

Lab Methods and Services Committee Agenda

2015 AAFCO Mid-Year Meeting
Wyndham San Antonio RiverWalk
San Antonio, Texas

Wednesday, January 14th, 2015

8:00 am – 5:00 pm, Executive Salon 2

Webex morning: <https://foodshield.connectsolutions.com/r23923655/>

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8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. CST

- 1) Welcome, Introductions & Adoption of Agenda – A. Price & N. Thiex
- 2) Review of Committee Roster and Appointments – A. Price & N. Thiex
- 3) Presentation on New AAFCO Website – S. Webb & J. Bernius
- 4) FSMA Implementation Task Force – R. Sheridan, J. Mirabile
- 5) AAFCO Board Survey on Committee Structure – A. Price & N. Thiex
- 6) Updates on Current Collaborative Studies
 - a) Dietary starch and fructans – MB Hall
 - b) Fatty acids – update from AOCS staff
- 7) Working Group Updates
 - a) Tylosin & CTC – Brief update: A. Price
 - b) Fat Soluble Vitamins – D. Inerowicz and K. Riter
 - c) Best Practices Group – S. Webb and L. Novotny
 - d) Sugars – J. Horst & D. Berg

Morning Break: 9:30 – 10:00 am

 - e) Mycotoxins – K. Gilbert, J. Mirabile, R. Sheridan
- 8) FDA Cooperative Agreement – What's new – N. Thiex
 - a) FDA/ORA/ORS and FERN Network update – R. Pamboukian
 - b) QA/QC working group: ISO Accreditation/Quality Management Systems Panel – L. Ogden, B. Snodgrass and group

Lunch: 12:00 – 1:15 pm

 - c) Collaborative Check Sample committee – N. Thiex and A. Crawford
 - d) Sampling working group:
 - i) Presentation of Sampling Study – K. McManus and A. Crawford
 - ii) Where to go from here re: sampling – N. Thiex
 - e) Microscopy Training Survey – TBD
 - f) Training group update – K. Gilbert and M. Stenske
 - g) Food and Feed Sub-committee resource pages – K. McCallum, H. Hickers and Y. Salfinger
- 9) FDA BSE Feed Safety Enhancement Grant: Presentations from Labs – K. Gilbert

Afternoon Break: 3:15 – 3:45 pm
- 10) Other Topics:
 - a) Amino acids in feeds: UPLC method and data – K. McCallum
 - b) Ractopamine & Organic Arsenicals Analysis in Feeds by LC-MS/MS – A. Price
 - c) Mid-West AOAC meeting in June 2015 – H. Hickers
 - d) FDA research methods – TBD
 - e) Animal Feed Regulatory Program Standards (AFRPS) – N. Thiex
- 11) Round-table Topics