

United States Department of Agriculture

Farm and Foreign Agricultural Services Risk Management Agency

INFORMATIONAL MEMORANDUM

TO: All Interested Parties

FROM: Diana Moslak /s/ Diana Moslak 6-30-99

Executive Secretary to the Corporation

SUBJECT: Notice of Meeting of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation's Board of

Directors and Related Agenda

This is to inform you that the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation's (FCIC) Board of Directors will hold its next Board of Directors meeting on July 28, 1999, in Room 104-A (Williamsburg Room), Jamie Whitten Building, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C., from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. This meeting is open to the public except for any portion of the meeting that may be called into Executive Session.

Attached is an Agenda listing items to be presented or voted on at the upcoming FCIC Board of Directors meeting. All guests and the public are invited to attend the open session. The items listed on this Agenda are subject to change without further notice.

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AGENDA FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE CORPORATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Williamsburg Room, Room 104-A Washington, D.C. July 28, 1999 (9:00 a.m - 4:00 p.m.)

CALL TO ORDER Gus Schumacher

Open Session

MINUTES OF THE JUNE 17, 1999 Gus Schumacher

TELEPHONE CONFERENCE MEETING

MANAGER'S REPORT Ken Ackerman

DEPUTY MANAGER'S REPORT John Zirschky

ACTION ITEMS

New Private Sector Alternative Product:

John Sheeley

GRP-WRAP IGF Insurance

Private Sector Alternative Product Expansion: Roger Swartz/

Revenue Assurance John Bednarik
American Farm
Bur. Ins. Serv.

Private Sector Alternative Product Modification:

American Agrisurance

Crop Revenue Coverage Durum Wheat

New Pilot Alternative Product: Coverage Enhancement Option Nelson Maurice

Alternative Product Expansion: Avocado Revenue Vondie O'Conner

New Pilot Aquatic: Clams Vondie O'Conner

New Pilot Crops: Citrus Dollar, Chile Pepper, and Cucumber Vondie O'Conner

Onion Stage Removal Tim Hoffmann

Pilot Program Expansions: Winter Squash (Pumpkins), Cabbage, Vondie O'Conner

Cherry, Watermelon, and Blueberry

Next Meeting Gus Schumacher

<u>Adjourn</u> Gus Schumacher