

THE LOUISIANA SOYBEAN & GRAIN RESEARCH & PROMOTION BOARD

January 3, 2018

TO: Louisiana Soybean and Grain Research and Promotion Board

FROM: Charles Cannatella, Chairman

RE: Meeting Notice

The Louisiana Soybean and Grain Research and Promotion Board funding meeting has been scheduled to meet as follows:

FUNDING MEETING

Tuesday, January 16th, 2018 8:00 a.m. – 12 p.m. Dewitt Livestock Facility Center LSUA-Dean Lee Research & Extension Center 100 Gregg Marshall Drive Alexandria, LA 71302

The Louisiana Soybean Association (LSA) Annual Meeting is also being conducted at the DeWitt Livestock Facility Center. That meeting is scheduled to begin after lunch.

The main purpose of our meeting will be to review and approve proposed research projects for 2018. Please review all the proposed projects; we will need to discuss each project and the areas of research the Board is most interested in funding. Please remember to bring your project proposal book to the meeting.

Another item of business will be to consider nominations to the United Soybean Board (USB). The LSGRPB nominates individuals to the US Secretary of Agriculture, USDA, for appointment to serve as a Board member on the USB. We will need to nominate two individuals and rank our nominations for the one USB position that is up for reappointment at this time. This is a three year appointment with service beginning in December 2018. Ray Schexnayder currently serves in this position and is not eligible for another term. If more than two individuals are interested, the Board will have to determine the top two individuals to nominate.

If you have any questions or suggestions, contact me at (337) 207-4730 or Kyle McCann, 1-888-847-7304, ext. 6209.

RS:KM/jl

cc: Dr. Roger Leonard, LSU AgCenter

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