

**COUNTY OF MARIN
INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT COMMISSION
MINUTES FOR MEETING OCTOBER 22, 2021**

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Thomas Perry
Rika Gopinath
Dan Monte
Scott Sherman
Susan Hopp
Nanette Londeree
Myrto Ashe
Steven Swain
Kevin Sadlier

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by Chair Sherman.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

No one from the public came forward

3. APPROVE MINUTES FOR MEETING HELD ON JUNE 25, 2021

M/S Perry/Londeree made a motion to approve minutes

AYE: ALL

NAY: NONE

ABSENT: SADLIER

4. IPM COORDINATOR'S 2021 THIRD QUARTER REPORT

Kat Knecht gave a presentation for the IPM Coordinator 2021 Third Quarter Report.

There was one Landscape application of Habitat at Hal Brown Park Marsh.

There were no other applications made to landscape sites.

There were several applications for Dominant at 4 facilities. Esscentria IC3 was used at 5 facilities.

Staff labor hours 3629, Volunteer hours 2512, Contractor Labor hours 2509.

There was one exemption granted in the 3rd quarter for Habitat to use at Hal Brown Park Marsh.

There were no violations of Marin County IPM Policy in the 3rd quarter of 2021.

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5. PROPOSED ALLOWED PRODUCTS LIST

There are no current changes to the Proposed allowed products list.

6. ANNUAL IPM AWARD

We have received 3 nomination forms to date.

Chair Sherman appointed Commissioners Monte, Hopps and, Sadlier on a subcommittee for the Annual IPM Award

IPM Achievement Award timeline:

- ✓ 10/22 Award Subcommittee is formed
- ✓ 10/31 IPM Award Nominations are due
- ✓ 01/29/2022 4 Quarter 2020 IPM Commission Meeting. Subcommittee presents nominees and recommendation to IPM Commission. IPM Commission approves 2021 award winner.
- ✓ 04/22/2022 1st Quarter IPM Commission Meeting. 2021 IPM Achievement award ceremony.

7. EXPLORE WAY TO DEVELOP IPM COMPETENCIES OF MARIN CITIZENS AND PROFESSIONALS

The commission discussed how to get information to the citizens of Marin and Professional, which included YardSmart and Master Gardener.

8. ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 2022

Subcommittee for the slate of offices included Commissioners Gopinath, Monte, Ashe and will return to the January meeting for recommendations to the Commission on a slate of officers.

9. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS

Commissioner Ashe spoke on gut bacteria.

Commissioner Londeree spoke on Urban & Community IPM.

Commissioner Gopinath spoke about online seminars.

Commissioner Monte spoke about the IPM Commission and his appreciation of it.

Commissioner Hopp spoke about several different topics.

Commissioner Swain stated that UCS Corporate Ext is in the process of hiring a Fire Landscape Coordinator

Hopps/Swain made a motion to adjourn meeting

AYES: ALL

NAYS: NONE

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