

**BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES**  
**Patrick Henry Building**  
**1111 E. Broad Street, East Reading Room**  
**Richmond, Virginia**  
**Thursday, December 7, 2017**

**AGENDA**

**9 A.M.**

1. Call to Order
2. Invocation
3. Roll Call
4. Approval of Draft Board Meeting Minutes from July 26, 2017
5. Board Member Reports
6. Commissioner's Report to Board
7. Proposed Fast-Track Action to Amend – 2 VAC 5-141 (Health Requirements Governing the Admission of Agricultural Animals, Companion Animals, and Other Animals or Birds into Virginia)
8. Response to C.B. Ecker Petition for Rulemaking – 2 VAC 5-319 (Best Management Practices for the Operation of Apiaries in Order to Limit Operator Liability)
9. Notice of Intended Regulatory Action – 2 VAC 5-317 (Regulations for the Enforcement of the Noxious Weeds Law)
10. Decline of Honeybees in Virginia– Dr. Richard Fell and Dr. Carlyle Brewster, Virginia Tech
11. 2017 Census of Agriculture Update – Herman Ellison, U.S Department of Agriculture National Agricultural Statistics Service
12. Pesticide Control Fund Update – Larry Nichols, Director, Division of Consumer Protection
13. Dicamba Update – Liza Fleeson Trossbach, Program Manager, Office of Pesticide Services
14. New Business
15. Future Board Meetings
16. Public Comment Period

## 17. Adjournment