

# County of San Luis Obispo Agricultural Liaison Advisory Board

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Agricultural Liaison  
Advisory Board (ALAB)

## Positions/Members/Terms

CHAIR: Jean-Pierre Wolff  
VICE CHAIR: Eric Michielssen

District One: Mecham Appt.  
Melanie Blankenship (1/17)

District Two: Gibson Appt.  
Lisen Bonnier (1/19)

District Three: Hill Appt.  
Tom Ikeda (1/17)

District Four: Compton Appt.  
Greg France (1/19)

District Five: Arnold Appt.  
Jerry Diefenderfer (1/17)

Ag. Finance Rep.  
Mark Pearce (8/18)

Cattlemen Rep.  
Dick Nock

Coastal San Luis RCD Rep.  
Jean-Pierre Wolff (8/18)

Direct Marketing/Organic Rep.  
Eric Michielssen (4/16)

Environmental Rep.  
Richard Hawley (1/19)

Farm Bureau Rep.  
R. Don Warden

Nursery Rep.  
David Pruitt (4/16)

Upper Salinas-Las Tablas RCD Rep.  
Charles Pritchard (1/18)

Vegetable Rep.  
Claire Wineman (4/16)

Wine Grape Rep.  
Neil Roberts (4/16)

County Agricultural Commissioner  
Marty Settevendemie  
*Ex-Officio*

U.C. Coop. Extension, County Director  
Mary Bianchi  
*Ex-Officio*

## MEETING AGENDA

Monday, July 6, 2015  
6:00pm

**LOCATION:**  
**SLO County Farm Bureau**  
**4875 Morabito Place**  
**San Luis Obispo**

1. 6:00pm Call to order, introductions, quorum determination  
Chair Wolff
2. 6:05pm Open comment: (for items not on the agenda)  
Chair Wolff
3. 6:15pm Announcements from ALAB members & County Ag Department staff: "Reports from the Trenches".
  - \*Update on status of Asian Citrus Psyllid in SLO County
  - \*Update on status of Light Brown Apple Moth in SLO County
  - \*Update on the addition of a strawberry grower representative to ALAB
4. 6:25pm Review/approval of June 2015 meeting minutes  
Chair Wolff
5. 6:30pm Review/possible action:  
**Discussion:** ALAB input on carbon sequestration on agricultural lands  
James Caruso – SLO County Department of Planning & Building
6. 7:00pm Review/possible action:  
**Discussion:** Countywide Water Conservation Program and DSEIR  
Xzandrea Fowler from SLO County Department of Planning & Building  
will be present for questions and clarifications
7. 7:45 pm Future agenda items/meeting dates, adjournment:  
Chair Wolff

## ALL TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE

MEMBERS: Please contact Marc Lea at the County Dept. of Agriculture at 805.781.5907 if you can NOT attend.

### *Scope of the Agricultural Liaison Advisory Board (ALAB):*

*The ALAB is advisory in nature and is recognized as a forum for discussion of matters that relate to local agriculture and land use or as directed by the County Board of Supervisors. ALAB members serve at the pleasure of the Board of Supervisors. Meetings are open to the public. Meeting agendas, minutes and supplemental handouts for agenda items can be accessed at [www.slocounty.ca.gov/agcomm](http://www.slocounty.ca.gov/agcomm) or at the County Department of Agriculture – 2156 Serra Way, Suite A, San Luis Obispo during County business hours*