

# Spring 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.

- **Non-material related proposals:** two-thirds of NOSB members must vote in favor of the motion for the recommendation to pass
- **Petition 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
- 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.

SUBCOMMITTEE	AGENDA ITEM	MOTION AND SUBCOMMITTEE VOTE	FULL BOARD VOTE	PASSES/FAILS
MATERIALS	<b>Excluded methods determinations</b>	Motion to adopt the proposal. Yes: 5 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
LIVESTOCK	<b>Oxalic acid</b> (Petition)	Motion to add oxalic acid dihydrate to §205.603(b) with the annotation "For use as a pesticide solely for apiculture." Yes: 5 No: 1 Abstain: 0 Absent: 0 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Silver dihydrogen citrate</b> (Petition)	Motion to add silver dihydrogen citrate at §205.605(b). Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Pullulan</b> (Petition)	Motion to pullulan as petitioned, at §205.605(a). Yes: 6 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
HANDLING	<b>Collagen gel</b> (Petition)	Motion to add collagen gel as petitioned at §205.606. Yes: 6 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	<b>Allyl isothiocyanate</b> (Petition)	Motion to add allyl isothiocyanate (AITC) at §205.601. Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	<b>Ammonium citrate</b> (Petition)	Motion to add ammonium citrate as petitioned at §205.601. Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	<b>Ammonium glycinate</b> (Petition)	Motion to add ammonium glycinate as petitioned at §205.601. Yes: 0 No: 7 Abstain: 0 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	<b>Calcium acetate</b> (Petition)	Motion to add calcium acetate at §205.601. Yes: 0 No: 6 Abstain: 1 Absent: 1 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	
CROPS	<b>Strengthening Organic Seed Usage</b>	Motion to adopt the proposed changes to NOP Guidance 5029. Yes: 6 No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: 2 Recuse: 0	Yes: No:	