

Instructions to Register for the National Poultry Improvement Plan's General Conference Committee Virtual Meeting

NPIP GCC Meeting
September 22, 2021
12:00 PM – 5:00 PM Eastern Daylight Time
Zoom Webinar

Welcome to the NPIP Virtual GCC Meeting

The General Conference Committee (the Committee) of the National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) is the Secretary's Advisory Committee on poultry health. The Committee serves as a forum for the study of problems relating to poultry health and, as necessary, makes specific recommendations to the Secretary concerning ways the U.S. Department of Agriculture may assist the industry in addressing these problems. The Committee has scheduled a virtual public meeting to be held on September 22, 2021, at 12:00 pm Eastern Daylight Time using Zoom, a web conferencing service. The meeting agenda will be posted the week of September 20, 2021.

Please read these instructions carefully! You must register for the event in order to attend.

To Join as an Observer:

Observers can watch and listen to the open session, but they cannot speak. However, observers will be able to utilize the Question and Answer (Q&A) box for asking committee members, speakers, and presenters questions during the meeting. All observers must register for the meeting. It is highly recommended that you register in advance of September 22, 2021. To register as an observer, click the link provided below. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

To Join as a Full Participant:

Full participants must be pre-approved in order to register for the meeting. Full participants will have ability to provide oral comments in the open session for no more than five (5) minutes per participant, *provided time allows*. Due to time constraints, it may not be possible to accommodate all who wish to speak. Full participants will also be able to utilize the Question

and Answer (Q&A) box just like observers. If you wish to become a full participant in the open session, with ability to speak and communicate with the committee, you must request to be scheduled no later than September 15, 2021, by sending your name, affiliation and topic summary via email to NPIP Program Analyst, Penny Kesler, Penny.E.Kesler@usda.gov with a copy to NPIP Senior Coordinator Elena.Behnke@usda.gov. You will receive further communication from the NPIP national office, and after approval, you may then register as a full participant by clicking on the link below. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

You are invited to a Zoom webinar. *(Please ensure you have thoroughly read the instruction set above prior to registering.)*

When: Sep 22, 2021 12:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Topic: National Poultry Improvement Plan (NPIP) General Conference Committee (GCC) Meeting.

Register in advance for this webinar:

https://www.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_LW1juMxLSR-1d8IE-KgAKA

Or an H.323/SIP room system:

H.323: 161.199.138.10 (US West) or 161.199.136.10 (US East)

Meeting ID: 160 389 6791

SIP: 1603896791@sip.zoomgov.com

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. If you have any questions, please direct them to NPIP Senior Coordinator, Elena Behnke Elena.Behnke@usda.gov.