



Pennsylvania Farmland Preservation Association

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Agenda ~ Fall Virtual Conference

Wednesday October 27, 2021 - 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

~ Please see below for call in information ~

9:00 Welcome, Introductions, Recognitions, and Milestones Matt Knepper

9:10 Business Meeting

1. Call to Order and Poll of Voting Members..... Maria Bentzoni/Cindy Sanderson
2. Minutes of Spring 2021 Conference *Maria Bentzoni
3. Treasurer’s Report * Stephanie Williams
4. Membership Report * Cindy Sanderson
5. Executive Committee Report..... Matt Knepper
- Approval to appointment of Cindy Sanderson as Membership and Conference Coordinator *
6. Old Business/New Business Matt Knepper
7. Legislative Committee Matt Knepper
8. Election of Officers for a 2-year term..... Betty Reefer

- President
- Vice-President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Member At Large

Elected Officers will assume their duties at the conclusion of today’s meeting

The Official Business Meeting will be open until the end of the meeting.

9:30 PDA Update Doug Wolfgang and Staff

1. Regulations - status of updates
2. SB 525 (Growing Greener 3/ARA Funds)
3. RGGI (Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative) funding opportunity
4. Federal Program Participation (ACEP/RCP/PP/New RCP/PP)
5. Technology Update - PA Farmland/GIS/DocuSign/AOS/etc.
6. Conservation Plans - what is needed for State approval
7. Existing Ag Buildings/renovation to residential - where to add language to Guidelines
8. Staff Update

10:15 Case Law Update Matt Knepper

1. Lancaster County CaseMatt Knepper/John Howard

11:00 Current Issues and Roundtable Discussions Matt Knepper

As Time Permits (***Any topics listed below we are not able to get to will carry over to the next meeting***)

1. Rural Enterprises - Dog Kennels, “Amish Schools” (York Co request)
2. Subdivision - Annexation of land between two preserved farms
3. Promoting and Marketing your Program (Montgomery Co request)
4. Minimum Criteria – Raising the 10-acre Minimum to 12 acres
5. Manure Digester Plants (York Co request)
6. Open Discussion, as time permits

12:00 Wrap-up, Action Items and Motion to Close Business meeting * Matt Knepper

Fall PFPA Conference - Virtual Meeting Details – via ZOOM

Date: Wednesday, October 27, 2021

Time: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Link - to Join by Computer:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88543305663?pwd=U1dLNHFxVtB6R0RkdFIQaG10akVjUT09>

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