



Date: Wednesday, May 08, 2024
Time: 12:30 PM
Location: Hybrid - In-Person Extension Office Room #165, 1525 Blue Spruce Drive, Fort Collins Link:

AGRICULTURAL ADVISORY BOARD AGENDA

Call to Order

Public Registration:

Hybrid - In-Person: Hearing Room 1st Floor, 200 West Oak Street, Fort Collins or Virtual, Zoom Link:
https://larimer-org.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_RHllh0CrSf22IBZrLQw1cQ

Contact: Please contact Andy at (970) 498-6002 or weaklaand@co.larimer.co.us if you are unable to attend the meeting.

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Amendments to the Agenda

Approval of the Minutes

January 10, 2024 and March 13, 2024

1. Minutes for March 13th
2. Minutes for January 10th

Board Member Introductions

1. Staff Updates

Transition to Extension

Larimer County Ag Census - brief overview

Commissioner Kefalas Updates

Discussion Items and Action Items

Voluntary Ag District Research (Lesli Ellis and others)

See attachment for research presentation topics

LESA (Amber Graves)

Use in natural resources planning (Daylan Figgs)

Use in agriculture (Zach Thode)

NoCo Community Action Plan – key findings (Carli Donaghue/Audrey Welsh)

Legislative Update (Brad Justice)

Status of 5 key bills:

HB-1178 (Local Government Authority to Regulate Pesticides), <https://leg.colorado.gov/bills/hb24-1178>

SB-055 (Agriculture & Rural Behavioral Health Care), <https://leg.colorado.gov/bills/sb24-055>

SB-057 (Agricultural Workforce & Suicide Prevention), <https://leg.colorado.gov/bills/sb24-057>

SB-126 (Conservation Easement Income Tax Credit), <https://leg.colorado.gov/bills/sb24-126>

1. AAB RFSB
2. Ag Census Data
3. DNR Research
4. LC 2022 Stats
5. VAD Research Callen
6. VAD Research Table

Future Communication Items

Our Lands Our Future survey preview (Daylan Figgs)

Ag producer survey (Jess Callen)

Larimer County Ag Census (Jess Callen)

Bylaws update (Cary Weiner)

Adjourn

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