Cannabis Projects and Potential Conflicts with existing ag

6. 5:50 pm Review/possible action:

Presentation/Discussion: Review of ALAB Subcommittee's Actions regarding the Development of a Permanent Ordinance for Industrial Hemp Cultivation in San Luis Obispo County

Marc Lea, San Luis Obispo County Department of Agriculture, Kip Morais, San Luis Obispo County Planning & Building Department, Dan Rodrigues – ALAB Hemp Subcommittee Chair

7. 6:10 pm Review/possible action:

Discussion: Public Review Draft of the SLO County Industrial Hemp Ordinance

8. 6:45 Future agenda items/meeting dates, adjournment Chair Wolff/Vice-Chair Rodrigues

ALL TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE

MEMBERS: Please contact Marc Lea at the County Dept. of Agriculture at 805.781.5907 if you can NOT attend.

Scope of the Agricultural Liaison Advisory Board (ALAB):

The ALAB is advisory in nature and is recognized as a forum for discussion of matters that relate to local agriculture and land use or as directed by the County Board of Supervisors. ALAB members serve at the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors. Meetings are open to the public. **Meeting agendas, minutes and supplemental handouts for agenda items can be accessed at www.slocounty.ca.gov/agcomm or at the County Department of Agriculture – 2156 Sierra Way, Suite A, San Luis Obispo during County business hours.**