

California League of Food Producers

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CLFP MEMBER

COMMITTEE MEMBER ASSIGNMENT

COMMITTEE	Committee Member - Voting Member (Name, plant location, email)	Committee Alternate (Name, plant location, email)
Agricultural Production		
Energy Resources Subcommittees:		
Electric Rate		
Natural Gas		
Environmental Subcommittees:		
Air Quality		
Solid Waste		
Water Resources		
Food Safety, Nutrition & Labeling		
Labor & Employment		
Legislative Affairs		
Tomato Processing Research		
Transportation & Logistics		
Form Completed By:		_ Date:
Company Name:		

CLFP COMMITTEE STATEMENT OF PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES

Agricultural Production Committee: Responsible for serving the membership in all matters pertaining to agricultural chemicals and agricultural technology. To provide guidance to the staff regarding the annual compilation of pesticide schedules and forms. Hold discussions with State and Federal agencies concerning pesticide legislation, policy, and interpretations. When necessary, develops testimony for hearings on pesticide legislation pertinent to the industry. Maintains liaison, as needed, with pesticide manufacturers concerning product specifications, usage, etc.

Energy Resources Committee: Responsible for serving the membership in all matters pertaining to energy. It advises the staff of actions taking place in the areas of energy which affect the food processing industry and develops recommendations for presentations to the Board of Directors. It is the responsibility of the Committee to conduct a thorough review of research needs in its area of responsibility. Actively promotes energy efficiency and conservation programs.

Environmental Committee: Responsible for serving the membership in all matters pertaining to the environment. Advises the staff of actions taking place in the area of environmental issues affecting the food processing industry and develops recommendations for presentations to the Board of Directors. The Committee conducts a thorough review of research needs in its area of responsibility, which include Air Quality, Water Resources, and Solid Waste.

Legislative Affairs Committee: Responsible for developing recommendations on legislative policies for presentation to the CLFP Board of Directors. Consults with other CLFP committees as needed and advises the staff on specific legislative issues and, as appropriate, analyzes and recommends industry positions. Recommends proactive public policy initiatives as well as promotes appropriate political involvement and action on the part of CLFP members. Develops outreach initiatives that facilitate the education of elected officials and regulators about the food processing industry in California.

Labor & Employment Committee: Actively monitors and provides timely updates to the CLFP membership on state regulations relating to employee hours, wages and benefits, worker health and safety, and workers' compensation. Discusses benchmarking activities and how it relates to improving CLFP member companies' workforce. Also, responsible for providing resources, tools, educational opportunities and guidance to the CLFP membership on best practices for workers' safety.

Food Safety, Nutrition & Labeling Committee: Actively monitors, and when appropriate, works with the CLFP Legislative Affairs Committee to engage on federal and state legislation and regulations pertaining to food safety and labeling. Provides timely issue updates to the CLFP membership. Also, provides educational resources as well as tools and guidance to the CLFP membership on enhancing supply chain safety, complying with food labeling standards, and instituting best practices for handling product recalls.

Tomato Processing Research Committee: Emphasizes tomato processing science and technology toward improving process, quality and economic efficiency.

Transportation & Logistics Committee: This Committee is responsible for monitoring transportation and logistics issues affecting California food processors, and helping members resolve problems. Key topics of interest will include truck, rail, and ocean shipping rates, services, and regulations, and ocean port cargo logistics. Specific issues include truck weight and length regulations and hours of service regulations for drivers. The Committee will work closely with affiliate members in the transportation and logistics industry along with other trade associations.