

| SPRING 2021 NOSB MEETING AGENDA | | | |
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| Virtual: April 20, 22, and 28 - 30, 2021 | | | |
| Item | Origin/Requestor | Subcommittee | NOSB Meeting Action |
| Human Capital Management: Human Capital Management: Strategy for Recruitment and Talent Management- Organic Inspectors and Reviewers | NOP | Certification, Accreditation and Compliance | Vote |
| Human Capital Management: Supporting the Work of the NOSB | NOP | Certification, Accreditation and Compliance | Discussion |
| Paper Based Crop Planting Aids | Petition | Crops | Vote |
| Biodegradable biobased mulch annotation change | NOSB | Crops | Vote |
| Ammonia Extract | Petition | Crops | Discussion |
| Kasugamycin | Petition | Crops | Discussion |
| Copper sulfate §205.601 (a)(3) | Sunset | Crops | Discussion |
| Copper sulfate §205.601 (e)(4) | Sunset | Crops | Discussion |
| Ozone gas | Sunset | Crops | Discussion |
| Peracetic acid §205.601(a)(6) | Sunset | Crops | Discussion |
| Peracetic acid §205.601(i)(8) | Sunset | Crops | Discussion |
| EPA List 3—Inerts of unknown toxicity | Sunset | Crops | Discussion |
| Chlorine materials (Calcium hypochlorite, Chlorine dioxide, hypochlorous acid, sodium hypochlorite) | Sunset | Crops | Discussion |
| Magnesium oxide | Sunset | Crops | Discussion |
| Calcium chloride | Sunset | Crops | Discussion |
| Rotenone | Sunset | Crops | Discussion |
| Fish oil annotation | NOSB | Handling | Discussion |
| Ion exchange filtration | NOP | Handling | Vote |
| Zein | Petition | Handling | Discussion |
| Agar-agar | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Animal enzymes | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Calcium sulfate - mined | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Carrageenan | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Glucono delta-lactone | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Tartaric acid | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Cellulose | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |

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| Chlorine materials (Calcium hypochlorite, Chlorine dioxide, hypochlorous acid, sodium hypochlorite) | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Potassium hydroxide | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Silicon dioxide | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Potassium lactate | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Sodium lactate | Sunset | Handling | Discussion |
| Activated charcoal | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Calcium borogluconate | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Calcium propionate | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Chlorine materials (Calcium hypochlorite, Chlorine dioxide, hypochlorous acid, sodium hypochlorite) | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Kaolin pectin | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Mineral Oil | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Nutritive supplements | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Propylene glycol | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Sodium chlorite, acidified §205.603 (a)(28) | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Sodium chlorite, acidified §205.603 (b)(9) | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Zinc sulfate | Sunset | Livestock | Discussion |
| Excluded Methods | NOSB | Materials | Discussion |
| Research Priorities Spring 2021 | NOSB | Materials | Discussion |

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NOSB: Active and Ongoing Work Agenda Items

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| 8/10/2017 | Active | Integrity of the supply chain/Oversight improvements to deter fraud | NA | Practice | NOP | 2 | Certification, Accreditation and Compliance | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/14/2020 | TBD | TBD pending publication of SOE rule | TBD | TBD |
| 7/31/2020 | Active | Human Capital Management: 1. Supporting the Work of the NOSB | NA | Practice | NOP | 2 | Certification, Accreditation and Compliance | Sbcmnte discussion/Vote | 1/12/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Vote |
| 7/31/2020 | Active | Human Capital Management: 2. Strategy for Recruitment and Talent Management-Organic Inspectors and Reviewers | NA | Practice | NOP | 2 | Certification, Accreditation and Compliance | Sbcmnte discussion/Vote | 2/9/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Vote |
| 8/14/2018 | Active | Paper Based Crop Planting Aids | §205.601 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion/vote | 1/19/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Vote |
| 12/6/2019 | Active | Chitosan - plant disease control | §205.601 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 11/17/2020 | Sbcmnte discussion | 5/4/2021 | Fall 2021 | Vote |
| 7/31/2020 | Active | Chitosan - coagulant for fertilizer | §205.601 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 8/18/2020 | Sbcmnte discussion | TBD - pending other | Fall 2021 | Vote |
| 12/19/2019 | Active | Biochar | §205.602 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/19/2021 | Sbcmnte discussion | TBD pending TR response | Fall 2021 | Discussion |
| 5/26/2020 | Active | Ammonia Extract | §205.601 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion/Vote | 2/16/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 5/27/2020 | Active | Kasugamycin | §205.601 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion/Vote | 2/2/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 10/6/2020 | Active | Hydronium | §205.601 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 3/2/2021 | Sbcmnte discussion | TBD | Fall 2021 | Discussion |
| 1/15/2021 | Active | Carbon Dioxide | §205.601 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 3/2/2021 | Sbcmnte discussion/TR request? | 4/6/2021 | Fall 2021 | Vote |
| 8/2/2016 | Active | Biodegradable biobased mulch annotation change | §205.601 | Material | NOSB | 3 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion/Vote | 2/16/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Vote |
| 10/25/2019 | Active | Research priorities | NA | Other | NOSB | 3 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/19/2021 | Discuss/Send to MS | 7/6/2021 | NA | NA |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Copper sulfate | 205.601(a)(3) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/19/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Copper sulfate | 205.601(e)(4) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/19/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Ozone gas | 205.601 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/19/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Peracetic acid | 205.601 (a)(6) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/5/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Peracetic acid | 205.601 (i)(8) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/5/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | EPA List 3—Inerts of unknown toxicity | 205.601 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/19/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |

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| 4/7/2020 | Active | Chlorine materials (Calcium hypochlorite, Chlorine dioxide, hypochlorous acid, sodium hypochlorite) | 206.601 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 2/2/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Magnesium oxide | 205.601 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/15/2020 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Calcium chloride | 205.602 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/1/2020 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Rotenone | 205.602 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Crops | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/1/2020 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 10/25/2019 | Active | Research priorities | NA | Other | NOSB | 3 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/5/2021 | Discuss/Send to MS | 7/6/2021 | NA | NA |
| 12/23/2019 | Active | Whey protein concentrate - removal | 205.606 | Material | Petition | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion/vote | 8/4/2020 | Sbcmnte discussion | TBD | TBD | TBD |
| 1/13/2020 | Active | Cetylpyridinium chloride (CPC) | 205.605 | Material | Petition | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion/TR sufficiency | 3/16/2021 | Sbcmnte discussion/TR sufficiency | TBD | Fall 2021 | Vote |
| 1/28/2020 | Active | Phosphoric acid – amend annotation | 205.605 | Material | Petition | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion/Questions for TR | 12/15/2020 | Sbcmnte discussion | 5/18/2021 | Fall 2021 | Discussion |
| 3/20/2020 | Active | Zein | 205.606 | Material | Petition | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion/Vote | 2/16/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 8/6/2019 | Active | Fish oil annotation | 205.606 | Material | NOSB | 3 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion/vote | 2/16/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 8/6/2019 | Active | L Malic Acid reclassification | 205.605(a) | Material | NOSB | 3 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion/vote | 2/18/2020 | Sbcmnte discussion/vote | TBD | Fall 2021 | Vote |
| 8/27/2019 | Active | Ion exchange filtration | NA | Other | NOP | 2 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion/vote | 2/16/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Vote |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Agar-agar | 205.605(a) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/19/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Animal enzymes | 205.605(a) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 2/2/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Calcium sulfate—mined | 205.605(a) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/19/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Carrageenan | 205.605(a) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 2/2/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Glucono delta-lactone | 205.605(a) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 2/16/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Tartaric acid | 205.605(a) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/15/2020 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Cellulose | 205.605(b) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/15/2020 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |

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| 4/7/2020 | Active | Chlorine materials (Calcium hypochlorite, Chlorine dioxide, hypochlorous acid, sodium hypochlorite) | 206.601 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 2/2/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Potassium hydroxide | 205.605(b) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/15/2020 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Silicon dioxide | 205.605(b) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/5/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Potassium lactate | 205.605(b) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/1/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Sodium lactate | 205.605(b) | Material | Sunset | 1 | Handling | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/1/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 7/31/2020 | Active | Chitosan - processing aid in the production of livestock feed | 205.605 OR 205.603 | Material | Petition | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 9/15/2020 | Sbcmnte discussion/petition sufficiency | TBD - pending response from petitioner | Fall 2021 | Vote |
| 10/25/2019 | Active | Research priorities | NA | Other | NOSB | 3 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/15/2021 | Discuss/Send to MS | 7/6/2021 | NA | NA |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Activated charcoal | 205.603 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/15/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Calcium borogluconate | 205.603 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/19/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Calcium propionate | 205.603 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/19/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Chlorine materials (Calcium hypochlorite, Chlorine dioxide, hypochlorous acid, sodium hypochlorite) | 206.601 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 2/16/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Kaolin pectin | 205.603 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/5/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Mineral Oil | 205.603 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion/TR sufficiency | 3/16/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Nutritive supplements | 205.603 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 2/16/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Propylene glycol | 205.603 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion/TR sufficiency | 3/16/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Sodium chlorite, acidified | 205.603 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/5/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Sodium chlorite, acidified | 205.603 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 1/5/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 4/7/2020 | Active | Zinc sulfate | 205.603 | Material | Sunset | 1 | Livestock | Sbcmnte discussion | 12/15/2020 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |

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| 12/10/2013 | Active | Excluded Methods Spring 2021 | Misc | Material | NOSB | 3 | Materials | Sbcmmttee discussion/vote | 2/9/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| 9/4/2020 | Active | Tall Oil, distilled | 205.601, 205.603 | Material | NOSB | 3 | Materials | Sbcmmttee discussion/TR | 12/8/2020 | Sbcmmttee discussion/TR | TBD - pending TR | Fall 2021 | Discussion |
| Ongoing | Ongoing | NOSB 2021 Research Priorities | Other | Other | NOSB | 4 | Materials | Sbcmmttee discussion/vote | 2/9/2021 | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 4/30/2021 | Spring 2021 | Discussion |
| Ongoing | Active | Review of Policy & Procedure Manual (PPM) | N/A | Other | NOSB | 4 | Policy Development | Sbcmmtte discussion - request for work | 2/9/2021 | Sbcmmtte discussion | 3/9/2021 | Fall 2021 | Discussion |
| | | Member Guide updates | N/A | Other | NOSB | 4 | Policy Development | Sbcmmtte discussion - request for work agenda | 2/9/2021 | Sbcmmtte discussion | 4/13/2021 | NA | NA |

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NOSB: Work Agenda Requests (Not Fully Scoped)

| Status | Item | NL Section | Type | Requestor | Priority | Request/Referred Subcommittee | Requested by Executive Committee | Last Action | Last Action Date | Next Action | Next Meeting Action |
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| On hold | Organic poultry task force | | Practice | NOSB | 3 | Livestock | TBD | Executive Cmmte discussion | 3/16/2018 | On hold | Not on Agenda |
| On hold | Outdoor access for swine | | Practice | NOSB | 3 | Livestock | TBD | Subcmmte discussion | 6/5/2018 | On hold | Not on Agenda |
| Not approved | Use of antibiotics in pre-two-day-old poultry | | Practice | NOSB | 3 | Livestock | Yes | NOP response to request. Request was denied. | 6/5/2018 | None | Not on Agenda |
| Not approved | Energy system infrastructure on organic farms | | Practice | NOSB | 3 | CACS | Yes | NOP response to request. Request was denied. | 12/14/2018 | None | Not on Agenda |
| Request withdrawn | Pasture requirements for dairy goats | | Practice | NOSB | 3 | Livestock | TBD | Subcmmte discussion | 6/4/2019 | Subcmmte discussion and Exec Cmmte approval | Not on Agenda |
| Approved | Fish oil annotation | | Material | NOSB | 3 | Handling | 7/16/2019 | Approved by NOP | 8/6/2019 | Subcommittee work | Spring 2021 |
| Approved | L Malic Acid reclassification | | Material | NOSB | 3 | Handling | 7/16/2020 | Approved by NOP | 8/6/2019 | Subcommittee work | Spring 2021 |
| Approved | Human Capital Management | | Practice | NOP | 2 | CACS | NA | NOP request sent to CACS 07/31/2020 | | Subcmmte discussion | Spring 2021 |
| Approved | Public Comment processes | | NA | NOSB | 3 | Policy Development | 2/16/2021 | Exec Team - approved | 2/16/2021 | Subcmmte discussion | Fall 2021 |

Work agendas under review by NOP or petitions under review by NOSB - no work should be done other than sufficiency or requesting/scoping

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NOSB: Items on HOLD Pending Action (Subcommittees not working on)

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| 5/9/2016 | HOLD | (Manure treatments) Anaerobic Digestate - Food Waste 205.601(j) and other manure issues | | Material | NOP | 2 | Crops | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | 11/2/2017 | HOLD | TBD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 7/1/2014 | HOLD | Prohibition of NPEs in inerts - annotation change/ EPA List 4 Inerts annotation change | | Material | NOSB | 3 | Crops | HOLD - pending IWG/EPA/Safer Choice program | Fall 2015 | HOLD | TBD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 9/6/2016 | HOLD | Field and greenhouse container production | | Practice | NOSB | 3 | Crops | Subcommittee discussion | 2/6/2016 | HOLD | TBD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 1/12/2014 | HOLD | Packaging substances used in organic food handling - including BPA | | Material | NOP | 2 | Handling | Technical Review Sufficiency Determination | 8/1/2017 | HOLD | TBD | TBD | Discussion |
| 1/12/2016 | HOLD | Nutrient Vitamins and Minerals - annotation change | 205.605(b) | Material | NOSB | 3 | Handling | Subcommittee Discussion | Fall 2015 | None | TBD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 11/19/2013 | HOLD | Contamination issues of farm inputs | NA | Material | NOSB | 3 | Materials | Subcommittee discussion | 10/8/2019 | Subcommittee | 11/12/2019 | TBD | TBD |
| 5/30/2012 | HOLD | Aquaculture-CO2, (for aquatic plants) | 205.609 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Referred back to Subcommittee | 5/2/2014 | HOLD | HOLD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 5/30/2012 | HOLD | Aquaculture-Chlorine (for aquatic plants) | 205.609 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Referred back to Subcommittee | 5/3/2014 | HOLD | HOLD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 6/8/2012 | HOLD | Aquaculture-Micronutrients (for aquatic plants) | 205.609 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Referred back to Subcommittee | 5/4/2014 | HOLD | HOLD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 07/30/2012 | HOLD | Aquaculture-Lignin sulfonate (chelating agent for aquatic plants) CAS #s 9009-75-0, 8062-15-5, 8061-51-6 | 205.609 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Referred back to Subcommittee | 5/5/2014 | HOLD | HOLD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 8/10/2012 | HOLD | Aquaculture- Vitamins (B1, B12, H) for aquatic plants | 205.609 | Material | Petition | 1 | Crops | Referred back to Subcommittee | 5/6/2014 | HOLD | HOLD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 6/4/2012 | HOLD | Aquaculture - Biologics: Vaccines for Aquatic Animals | 205.611 | Material | Petition | 1 | Livestock | Referred back to Subcommittee | 5/7/2014 | HOLD | HOLD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 5/30/2012 | HOLD | Aquaculture - Chlorine (for aquatic animals) | 205.611 | Material | Petition | 1 | Livestock | Referred back to Subcommittee | 5/8/2014 | HOLD | HOLD | TBD | Not on Agenda |

Action being taken by USDA or another agency; NOSB and Subcommittee work should hold pending action by agency.

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| 5/30/2012 | HOLD | Aquaculture - Tocopherols (for aquatic animals) | 205.611 | Material | Petition | 1 | Livestock | Referred back to Subcommittee | 5/9/2014 | HOLD | HOLD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 5/30/2012 | HOLD | Aquaculture - Vitamins (for aquatic animals) | 205.611 | Material | Petition | 1 | Livestock | Referred back to Subcommittee | 5/10/2014 | HOLD | HOLD | TBD | Not on Agenda |
| 6/8/2012 | HOLD | Aquaculture - Trace Minerals (for aquatic animals) | 205.611 | Material | Petition | 1 | Livestock | Referred back to Subcommittee | 5/11/2014 | HOLD | HOLD | TBD | Not on Agenda |

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NOSB Work Agenda Definitions

| Term Reference | Term | Definition |
|-------------------------|---|---|
| Status | Active | Active work agenda item being worked on |
| Status | Requested | Request for work agenda item sent to NOP by NOSB, under review and not yet approved |
| Status | Waiting for further information | Item on hold pending information USDA agreed to obtain (i.e. Technical Report, TAP, panel, task force, etc.) |
| Status | Hold Pending Action | Action being taken by USDA or another agency, work should hold pending action |
| Status | Closed | Complete - to be removed from Work Agenda |
| Status | Ongoing | Ongoing NOSB work agenda item with periodic or annual updates/actions |
| Type | Material | Work agenda item is related to a material (i.e. petition, sunset, annotation, reclassification, discussion document about input issue, etc.) |
| Type | Practice | |
| Type | Other | Work agenda item about neither standards or materials |
| Requestor/Priority * | Sunset | 1 - Sunset items are required to be reviewed at least every 5 years |
| Requestor/Priority * | Petition | 1 - Petition for a material that has been found sufficient |
| Requestor/Priority * | NOP | 2 - Request to the NOSB from the NOP |
| Requestor/Priority * | NOSB | 3 - Approved work agenda request (NOSB-Initiated) |
| Requestor/Priority * | Other | 4 - Other work Items |
| | *Priority is determined by PPM | |
| Subcommittee | Subcommittee | Subcommittee assigned work agenda item |
| Last Action/Next Action | Public Input/Full NOSB Vote | Item is with the NOP for public posting and addition to next full NOSB Agenda. NOSB action at next meeting will be to discuss and review public input and ultimately vote |
| Last Action/Next Action | Public Input/Full NOSB Review | Item is with the NOP for public posting and addition to next full NOSB Agenda. NOSB action at next meeting will be to discuss and review public input, not vote |
| Last Action/Next Action | Subcommittee finalize on Discussion Document | Subcommittee has finalized a document and forwarded to the NOP for public input and full NOSB review. |
| Last Action/Next Action | Subcommittee Finalize Preliminary Sunset Review | Subcommittee has finalized preliminary review of sunset material and forwarded a document to the NOP for public input and full NOSB review |
| Last Action/Next Action | Subcommittee voted on Proposal | Subcommittee has finalized a proposal and forwarded the proposal to the NOP for public input and full NOSB review and vote |
| Last Action/Next Action | Subcommittee Finalize Final Sunset Review | Subcommittee has finalized the sunset review proposal and forwarded the proposal to the NOP for public input and full NOSB review and vote. |
| Last Action/Next Action | Draft... | Subcommittee is in the process of drafting a document, review or proposal |
| Last Action/Next Action | Technical Review Sufficiency Determination | Subcommittee is reviewing a Technical Review for sufficiency |

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| Term Reference | Term | Definition |
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| Last Action/Next Action | Hold - waiting on Technical Review | Subcommittee is taking no action pending receipt of technical review request to program |
| Last Action/Next Action | Technical Review Request | Subcommittee requests technical review |
| Last Action/Next Action | WAITNG... | Item on hold pending information USDA agreed to obtain (i.e. Technical Report, TAP, panel, task force, etc.) |
| Last Action/Next Action | HOLD... | Subcommittee work is on Hold pending action by gov't agency |
| Last Action/Next Action | Petition determined insufficient | Petition was determined insufficient, reasons provided to NOP, work agenda item closed |
| Last Action/Next Action | Closed | Subcommittee closes work agenda item with no document or proposal |
| Last Action/Next Action | None | No current action but not pending work - normally used for ongoing items with no current work. |