FDA Public Meeting:
Standards for the Growing, Harvesting, Packing and Holding of Produce for Human Consumption: Draft Guidance for Industry

Thursday, November 29, 2018; 8:30 am – 5:00 pm

Doubletree Suites by Hilton/Anaheim Resort Convention Center
2085 S. Harbor Blvd.
Anaheim, CA  92802

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AGENDA

8:00AM  Registration

8:30AM  Greeting & Housekeeping Items
Kari Barrett, Advisor for Strategic Communications and Public Engagement, Office of Foods and Veterinary Medicine, FDA

8:35AM  Welcome
Natalie Krout-Greenberg, Director, Inspection Services Division, California Department of Food and Agriculture

8:45AM  Opening Remarks
Jim Gorny, Senior Science Advisor for Produce Safety, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, FDA

9:00AM  Overview of Produce Compliance and Implementation Guidance
Samir Assar, Director, Division of Produce Safety, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, FDA
Karen Killinger, Consumer Safety Officer, Division of Produce Safety, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, FDA

9:30AM  General Provisions (Chapter 1) and Records (Chapter 8)
Mary Tijerina, Consumer Safety Officer, Division of Produce Safety, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, FDA

10:00AM  BREAK

10:15AM  Personnel Qualifications and Training (Chapter 2); Health and Hygiene (Chapter 3)
Amber Nair, Consumer Safety Officer, Division of Produce Safety, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, FDA
10:45AM **Panel Discussion**
**Moderator:** Jim Gorny, Senior Science Advisor for Produce Safety, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, FDA  
**Panelists:** Linda Harris, Specialist in Cooperative Extension in Microbial Food Safety, University of California at Davis  
Walter Ram, Vice President of Food Safety, The Giumarra Companies  
Steve Patton, Chief, Inspection and Compliance Branch, California Department of Food and Agriculture  
Mark Chen and Kurt Nolte, Regional FDA Produce Safety Network (PSN) Representatives

11:30AM **Questions**  
**Moderator:** Kari Barrett, Advisor for Strategic Communications and Public Engagement, Office of Foods and Veterinary Medicine, FDA

12:15PM **LUNCH**

1:30PM **Biological Soil Amendments of Animal Origin and Human Waste (Chapter 4); Domesticated and Wild Animals (Chapter 5)**  
Michelle Smith, Senior Policy Analyst, Division of Produce Safety, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, FDA

2:00PM **Growing, Harvesting, Packing and Holding Activities (Chapter 6); Equipment, Tools, Buildings, and Sanitation (Chapter 7)**  
Amber Nair, Consumer Safety Officer, Division of Produce Safety, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, FDA

2:30PM **Questions**  
**Moderator:** Kari Barrett, Advisor for Strategic Communications and Public Engagement, Office of Foods and Veterinary Medicine, FDA

3:15PM **BREAK**

3:30 **Open Public Comments**  
**Moderator:** Kari Barrett, Advisor for Strategic Communications and Public Engagement, Office of Foods and Veterinary Medicine, FDA

4:30PM **Closing Comments**  
Samir Assar, Director, Division of Produce Safety, Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, FDA

5:00PM **ADJOURN**