Agricultural Best Management Practices (AgBMP) Committee Meeting  
Tuesday, June 22, 2021, 2:00 p.m.  
Zoom (Virtual)  
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**COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:**  
Ethan Orr, University of Arizona  
(delegate for Jeff Silvertooth)  
Rob Boyle, Alfalfa Producer  
Michael Sundblom, Pinal County Air Quality  
Dr. Jim Walworth, Soil Scientist, University of Arizona  
Susan Chase, AZ Department of Agriculture  
Glenn Hickman, Poultry  
Harold Payne, Citrus Producer  
Paco Ollerton, Grain Producer  
Kevin Rogers, Cotton Producer  
Keisha Tatem, USDA NRCS  
Paul Heiden, Beef Cattle  
AnnaMarie Knorr, Vegetable Producer  
Jim Boyle Jr., Dairy

**OTHER ATTENDEES:**  
Rusty VanLeuven, AZ Department of Agriculture  
Danielle Hazeltine, Clark Hill  
Liz Foster, MC Farm Bureau  
Kevin Hanger, Guymon Law  
Robert Medler, Western Growers Association  
Bas Aja, AZ Cattlemen’s Association  
Johanna Kuspert, MCAQD  
Kimberly Butler, MCAQD  
Chelsea McGuire, AZ Farm Bureau  
Madeline Greenbaum, ADEQ  
LAnderson  
Hao Zhou, ADEQ  
Amanda McGennis, AZ Chapter Associated General Contractors of America  
Jeremy Gerlach, Veridus LLC  
Tawnya Cook, ADEQ  
Lindy Bauer, MAG  
Matt Poppen, MAG  
Steve Burr, ADEQ  
Hether Krause, ADEQ  
Tom Carlson, Trinity Consultants  
Megan Sheldon, City of Glendale  
Scott Woodall, USDA NRCS  
Luke Messer, ADEQ  
Brittany Bingold, Pivotal Policy Consulting  
Scott Dibiase, Pinal County Air Quality  
Dave B  
Joe Martini, ADEQ  
Phil Bashaw, AZ Farm Bureau  
Jeff Sandquist, Veridus LLC  
Ana Kennedy Otto, AZ Farm Bureau

**WELCOME:**  
At 2:00 p.m., Paco Ollerton called the meeting to order. Chairman Ollerton welcomed everyone and Tawnya Cook called roll and a quorum was established.

**REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MARCH 29, 2021 MEETING MINUTES:**  
One correction was made to the spelling of a name in the meeting minutes from March 29, 2021.
Mr. Kevin Rogers moved to approve the March 29, 2021 meeting minutes, seconded by Mr. Glenn Hickman. The Committee unanimously approved the minutes.

SWINE REPRESENTATIVE VACANCY:
Ms. Hether Krause gave an update on the Swine Representative Vacancy. There was an applicant named Mr. Alfredo Soto-Mayor and he is still interested in the position. The Director of Boards & Commissions is moving forward with his application and Alfredo should be appointed by the July meeting.

NEW AGRICULTURAL BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (AgBMP)/POSSIBLE CHANGES TO AgBMP COMMITTEE RULES:
Mr. Steve Burr gave a presentation combining agenda items 4 and 5 and stated that the goal of the draft AgBMP committee rules was to primarily reflect the determination of Maricopa Association of Governments’ contractor, Trinity Consultant, on best available control measures (BACM) and most stringent measures (MSM) for West Pinal County. Mr. Burr also stated that he attempted to revise the rules relating to completing the AgBMP form and submitting it to the Department to reflect some of the comments that EPA has made regarding BACM. Mr. Burr explained that the proposed rule changes are notated in red and would apply only to West Pinal County. The footnotes at the end of each proposed rule change references which California rule (Imperial County or San Joaquin) that Trinity Consultants has determined to represent BACM or MSM. There was discussion surrounding what the meaning of “N/A” or “$0” in regards to cost meant. Mr. Burr explained the differences, and Mr. Tom Carlson from Trinity Consultants, further explained how the estimates were established. There was discussion surrounding the clarification of terms used, specifically noncropland and unpaved vehicle or equipment traffic area.

COST ESTIMATES OF CANDIDATE AGRICULTURAL MEASURES:
Mr. Matt Poppen gave a presentation on cost estimates of candidate agricultural measures. Mr. Poppen gave a brief background on the Analyses of Best Available Control Measures and Most Stringent Measures for the West Pinal County Serious PM-10 report done by Trinity Consultants. Mr. Poppen’s presentation focused on the measures and the key analysis and cost for each.

USDA COST SHARE PROGRAMS:
Chairman Ollerton asked about the options of any USDA cost share programs, to see what is available, especially for the West Pinal County PM-10 Nonattainment Area. Ms. Keisha Tatem discussed the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service Environmental Quality Incentives Program Air Quality Initiative and stated that she could send further information out to the Committee.

REVIEW AND CONSIDERATION OF FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:
Chairman Ollerton suggested that the Committee have further discussion on the AgBMPs and the associated rule amendments.
ADJOURNMENT:
Mr. Rogers moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mr. Jim Boyle. The meeting adjourned at 4:38 p.m.