



# U.S. Animal Agriculture's Future Role in World Food Production — Obstacles & Opportunities

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## Animal Care Council

Wednesday, April 5, 2017

8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

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**\*\*Columbus will be on Eastern Time. All times listed are ET. \*\***

- 8:00 a.m. – 8:05 a.m. **Welcome & Introductions**  
*Mr. Ernie Birchmeier – Michigan Farm Bureau, Co-Chair*  
*Ms. Chelsea Good, J.D. – Livestock Marketing Association, Co-Chair*
- 8:05 a.m. – 8:50 a.m. **USDA International Standardization Organization – 34700 Animal Welfare Assessment**  
*Craig Morris, PhD –Deputy Administrator, USDA*
- 9:10 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. **Power of the Animal Care Review Panels**  
*Moderator: Ms. Allyson Perry – The Center for Food Integrity*  
*John Deen, DVM, PhD – University of Minnesota*  
*Janice Swanson, PhD, Chair, Dept. of Animal Science – Michigan State University*
- 10:00 a.m. – 10:10 a.m. **Break**
- 10:10 a.m. – 10:35 a.m. **Regional Perspective & Update on Livestock Marketing Channels**  
*Mr. Mike Bumgarner, President & CEO, United Producers*
- 10:35 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **National Perspective & Update on Livestock Marketing Channels**  
*Ms. Kristen Parman – V.P. Membership Services, Livestock Marketing Assoc.*
- 11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. **Bovine Castration/Dehorning Update**  
*Eric Gordon, DVM, Diplomate ACVPM –The Ohio State University*
- 11:30 a.m. –12:00 p.m. **Taildocking Update**  
*Ms. Emily Meredith – Chief of Staff, National Milk Producers Federation*
- 12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. **Business Meeting**