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TAKE ACTION: TELL DPR THE SPM ROADMAP IS NOT REFLECTIVE OF CALIFORNIA PCAs

By Ruthann Anderson, President CAPCA

This week CAPCA is sending an alert to all members to make their voices heard within the Department of Pesticide Regulation (DPR). Why are we sending it out now? Because the final draft of **Accelerating Sustainable Pest Management (SPM): A Roadmap For California** clearly shows that the group compiled an antiquated viewpoint of Pest Control Advisors. You can participate through the link below and let DPR know you should have been represented.

While CAPCA has provided feedback to SPM group members when asked, we were kept from having a seat at the table during workgroup conversation. We asked last summer, when public comments were open, for DPR to bring active PCAs into the conversation, particularly given the direction we saw of items that would ultimately impact your license.

This call to action is essential for a few reasons – it reminds DPR that you, as a stakeholder (license holder), are watching and engaged. It also tells them that even if you can't participate in every issue, you want CAPCA to represent your license. This model of seating non-PCAs to make decisions on the PCA license needs to be addressed now – we want to ensure that, moving forward, there is a diverse group of active PCAs in these discussions to ensure decisions are reflective of current fieldwork and values.

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March 22, 2023 | 3:00 - 4:00 PM
creynolds@ucanr.edu
1.0 Total DPR Hours (1.0 Other)

UC IPM - Insects in the Vineyard

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creynolds@ucanr.edu
1.0 Total DPR Hours (1.0 Other)

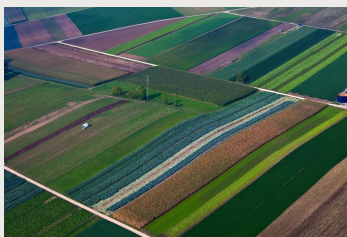
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