



INDIANA PESTICIDE REVIEW BOARD

April 20, 2016; 9:05 a.m-12:59 p.m. Meeting Minutes

Daniels Turf Research & Diagnostic Center
Cherry Lane (SR 126)
Purdue University
West Lafayette, Indiana

Members present:

Ray Brinkmeyer
Phil Marshall
Julia Tipton Hogan
Tim Gibb
Bob Andrews
Ronald Hellenthal (Chair)
Steve Dlugosz
Bruce Bordelon
Lee Green
Martha Clark Mettler
Ellen Jacquart
Rick Foster
John Bacone

Ex officio

Dave Scott
Fred Whitford
Bob Waltz

Members absent:

Mike Titus
Kevin Underwood

1. Approval of the meeting agenda...**motion** to approve by Steve Dlugosz & Bob Andrews; vote was unanimous.
2. Approval of previous meeting minutes (January 14, 2016)...request to spell out acronyms used; summary format for minutes is acceptable; **motion** to accept by Martha Clark Mettler & Ellen Jacquart; vote was unanimous.
3. Review of cases involving civil penalties since the last meeting...Case # 2015/1226; termiticide pretreat under-dosing; business license has not been revoked but business was required to retreat under-dosed property...Case #2016/0252; Rural King appears to be a repeat violator; OISC policy is to treat each business location as a separate entity when considering violation numbers...Case #2015/0479; unregistered pesticide misuse for bedbugs in multiple apartment units; referral to EPA Criminal Enforcement Division; OISC policy is not to pursue civil penalty if referred for criminal prosecution; OISC does not routinely pursue press releases for violations; Several news services monitor OISC web site for enforcement actions.
4. Zika Virus activities in Indiana...Lee Green of Indiana State Department of Health made a summary presentation.

5. Review and discussion of draft Pollinator Protection Plan (P³) for Indiana
 - a. Bee biology discussion & demonstration
 - b. Purdue University Bee Garden discussion...is it a bee garden or honey bee garden; native species & nesting sites need to be considered too, not just forage sites; concerns about Purdue in-house expertise of suitable native & non-invasive plants; need to engage P.U. professor Mindy Appold, the designer of the P.U. Bee Garden...**motion** to strongly encourage communication between P.U. IBAT BMP authors and other reviewers or stakeholders with knowledge of pollinators and/or forage and habitat by Ellen Jacquart & Martha Clark Mettler; vote was unanimous.
 - c. Comments on draft document...concern by some about removing all of the BMPs from the plan; should be included in the plan document, not just referenced; eliminates opportunity for public input; reviewed comments submitted from RISE to limit P3 to just managed pollinators; no support for that recommendation.
 - d. Status of BMP development...different BMPs are on different completion schedules because they have different authors with different levels of motivation.
 - e. Mechanisms to track supportive activities...Purdue Pesticide Programs is contracting with the NGO Empower Results to develop pollinator related services within the Clear Choices Clean Water framework; presentation at next meeting.

6. Comment on EPA decision to approve dicamba for use on genetically-modified crops...Dan Childs of Monsanto reported USDA accepted dicamba tolerant seed June, 2015, China did same about a month ago, the EU did not; EPA reviewing M1691 (DGA sulfate of dicamba) product application now; there is dicamba tolerant seed in distribution now, but no approved dicamba products; seed bag tags warn against post-emergent application this year; Steve Smith of Red Gold supports sensitive crop wind direction restrictions on proposed label, but requests IPRB to not approve for use in IN until max. residue levels(MRLs) finalized for non-target crops; concern about illegal use of dicamba before new formulations are approved; no tank mixing may be allowed due to resultant increase in volatility; AR passed state rules requiring 400' buffers & making generic dicamba RUPs.

7. Readopt 357 IAC 1-11 Community-Wide Mosquito Abatement Pesticide Appl. & Techs. ...**motion** by Bruce Bordelon & Rick Foster to readopt this sunset scheduled rule as is; vote was unanimous.

8. Readopt 357 IAC 1-16 Pesticide Use at Schools
 - a. Delete reference to use of lowest hazard pesticides?...IPMA supports dropping this reference from purpose section of rule; **motion** by Steve Dlugosz & Tim Gibb to strike this from the rule; vote was unanimous except Martha Clark Mettler who voted to keep it in the rule.
 - b. Exempt schools serving students over 18 years of age?...**motion** by Julia Tipton Hogan & Ellen Jacquart to change formatting in 357 IAC 1-16-3(7) to include a list of exemptions from the definition of "school corporation" and to include schools serving solely students 19 years of age or older; vote was unanimous.

9. Draft civil penalty rule revision
 - a. Delete restrictions for non-mitigation of penalties?...**motion** by Lee Green 7 Tim Gibb to defer discussion or action on agenda items #9 & 10 until the next meeting; vote was unanimous.

10. Draft bulk storage and containment rule revision
 - a. Exempt some disinfectant users from certain requirements?

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