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AGENDA

Executive Committee Conference Call

Friday, August 8, 2014, 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. EDT

Conference Call Phone Number: **888-844-9904**

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NOTE: REE Leadership, Agency Administrators (ex-officio Board members), USDA REE staff, and other Board members are invited to attend this Executive Committee conference call.

Please confirm your attendance in advance by phone at 202-720-8408 or by email at Michele.esch@usda.gov.

I	Welcome and Roll Call of Committee Members and Other Attendees (5 min)	<i>Michele Esch</i>
II	Welcome from the Chair (5 min)	<i>Dr. Milo Shult</i>
III	Comments from the Under Secretary REE (10 min)	<i>Dr. Catherine Woteki</i>
IV	Specialty Crop Committee Membership (10 min)	<i>Dr. Charles Boyer</i> <i>Michele Esch</i>
V	Relevancy and Adequacy Committee Update (5 min)	<i>Dr. Carrie Castille</i>
VI	Balance of Crop Research – Private vs. Public Investment Working Group (10 min)	<i>Dr. Mark McLellan</i>
VII	Data Management Working Group (5 min)	<i>Dr. Steven Daley-Laursen</i>
VIII	Agricultural Experiment Station Working Group (5 min)	<i>Dr. Patsy Brannon</i>
IX	Executive Director's Report (5 min) <i>** Please read the attached report prior to the meeting. We will utilize the time for questions and/or comments.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Committee Updates• Calendar of Meetings and Events	<i>Michele Esch</i>
X	Other Business	
	Adjourn	

Next meeting will be held on September 5, 2014, at 11:00 am EDT.