

AGENDA

Public Hearing and 401st State Plant Board Meeting

State Plant Board Offices
#1 Natural Resources Drive
Little Rock, AR

September 4, 2015
1:30 p.m.

I. Public Hearing

1. **Public Hearing** to consider adopting Regulations on Grain Dealers in Arkansas.

The hearing will be to consider the recently enacted Arkansas Grain Dealers Act Regulations and the implementation of the law by the Arkansas State Plant Board.

ATTACHMENT I

II. State Plant Board Quarterly Board Meeting

1. **Opening Comments and Introductions.**

Board Member Appointments:

- Dr. Craig Rothrock, Interim Head, Dept. of Plant Pathology, University of Arkansas, will serve on the Plant Board as ex officio. Dr. Rothrock is temporarily replacing Dr. Rick Bennett.
- Thomas Post, representing the Arkansas Horticultural Society, (replacing Dr. Richard Collins) has been appointed to serve a 2-year term on the Arkansas State Plant Board.
- Greg Hay, representing the Arkansas Forestry Association, (replacing Wayne Owen), has been appointed to serve a 2-year term on the Arkansas State Plant Board.
- Terry Fuller, representing the Arkansas Seed Growers Association has been reappointed to serve a 2-year term on the Arkansas State Plant Board.
- Russell Bragg, representing the Arkansas Feed Manufacturers Association, has been reappointed to serve a 2-year term on the Arkansas State Plant Board.

2. **Action as a Result of Public Hearing** on the proposed Arkansas Grain Dealers Act Regulations.
3. **Minutes** of the June 11, 2015 Board meeting and the July 15, 2015 Special Called Board meeting are ready for approval.
4. **Examination Results**. The June 8, July 13, and August 10, 2015 pest control examination results are ready for approval. **ATTACHMENT II**
5. **Standing Committee Reports**. Standing Committees may have information or recommendations for the Board's consideration.

Pesticide Committee met July 6, 2015 – **ATTACHMENT III**

6. **Election of Officers**. The Board traditionally elects officers at the first meeting after July 1 each year.
7. **Other Business**.
8. **Date for the Next Quarterly Board Meeting**. Set date for the next quarterly Board meeting in December 2015.