



CALIFORNIA PISTACHIO RESEARCH BOARD

MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

June 2, 2026 - Beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Meeting Location:

WTNA – formerly WAPA (Western Agricultural Processors Association)

1785 N. Fine Avenue

Fresno, CA 93727

Conference Call Attendance: 559-374-2363 / Code: 862343

Members &

Alternates

Tom Coleman.
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(2nd Alternate)
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(3rd Alternate)
Peter Allbright
(4th Alternate)

Advisory Committee

Bob Beede
Carl Fanucchi
Brad Higbee
Rod Stiefvater

A meeting of the California Pistachio Research Board has been called for the date, time and place referenced above.

The Agenda for the meeting is as follows:

1. Call to Order – Welcome and Introductions
2. Roll Call & Establish Quorum
3. Approval of February 9, 2026 Minutes
4. Public Comments on Agenda Items
5. CDFA Report
6. Board Membership – Seat New Board / Positions
7. CPA Audit finding 2024-2025 – Cuttone & Mastro
8. Manager's Report
9. Proposals – Off Cycle
10. MOU / Management Services Agreement – CPRB and ACP
11. 2026-2027 Assessment Rate
12. 2026-2027 Budget
13. CPA Auditor Approval for the 2026-2027 Fiscal Year
14. Other Business
15. Public Comment – two minutes per person will be allowed
16. Topics for Future Consideration
17. Scheduling of Future Meetings (2/2-2/3/2027) (2/8/2027)
18. Adjourn Board Meeting

** Note: Each of the Agenda Items above will include discussion and possible action by the Board. All meetings of the California Pistachio Research Board are open to the public and subject to the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act. All interested parties are invited and encouraged to attend the meeting. Time will be allowed for members of the public to make comments on each Agenda item. This time will be limited to two minutes per person for each Agenda item.*

Persons with disabilities needing special accommodation should contact Cindy Dean, Office Manager, California Pistachio Research Board at (559) 255-6480 at least five days prior to the meeting.

This Meeting Notice and Agenda is available on the California Department of Food and Agriculture's Website at www.cdfa.ca.gov/mkt/mkt/meeting.html. For further information regarding the Agenda for this meeting, please contact Stephen Vasquez, Executive Director, California Pistachio Research Board at (559)255-6480.