

MULTISPECIES FARMING TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE  
REGULAR MEETING  
APRIL 13, 2018

The Multispecies Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) meeting was called to order at 12:00 P.M. in the Agriculture Department Conference Room, 525 South Foothill Drive, Yreka, California.

**PRESENT:** Jacob Barr, Mark Klever, Gareth Plank, Craig Thompson, Brian Heffernan

**ABSENT:** Nikki Harris, Jim Smith, Carissa Koopmann-Rivers

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Plank moved to approved the minutes. Heffernan seconded.

**VOTED** upon and the motion carried unanimously.

**PRESENTATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC:** None

**PLAN OF ACTION**

There was a discussion about how we would define several terms, including “pasture based,” “CAFO,” “confinement,” and “grazing.” It was agreed that we desire to craft language that will be focused not on farming methods, but on results, i.e. not having a negative impact on the neighbors. All members plan to continue to research language used by other counties with the goal of completing the language we desire at our next meeting.

**MISCELLANEOUS:**

1. **FUTURE MEETINGS** - The next regular meeting of the Multispecies Farming TAC is scheduled for Friday, April 27, 2018 at 12:00 P.M.
2. **CORRESPONDENCE:** None
3. **STAFF AND COMMISSION COMMENTS**

The meeting was adjourned at 2:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Jacob Barr  
Vice Chair