



County of Placer  
**Agricultural Commission**  
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Rich Ferreira – Citrus	Denise Moore - Nursery
Patricia Beard - Livestock	Earl Stephens – Ag Processing
Larry Jordan - Timber	Jim Brenner – Fruit & Nut Farm
Wayne Vineyard – Rice	Elisa Noble – Small Farms
Patrick Bollinger – Foothill Farms	

## REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

**7:00 pm Monday, July 13, 2020**

Placer County Planning Commission Hearing Room  
3091 County Center Drive, Auburn, CA  
County Contact: Joshua Huntsinger

### PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCEDURES:

*In order to protect the public health and safety of our Placer County citizens, Public Comment for the Agricultural Commission Meeting will be offered through a remote call-in line or virtually through a Zoom meeting webinar: **Zoom Link:** <https://placer-ca-gov.zoom.us/j/98829545870> - Webinar ID: 988 2954 5870 or via telephone at 877 853 5247 (Toll Free) or 888 788 0099 (Toll Free).*

*If you wish to attend the meeting in person, R.S.V.P. is required. R.S.V.P. to: [placera@placer.ca.gov](mailto:placera@placer.ca.gov). Seating limited to 30 attendees on a first-come, first-served basis. **Face Masks and Social Distancing will be required.***

- I. **CALL TO ORDER and Roll Call**
- II. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA for July 13, 2020 AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES from February 10, 2020**
- III. **PUBLIC COMMENT**  
Individuals may address the Commission on items under the jurisdiction of the Agricultural Commission not included on this agenda for no longer than five (5) minutes. No action can be taken on items addressed under Public Comment.
- IV. **ACTION ITEMS: None**
- V. **INFORMATION ITEMS:**
  - A. **Water Supply Updates:**
    1. Nevada Irrigation District
    2. Placer County Water Agency
  - B. **Mid-Year Agricultural Marketing Program Update:** Carol Arnold, Executive Director, PlacerGROWN
  - C. **Beekeeping Ordinance Zoning Update and Beekeeping Ordinance Non-Zoning Update:** Josh Huntsinger, Agricultural Commissioner, will present a draft ordinance for consideration in input. Key elements of the proposal include an allowance for up to four beehives in Residential Single-Family zoning, limitations on the maximum number of hives in one location, and separation buffer zones between commercial bee yards.
  - D. **County Grading Ordinance Update:** Josh Huntsinger, Agricultural Commissioner, will present proposed updates to section 15.48.070(E) (agricultural grading exemptions) which are intended to better define and describe what activities are exempted.
- VI. **REPORTS**
  - A. **UCCE Farm Advisor Report:** Dan Macon
- VII. **AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER'S REPORTS**
- VIII. **ADJOURNMENT**

The Agricultural Commission is composed of appointed community members whose purpose is to advise the Board of Supervisors on all matters pertaining to agriculture including recommendations regarding California Land Conservation Act/Williamson Act applications. Residents are encouraged to attend and provide input. Placer County is committed to ensuring that persons with disabilities are provided the resources to participate fully in public meetings. If you require disability-related modifications or accommodations, including auxiliary aids or services, to attend or participate in this meeting, please contact the Placer County Agriculture Department at (530) 889-7372.

