

National Poultry Improvement Plan
Technical Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda
Dallas/Addison Marriott Quorum by the Galleria, Dallas, TX
Tuesday, June 7, 2022

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Room Location: Salons E-F

- 8:00 a.m. Welcome to Texas
☆ *Mr. JC Essler, Vice-President, Texas Poultry Federation*
- 8:10 a.m. Assays for Consideration
A. Interim-Approved Tests 2019-2021
1. Clear Safety Salmonella, NGS Based Test
☆ *Dr. Ramin Khaksar, Clear Labs, Inc.*
- 8:25 a.m. **2. GENE-UP Salmonella spp. Assay, bioMerieux**
☆ *Dr. Vikrant Dutta, bioMerieux*
- 8:40 a.m. **3. VIDAS Salmonella spp. Phage Technology Assay**
☆ *Dr. Vikrant Dutta, bioMerieux*
- 8:55 a.m. **4. BioChek Salmonella qPCR Reagents**
☆ *Dr. Jantina De Vylder, BioChek, USA*
- 9:10 a.m. B. New Assays
1. Salmonella spp. qPCR
☆ *Ms. Tara Moore, Cobb-Vantress, Inc.*
- 9:35 a.m. Technical Committee Recommendations
☆ *Salmonella Subcommittee – Dr. Doug Waltman, Chair*
☆ *Mycoplasma Subcommittee – Dr. Naola Ferguson-Noel, Chair*
☆ *Avian Influenza Subcommittee – Dr. Erica Spackman, Chair*
- 10:05 a.m. **MORNING BREAK**
- 10:20 a.m. Successes of the Salmonella and SE Programs in the NPIP: A 30-Year Review
☆ *Mr. Joe Schultz, Cobb-Vantress, Inc.*
- 10:50 a.m. Connecting the Salmonella Dots with Deep Serotyping
☆ *Dr. Nikki Shariat, UGA PDRC*
- 11:20 a.m. *New Technology for Farm and Hatchery Inspections*
☆ *Dr. Kate Hayes, Aviagen*
- 11:40 a.m. Salmonella Outbreaks in Humans Attributed to Exposure to Live Poultry Trends 2018-2022
☆ *Dr. Megin Nichols/Dr. Joshua Brandenburg, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention*
- 12:00 p.m. **ADJOURN**