

# Fall 2019 NOSB Voting Tally Sheet

**DECISIVE VOTES:** As specified in the Organic Foods Production Act, two-thirds of the votes cast at an NOSB meeting at which a quorum is present shall be decisive of any motion.

- **Proposals:** two-thirds of NOSB members must vote in favor of the motion for the proposal to pass. If there are substantive changes made to a subcommittee proposal based on public comment, the proposal must go back to the subcommittee and a revised proposal must be released for further public comment prior to the subsequent NOSB meeting.
- **Petitions to add or remove a material to/from the National List:** two-thirds of NOSB members must vote in favor of adding (or removing) the material in order for USDA to have the authority to add or remove the material to/from the National List
- **Sunset Reviews:** two-thirds of NOSB members must vote in favor of removing a material in order for USDA to have the authority to amend the National List.

SUBCOMMITTEE	AGENDA ITEM	SUBCOMMITTEE MOTION & VOTE	FULL BOARD VOTE	PASSES/FAILS
CROPS	<b>Fatty Alcohols</b> (Petition)	Motion to add fatty alcohols (C6, C8, C10, C12 Naturally Derived Fatty Alcohol) at §205.601 for sucker control on organic tobacco crops. Yes: 4 No: 2 Abstain: 1 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes:    No:	
CROPS	<b>Potassium hypochlorite</b> (Petition)	Motion to add potassium hypochlorite at §205.601(a)(2): Chlorine materials - For use in water for irrigation purposes, residual chlorine levels in the water in direct crop contact or as water from cleaning irrigation systems applied to soil must not exceed the maximum residual disinfectant limit under the Safe Drinking Water Act. Yes: 7 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes:    No:	
MATERIALS	<b>Excluded Methods: Induced mutagenesis and embryo transfer in livestock</b> (Proposal)	Motion to accept the proposal on excluded methods determinations. Yes: 5 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes:    No:	
MATERIALS	<b>Genetic Integrity Transparency of Seed Grown on Organic Land – Instructions to Certifiers</b> (Proposal)	Motion to accept the “Genetic Integrity Transparency of Seed Grown on Organic Land Instructions to Certifiers” Proposal. Yes: 5 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes:    No:	
MATERIALS	<b>Research Priorities</b> (Proposal)	Motion to adopt the proposal on 2019 NOSB Research Priorities. Yes: 5 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes:    No:	
POLICY DEVELOPMENT	<b>Updates to Policy and Procedures Manual</b> (Proposal)	Motion to accept the changes to the Policy & Procedures Manual (PPM). Yes: 5 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes:    No:	
LIVESTOCK	<b>Vaccines made with Excluded Methods</b>	Motion to change the USDA organic regulations at §205.105(e): (Addition to the current rule noted in bold) <i>(e)Excluded methods, except for vaccines: Provided, That, vaccines produced through excluded methods may be used when an equivalent vaccine not produced through excluded methods is not commercially available.</i> Yes: 5 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes:    No:	

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CROPS	Hydrogen peroxide (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.601(a). Yes: 0 No: 8 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Hydrogen peroxide (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.601(i). Yes: 0 No: 8 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Soaps, Ammonium (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.601(d). Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Oils, horticultural (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.601(e). Yes: 0 No: 8 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Oils, horticultural (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.601(i). Yes: 0 No: 8 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Pheromones (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.601(f). Yes: 0 No: 8 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Ferric phosphate (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.601(h). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 3 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Potassium bicarbonate (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.601(i). Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Magnesium sulfate (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.601(j). Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Hydrogen chloride (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.601(n). Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Ash from manure burning (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.602. Yes: 0 No: 8 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	Sodium fluoaluminate (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.602. Yes: 0 No: 8 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	Atropine (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(a). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	Hydrogen peroxide (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(a). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	Iodine (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(a). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	Iodine (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(b). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	Magnesium sulfate (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(a). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	Fenbendazole (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(a). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	

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LIVESTOCK	<b>Moxidectin</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(a). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	<b>Peracetic acid</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(a). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	<b>Xylazine</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(a). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	<b>Methionine</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(d). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	<b>Trace Minerals</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(d). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	<b>Vitamins</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.603(d). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Citric acid</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Lactic acid</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Calcium chloride</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Dairy cultures</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 5 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Enzymes</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>L-Malic acid</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Magnesium sulfate</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Microorganisms</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Perlite</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Potassium iodide</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Yeast</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(a). Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Activated charcoal</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	

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HANDLING	<b>Alginic acid</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 5 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Ascorbic acid</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Calcium citrate</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Ferrous sulfate</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Hydrogen peroxide</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 4 Abstain: 0 Absent: 3 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Nutrient vitamins and minerals</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Peracetic acid</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 4 Abstain: 0 Absent: 3 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Potassium citrate</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 4 Abstain: 0 Absent: 3 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Potassium phosphate</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Sodium acid pyrophosphate</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 4 Abstain: 1 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Sodium citrate</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 4 Abstain: 3 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Tocopherols</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Celery powder</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.606. Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Fish oil</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.606. Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Gelatin</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.606. Yes: 0 No: 5 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Orange pulp, dried</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.606. Yes: 4 No: 1 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Pacific kombu seaweed</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.606. Yes: 1 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Wakame seaweed</b> (Sunset)	Motion to remove from §205.606. Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	