TEXAS ANIMAL HEALTH COMMISSION

408TH COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA January 5, 2021 9:00 A.M.

Note: This meeting will be held remotely via live audio and teleconferencing.

1.	Welcome and Call to Order	Chairman Coleman Locke
2.	Roll Call for Commission Members	Chairman
3.	Roll Call for Public Participants Providing Public Comment	Chairman
4.	Approval of the Minutes of the 407 th Meeting, September 22, 2020 (Action Item)	Chairman
5.	Consideration of and Possible Action on Agency Contracts, Purchases, and Leases (<mark>Action Item</mark>)	Ms. Myra Sines
6.	Consideration of and Possible Action on Orders Related to Commission (Action Item) Rule Violations (A) 2020-036551 McDaniel, Leslie (B) 2020-036552 Ard, Claude (C) 2020-036556 Slaughter, Giuliana	Ms. Mary Luedeker
7.	Report of the Executive Director (A) Sunset Update (B) Legislative Session (C) Waiver Requests (Action Item)	Dr. Andy Schwartz
8.	Public Comment	Chairman
9.	Set Date for the 409 th Meeting	Chairman
10.	Adjournment	Chairman

NOTICE AND INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING TELECONFERENCE MEETING

Due to Governor Greg Abbott's March 13, 2020 proclamation of a state of disaster affecting all counties in Texas due to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) and the Governor's March 16, 2020 suspension of certain provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Act, the January 5, 2021 meeting of the Texas Animal Health Commission will be held by teleconference.

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For public participants, after the meeting convenes the Chairperson will call roll for commission members and then for members of the public electing to provide public comment. Public testimony will be taken on items labeled "action item" or during the public comment agenda item. Please identify yourself by name and, if applicable, association, and state the agenda item(s) for which you would like to provide public comment.

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You may also email <u>comments@tahc.texas.gov</u> in advance of the meeting if you would like to provide public comment. When the Commission reaches the public comment item, the Chairperson will recognize you by name and give you an opportunity to speak. All public comments will be limited to three minutes.

NOTICE REGARDING EXECUTIVE SESSION

In addition to the items for which the executive session is scheduled, the Commission may meet in executive (closed) session on any item listed in this agenda if authorized by the Texas Open Meeting Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551.

NOTICE REGARDING ORDER OF AGENDA ITEMS

Items may be taken up in an order other than that listed on the agenda.

NOTICE REGARDING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT AGENDA ITEMS

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