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### **Lab Methods and Services Committee Agenda**

2026 AAFCO Mid-year Meeting  
New Orleans, LA  
Wednesday, January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2026

#### **Agenda**

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Review and Approval of Agenda
- 3) Introductions (15 min)
  - a) Sign-in Sheet
- 4) From Crude Fiber to Dietary Fiber: Modernizing Pet Food Analysis with Accurate, Automated Methods, Braden Mawdesley, Ankom Technology (1 hour)
- 5) Microwave Sample Preparation for Amino Acid Analysis, Alicia Stell, CEM Corporation (1 hour)
- 6) Working Group Updates– WG Leads (1.5 hours)
  - a) Dietary Fiber
  - b) Metals
  - c) Fat-Soluble Vitamins
  - d) Moisture
  - e) Ash
  - f) QA/QC
  - g) Laboratory Network
  - h) Emerging Contaminants
  - i) Mycotoxins
- 7) 2025-2030 AAFCO Strategic Plan (15min)
- 8) Other Business
  - a) Roundtable Discussion
- 9) Adjournment



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