

Notices of Formal Rulemaking Advisory Committee

NOTICES OF FORMAL RULEMAKING ADVISORY COMMITTEES

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the publication of Notices of Formal Rulemaking Advisory Committees whenever an agency appoints a committee before the agency submits a proposed rulemaking to the Secretary of State's Office for publication in the Register. Membership of the committee shall be published at the time of formation and shall be published in the Register annually.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

1. The specific rules or subject matter on which the committee is to comment, if known:

The Animal Services Division Council assists and makes recommendations to the associate director regarding the administration and implementation of the various programs within the division.

2. The names of the committee members:

Norman "Pete" Brawley, Cattle Grower 4/95
Gary Oden, Cattle Feeder 4/95
Vacant, Dairy Industry 4/95
Gary Young, Meat/Poultry 4/95
Jim Joy, Aquaculture 4/96

Dolly Echeverria, Wool Producers 4/95
Ed Stressman, Swine Industry 5/96
Bill Hickman, Egg Industry 4/95
Athene Gilmore, Equine Industry 10/94
Mark Howard, Feed/Grain Industry 10/94
Linda Lynch, Ratite Industry 10/96

3. The date the committee was formed:

This committee existed during the previous jurisdiction of the Livestock Board and by which authority was transferred in Article 1, Department of Agriculture, consisting of §§ 3-101 to 3-108, and added by Laws 1989, Ch. 162, § 3 effective January 1, 1991.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

1. The specific rules or subject matter on which the committee is to comment, if known:

The Cotton Advisory Committee makes recommendations to the Department by June 30 of each year on needed amendments to R3-4-204, Pink Bollworm and the Cotton Boll Weevil Complex.

2. The names of the committee members:

Chuck Youngker, Cotton Growers Assoc.
Wayne Stuhr, Farm Bureau
Jeff Silvertooth, U of A Extension Service
Robert Staten, USDA - APHIS
Paul Brown, U of A Experiment Station
Hollis Flint, USDA Research

Clyde Sharp, Zone A
J.D. Colvin, Zone B
Rudy Buckelew, Zone C
Hank Brubaker, Zone D
Vacant, Zone E
Wiley Murphy, Zone F
Bill Gorman, Department of Agriculture

3. The date the committee was formed:

This committee existed during the previous jurisdiction of the Commission of Agriculture and Horticulture and by which authority was transferred in Article 1, Department of Agriculture, consisting of §§ 3-101 to 3-108, and added by Laws 1989, Ch. 162, § 3 effective January 1, 1991.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

1. The specific rules or subject matter on which the committee is to comment, if known:

The Nursery Advisory Committee acts as a communication link between the nursery industry and the Department and advises the Department not only on nursery rules but also on any rule which would impact the nursery industry.

2. The names of the committee members:

Henry Conklin, Rose grower
Dan Chavez, Citrus grower
John Babiarz, Citrus grower

Mike Berglund, Independent retail
Bob Beber, Retail mass merchandizing
Denny Kindler, Floral
Jackie Simonson, Landscape
Brian Blake, Outdoor grower
Jay Ladd, Outdoor grower
Tom Birt, Tucson outdoor grower
Ray Brooks, Indoor grower
Tom Jones, Plant importer

3. The date the committee was formed:

December 8, 1992.

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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

1. The specific rules or subject matter on which the committee is to comment, if known:

The Organic Advisory Committee was established to assist in developing the organic food certification program.

2. The names of the committee members:

Vanda Gerhart, Retailer
Mike Horton, Processor Handler
Steve Sossaman, Cotton & Grain
Fred Wood, Environmental

Vacant, Consumer
Mike Moore, Cotton & Grain
Ron Powers, Member-at-Large
Dwight English, Fruit & Vegetable
Steve Pavich, Fruit & Vegetable
Vacant, Meat & Poultry
Bill Gorman, Arizona Department of Agriculture

3. The date the committee was formed:

November 4, 1992

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

1. The specific rules or subject matter on which the committee is to comment, if known:

The Native Plant Technical Advisory Board annually reviews the numbers of native plants harvested and salvaged in order to assess whether plant species, communities, or populations are being depleted, to recommend revisions to the protected native plant categories (Appendix A of the Native Plant Rules) and to recommend priorities for additional monitoring and scientific study.

2. The names of the committee members:

Rita Anthony

Marc Baker
Dr. Mickey Fontes
Ron Gass
Phil Hebets
Wendy Hodgson
Dr. Charles Mason, Jr.
Kenny O'Donnal
Dr. Donald Pinkava

3. The date the committee was formed:

This committee was formed in 1991 under the establishment of Article 1, Department of Agriculture, consisting of §§ 3-101 to 3-108, and added by Laws 1989, Ch. 162, § 3 effective January 1, 1991.