## 2019 NCERA 222 Annual Meeting March 12-13, 2019 University of Missouri Columbia, MO

#### **Meeting Minutes**

## U of Missouri Introduction & IPM Projects

## NCIPM Center Update - MSU and ISU leading Center

## 4 signature programs

- Invasive species (all four centers)
  - o Develop Response Kit
  - o WGs
- Pest Resistance Management
  - o IPRMP (Iowa Pest Resistance Management Project), Southern IPM
  - Collaborate with IR4
- Pollinator and monarch conservation
  - Tie researchers and extension personnel
  - Provide resources and help coordinate educational efforts
  - Support communication dissemination
- Advanced genetic tools and IPM
  - o Support the collaboration of pest management experts and plant genetics
  - o Conduct assessment

#### Grants program (1 year proposals)

- Working group grants
  - o Received 18, funded 13
- Critical issues
  - Received 10, funded 2

#### Advisory Panel

- IPM practitioners
- Educators
- Partner Organizations
- Working groups
- Coordinators or other university based administrators

Steering committee – subset of advisory panel

Evaluation

■ Context, encourage people to respond if contacted

#### Communications

- Connections still exist job opportunities, NIFA opportunities, etc.
- Monthly newsletter captures activities of all IPM groups, webinars, pubs, etc.
- New website currently in progress
  - o Get updated information to Ethan

## Administration update – Jeff Jacobsen

- Need to have multi-state updates
  - o Perhaps set up future agendas to specifically address 4 objectives
  - o Identify topics outside of meeting that could fulfill an objective for multiple states
- Add publications (and outputs) into NCERA 222 report
- Mass confusion on the report
- ECOP and ESCOP update
  - All budget lines being looked at in NIFA (45 lines) with hopes of consolidating to be more like NSF/NIH (strategic re-alignment)
  - Chair Ed Jones and Deb Hamernik are going around the hill to represent Extension and Research
  - ERS and NIFA relocation sites narrowed from 136 to 67 (middle list)
- APLU Doug Steele

## NIFA Update – Rubella Goswami

- Lots of changes
- President's budget came out yesterday changes will still happen
- 2018 Farm Bill signed in December
  - New items such as urban, indoor RFP
  - o Increased funding for organic
  - Emergency citrus disease research
  - NPDN some additional funds?
  - o Biosecurity planning and response
  - Indirect cost limitations may see modifications
- NIFA listens 5 listening sessions
- NIFA move slated to be complete by the end of 2019
- There are programs ARDP open now
- EIP Continuation Awards
  - o Letters are being drafted to us for continuation application to NIFA
  - Letter will include clear instructions on what specially needs to be forwarded to NIFA for continuation and for REEport
- It will be up to us how PIs report to IPM coordinators (as per their requirement)
  - o Poster presentation could work, with lots of hesitation with that answer
  - o Stay in conversation with Rubella about this
- Evaluation question from Jim they are considering SARE model, but need to give more thought. Think that we should want to keep our flexibility.
- Daren (not Jim) had a good idea.
  - o National Evaluation webinar?

#### National IPM Coordinating Committee Update – Patrick Beauzay

- Pat led the whole doggone thing
- Want a national IPM Coordinator but don't know how to pay for it.
- Pesticide safety discussion need to address as an individual part of IPM
- STEM and STEM education in agriculture was discussed
- National IPM Roadmap is done
- Jill Schroeder taking over for David Epstein's role with IPM

## PSEP Stakeholder Team IPM Workgroup – Lee Miller

- PSEP wants to integrate with IPM
- States interact differently with IPM programs
  - ND (and several other proposals) written into grant
  - The coordinator may be the same for some states (MO, KS)
  - Some states may need help with unfunded mandates, securing more funds for staffing. Depends on state though.
  - Big difference is states that can charge for education on private pesticide training

#### Pollinators

- iPIPE hard to use. Process is clunky and hard to use. Perhaps this isn't a viable method moving forward because it is designed for researchers and programmers with very little current utility for public consumption.
- Why can't they use an Excel spreadsheet?
- Multistate pollinator habitat project was a success.
- Perhaps gain a regional publication from this?
- There is a consensus that publishing the pollinator data at some level would be valuable.

#### State reports

■ See Accomplishments Section

## NCERA 222 Business Meeting

- Approved meetings Jim approves; Cliff seconds notion
- Joy Landis will be chair for next year; meeting will be in Michigan.
- Last two weeks of March will work Joy will identify facility and let us know dates.
  - First choice is the last week of March
- Cliff Sadoff has been elected as vice-chair for 2020; to be chair in 2021 (NCERA 222 meeting will be in Denver with the National IPM Symposium)
- We need to have our summary of our EIP programs as per the requirement in the RFP.
  - It will be mandatory that all states participate next year either live or Zoom to complete this requirement
- State reports get them uploaded on Basecamp
  - o Remember to include multi-state activities
  - Remember to include publications and outputs
- IPM Symposium be thinking about topic or theme to discuss next year or through Basecamp

# Meeting Agenda

	Tuesday, March 12
Time	Gillett/Ware Room (S206) Memorial Student Union
8 - 8:30	Intro & Greeting – CAFNR Dean Chris Daubert, Assoc. Dean Rob Kallenbach
8:30 - 9:00	Fungicide Resistance Management in Frogeye Leaf Spot
	– Kaitlyn Bissonnette (MU)
9:00 - 9:30	Dicamba & Weed Science Extension Efforts in MO – Kevin Bradley (MU)
9:30 - 10:00	Japanese Beetle Attract and Kill Strategies – Kevin Rice (MU)
10:00 -10:15	BREAK
10:15 – 10:45	ARDP Project: Development of Attract & Kill Pest Management Tactics for
	Critical Insect Pests of Fruit – Matt Grieshop (MSU)
11:15 – 11:45	NC IPM Center Update – Lynnae Jess, Daren Mueller
	CONTEXT – agribusiness consulting firm looking at NC IPM Center for assessment.
	Monthly newsletter with events. New publications. Working group updates.
	Connections and newsletter two separate entities.
12:00 - 1:00	LUNCH (Reynolds Alumni Center)
Time	Hampton Inn Conference Room
1:15 – 1:45	ECOP/ESCOP/APLU/Administrative Update - Jeff Jacobsen
1:45 – 2:45	NIFA Update – Herb Bolton, Rubella Goswami
2:45 – 3:00	Discussion on EIP RFA Format
2:45 - 3:00	BREAK
3:00 - 3:15	National IPM Coordinating Committee Update – Pat Beauzay, Bob Wright
	Jill schrader
3:15 – 3:30	PSEP Stakeholder Team IPM Workgroup – Lee Miller
	IPM Roadmap includes PSEP
	Value of PSEP
	Survey instrumentation utilizing PSEP audience
3:30 - 5:00	State Reports – One Innovative Program
5:00	ADJOURN FOR THE DAY
6:00	Meet for Dinner in Lobby (Glenn's Café - www.glennscafe.com)
	Wednesday, March 13
Time	Hampton Inn Conference Room
8:30 - 9:00	Open Discussion: NCIPM Pollinator Habitat Survey
9:00 - 10:00	Finish State Reports
10:00 - 10:15	BREAK
10:15 - 11:00	NCERA 222 Business Meeting
	State Reports to Lee Miller
	Elect New Chair
	Set Date/Location for 2020 Meeting
	New Business
11:00	ADJOURN