

# BRS STAKEHOLDER MEETING

RIVERDALE, MD

DECEMBER 5, 2012

## AGENDA

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8:30 am – 9:00 am	Registration	
9:00 am – 9:10 am	Welcome	Dick George BRS Communications Branch Chief
9:10 am – 9:30 am	APHIS Update	Kevin Shea Acting Administrator
9:30am – 10:00 am	Update on Advisory Committee on Biotechnology and 21st Century Agriculture (AC21)	Michael Schechtman AC21 Executive Secretary and Designated Federal Official
10:00am – 10:30 am	BRS Program Update	Mike Gregoire BRS Deputy Administrator
10:30 am – 10:45 am	Foreign Agricultural Service (FAS) & BRS	Ed Porter Director, New Technologies and Production Methods Division
10:45 am – 11:00 am	Break	
11:00 am – 11:30 am	Petition Process Improvement Project Update	John Turner Director, Environmental Risk Analysis Programs (ERAP)
11:30 am – 12:00pm	National Environmental Policy Pilot (NEPA) Project Update	Rebecca Stankiewicz Gabel BRS NEPA Branch Senior Environmental Protection Specialist
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch and eAuthentication Opportunity	

1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	ePermits FAQs	Lee Handley Senior Biotechnologist
		Steve Bennett Permits and Program Services Branch Chief
		Mike Firko BRS Associate Deputy Administrator
1:30 pm – 2:00pm	Regulatory Operations Program FY 2012 Successes Through Stakeholder Teamwork	Doug Grant Western Compliance Assurance Branch Chief
		Samantha Simon Compliance Assistance Branch Chief
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Navigating Permits & Notifications, Design Protocols	Susan Koehler BRS ERAP Plants Branch Chief
3:00 pm – 3:15 pm	Break	
3:15 pm – 3:30 pm	Interaction with BRS Staff	