Agenda AASV Pork Safety Committee New Orleans 2016

Note: This is a tentative agenda. I am attending the NPB Pork Safety next week so after that there may be some additions. I would like your insight as a committee please try to get a friend to join our committee. I would like to have 12 members or more. A few folks out of school under 10 years would be great.

Review of On Farm Programs currently being used or launched in the US

Are there parts of the common industry audit that address components of on farm pork safety

Review GPP document for ideas

Especially rodent and insect control

Is the industry ready for audits, is our membership ready to prepare and perform audits

Update of any in plant pork safety evaluations or practices that evaluate on farm practices

I need some assistance on this

Follow on last year's discussion of physical defects especially needles and abscesses.

How do we increase information members

Vaccination processes and quality of vaccinations

Toxoplasmosis and Trichinosis and current programs

Does this concern change with an increase in outdoor production

Bacterial presences at harvest and contamination of meat.

Public and membership awareness of common diseases that do not effect pork safety for human consumption.

methods to get information to membership and what is the message

Other discussion or concerns of members

conference calls and possible late summer meeting

Respectfully submitted Dr Michelle Mitch Michalak