



**2015 ANNUAL INDUSTRY MEETING  
FOR USDA FOODS CONTRACTORS AND SUPPLIERS  
Doubletree Hotel by Hilton – Crystal City  
Arlington, Virginia**

**AGENDA DAY ONE - SPECIAL SESSION:  
HARMONIZING AMS LIVESTOCK, POULTRY, EGG, AND FISH PURCHASE  
SPECIFICATIONS WITH COMMERCIAL BEST PRACTICES  
Tuesday, October 27, 2015**

- 8:00-8:15**      **Welcoming Remarks**  
*Craig Morris, Office of the Deputy Administrator, Livestock, Poultry, and Seed Program (LPS)*
- 8:15-8:30**      **AMS Purchase Requirements**  
*Carl Schroeder, Food Safety and Commodity Specification Division, LPS*
- 8:30-8:45**      **AMS Auditing and Processing Oversight Requirements**  
*Jennifer Porter, Quality Assessment Division, LPS*
- 8:45-9:30**      **Vendor Feedback and Facilitated Discussion**  
*Mike Sheats, Office of the Deputy Administrator, LPS*
- 9:30-9:45**      **Break**
- 9:45-10:45**      **Vendor Feedback and Facilitated Discussion (continued)**  
*Mike Sheats, Office of the Deputy Administrator, LPS*
- 10:45-11:00**      **Conclusions and Next Steps**  
*Craig Morris, Office of the Deputy Administrator, LPS*

