



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

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## Animal Identification & Information Systems Council

**Wednesday, April 5, 2017**

**8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**

As of March 14, 2017

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

- 8:00 a.m. – 8:05 a.m. **Welcome & Introductions**  
*Robert Fourdraine, PhD – Vice President of Research and Development at  
Cooperative Resources International (CRI), Co-Chair*  
*Boyd Parr, DVM – South Carolina State Veterinarian and Director at Clemson  
University Livestock Poultry Health, Co-Chair*
- 8:05 a.m. — 8:45 a.m. **APHIS VS Vision/Assessment/Priority for ADT/  
USDA Update on Stats on ADT**  
*Mr. Neil Hammerschmidt – Program Manager, Animal Disease Traceability*  
*Dr. Sunny Geiser-Novotny – Cattle Health Staff / Animal Disease Traceability  
Veterinarian*
- 8:45 a.m. — 9:15 a.m. **Traceability & Trade – Implications/Opportunities**  
*Melissa Lalonde, National and International Development,  
Agri-Tracibility International*
- 9:15a.m. — 9:35 a.m. **NIAA & USAHA Equine Forum Update**  
*Dr. Carl Heckendorf – Livestock Disease and Animal health Veterinarian,  
Colorado Department of Agriculture*

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- 9:35 a.m. — 9:55 a.m.      **Interstatelivestock.com website Progress & Update**  
*Mr. Michael McGrath – Director, TraceFirst*
- 9:55 a.m. — 10:10 a.m.      **Break**
- 10:10 a.m. — 11:00 a.m.      **Panel Discussion - Disease Traceability Update – What have we learned?  
Challenges? Opportunities? Next Steps?**  
*Cattle – Mr. John Saunders, CEO & Chairman –Where Food Comes From, Inc.*  
*Swine – Mr. Bryan Black, Past President – National Pork Producers*  
*Small Ruminant- Dr. Jim Logan, State Veterinarian,  
Wyoming Livestock Board*  
*Livestock Market - Mr. Mike Bumgarner, President & CEO, United Producers*  
*State Veterinarian/ID Coordinator –Charles Hatcher, DVM, State Veterinarian,  
Tennessee Department of Agriculture*
- 11:00 a.m. – 11:30 p.m.      **Animal Identification & Information Systems Council Business Meeting**

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