



AASCO

Association of American Seed Control Officials

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32nd Annual Meeting
Holiday Inn Downtown
Des Moines, Iowa
July 15-19, 2018

TENTATIVE AGENDA (5/17/18)

SUNDAY, JULY 15

1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Registration –

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Board of Directors Meeting –

MONDAY, JULY 16

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Registration –

GENERAL SESSION

8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Roll Call – Introductions

Necrology

Welcome

Presidents Address

Allied Organization Reports:

- AOSA – Mike Stahr
- SCST – Dave Stimpson
- AOSCA – Chet Boruff
- ASTA – Jane DeMarchi
- CFIA – Anita Gilmer
- ISPA – Todd Martin

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

Break

10:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

AASCO Affiliate Meeting Reports:

- AOSA/SCST – Johnny Zook
- ASTA – Johnny Zook
- AOSCA – Johnny Zook

MONDAY, JULY 16 (continued)

Preliminary Committee Reports:

- Administration/Enforcement and Operating/Procedures Committee - Mary Smith
- Audit/Finance Committee – Jeff Claxton
- Charter & By-Laws Committee – Jason Goltz
- Committee on Legislation and Labeling, RUSSEL Review and Official Definitions – Vacant
- Information, Education and Website Committee – Don Robison
- Meeting Place and Program Committee – Jason Goltz
- New Seed Technologies Committee – Nathan Miller
- Nominations/Elections/Resolutions Committee – Ron Pence
- Planning and Membership Committee – Ron Pence
- Scholarship and Financial Assistance Committee – Greg Helmbrecht
- Seed Health Committee – Johnny Zook
- Seed Inspector Qualifications & Training Committee – Vacant; Jim Drews

11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

USDA Update – Roger Burton

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

New Member Orientation – Jason Goltz

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch break

1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

NRCS Seed Standards Discussion – Jane DeMarchi

1:45 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

2:45 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

Break

3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Regional Association Meeting (locations TBD):

- Southern Control Officials Associations
- North Central States Seed Control Officials Association
- Western Association of Seed Control Officials
- Association of Seed Control Officials of the Northeast States

5:00 p.m.

Hospitality Room

TUESDAY, JULY 17

7:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Registration

GENERAL SESSION

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Accredited Sampler Training – Jim Drews

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

AOSA/SCST Update – Johnny Zook

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Germination Standards for Flower and Vegetable RUSSEL – Johnny Zook

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Seed Samples, Chain of Custody, Handling & Shipping – Roger Burton

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Treating/Coating/Repackaging of Seed Having Been Previously Certified – Roger Burton/Johnny Zook

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

National Seed Health System Updates – Tracy Bruns

12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.

Lunch break

12:45 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

Going Paperless – Don Robison

1:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

Updating State Weed Seed Lists through Legislation – Don Robison

1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Working with PVPO and SRTD – Roger Burton

2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Break

2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Kentucky 31 Tall Fescue

3:45 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

Wild Species Working Group Update – Gil Waibel

7:00 p.m.

Hospitality Room

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18

7:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Registration

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.

Presidents Breakfast

GENERAL SESSION

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Federal Seed Act Training for State Seed Control Officials

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Spiral Probe Discussion – Jim Drews

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

BITS Training Format Discussion – Johnny Zook

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Break

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18 (continued)

10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Seed Sampler Training and Certification – Professional Production and On Line Testing (proposal) – Greg Helmbrecht and Scott Pheil & John Schoemaker (Backflip – Video Productions)
11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Lunch Break
12:15 p.m.	Bus Departs Hotel
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Tour John Deere
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Tour Monsanto Huxley Learning Center
5:45 p.m.	Machine Shed Restaurant
8:00 p.m.	Hospitality Room

THURSDAY, JULY 19

GENERAL SESSION

8:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	AASCO Annual Business Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Secretary’s Report• Treasurer’s Report• Board Meeting Minutes• Regional Meeting Reports• Committee Reports• Old Business• New Business• Adjourn
10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	Break
10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Executive Board Meeting

Thank you all for attending and have a safe trip home.