



COUNTY OF VENTURA
AGRICULTURAL POLICY ADVISORY COMMITTEE



Meeting Minutes – June 24, 2020

1. 9:08 a.m. – MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL AND ATTENDANCE

Committee: Sanger Hedrick, District 2, Chair
Scott Deardorff, District 1
Gordon Kimball, District 3
Patty Waters, District 4
Bobby Jones, District 5 - absent

3. Staff/Others Present: Ed Williams, Korinne Bell, & Alec Thille from the Ventura County Agricultural Commissioner's Office; Annemiek Schilder from the UC Cooperative Extension; Louise Lampara from the Ventura County Coalition of Labor, Agriculture, and Business; Candice Meneghin of Supervisor Parks' office; Matt Guthrie of Supervisor Long's office.

4. COMMENTS BY COMMITTEE MEMBERS
None.

5. CORRESPONDENCE
None.

6. PUBLIC COMMENTS
Steven Sprinkle: Will make comments after meeting.

7. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion: Approve February 19th minutes
By Waters, seconded by Deardorff
Vote: 3 – 0; Kimball abstained

8. PRESENTATION/ACTION

A. Agricultural Commissioner's staff presented final suggested definitions for the upcoming Non-Coastal Zoning Ordinance update.

Motion: Direct staff to propose APAC's suggested definition to VC RMA-Planning and solicit editorial comments by Planning
By Waters, seconded by Deardorff
Vote: 4 – 0

- B. Agricultural Commissioner's staff presented draft Conditions for Land Use Permits to mitigate the potential for greenwaste facilities to vector pests

No Action

- C. Agricultural Commissioner Ed Williams provided an overview of agriculturally important pests, agency changes, and news.

No Action

9. COMMUNICATIONS

- A. Proposals for future agenda items:

APAC review of the draft EIR for the Ventura County General Plan update.

Proposed revisions to the Ventura County Industrial Hemp ordinance

Potential Ballot measure to legalize specific cannabis production and usage in Ventura County

- 10. Meeting adjourned by Sanger Hendrick at 11:14 a.m.