### 2022 DPC Business Meeting

#### **Business Meeting Overview:**

- Welcome
- Call to Order
- Recognitions and Awards
- Nominations
- Approval of the Minutes of the 2022 Business Meeting
- Executive Vice President's Financial & Membership Report
- Guest Speaker



# HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS PRESENT

Steven Murphy

Frank Flores



## EUGENE T. WOLFF SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Steven Murphy

Rebecca Piston



### PAST PRESIDENTS of DPC

Rebecca Piston Michael Schutz Chris Hylkema



## RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBERS TO DPC

**Sustaining Members**-ADF Milking Systems, DFA Dairy Brands, Saputo, West Meadow Creamery, QCS Purchasing, Qualitru Sampling Systems

**Regulatory Members**-State Dept. of Agriculture-AZ, GA, NV, TN, TX, VA, OR, and USDA Grading Branch



## PRESENTATION OF GUIDELINE LEAD AUTHOR CERTIFICATES



## PRESENTATION OF GUIDELINE LEAD AUTHOR CERTIFICATES

- GL 53 Guideline for Vitamin A & D Fortification of Fluid Milk
- Lead Authors: Frank Flores & Rebecca Piston



RECOGNITION FOR RETIRING BOARD MEMBERS

Thank you for your service to the Executive Board of the Dairy Practices Council!

- State Regulatory-Michelle Steinmetz
- Education Producer-Rick Watters
- Task Force I-Joe Zulovich
- Task Force V-Neil Bendixen



#### HONORARY LIFE MEMBERSHIP AWARDS

HLM shall be granted to a present or past member of The Dairy Practices Council who has performed outstanding and extraordinary service to the Council.

A candidate may be recommended by any member of the Council by providing background and justification for the candidate's selection. The Executive Board reviews all recommendations and selects not more than 2 candidates in any one year for presentation to and approval by the Executive Board at the spring meeting of the Board. Approved candidates receive their award at the next Annual Meeting.

Honorary Life Members shall be exempt from dues and registration fees and shall enjoy all the rights and privileges accorded to regular members.

Presenters: Keith Hay & Wendy Landry

#### EUGENE WOLFF SERVICE AWARD

### Setting the Standard of Dedication and Commitment to DPC

Every organization has dedicated members, who volunteer their time, but there are often individuals that go above and beyond, sometimes working long hours behind the scenes, to help make things happen!

Eugene T. Wolff was one of those individuals. Gene, who joined the DPC in 1976, set the standard of dedication and commitment to the DPC. For many years, Gene had set up the audio/visual equipment and after retiring in 1996 he took charge of the Dairy Bar at DPCs annual meeting, offering cheeses, yogurts, ice creams and, of course, buttermilk. It is probably because of Gene that many DPC members had their first real taste of buttermilk!

Criteria. The individual who is nominated for this award must be a member-in-good standing of DPC. The nominee must have demonstrated a significant contribution to DPC through behind-the-scenes work and volunteerism, maintaining a standard of dedication and commitment to this organization.

Nominating Procedure. Nominations may be submitted to the DPC president by any memberin-good standing of the DPC prior to the Spring meeting. The DPC President presents the nominees to the Executive Board members, where a decision is made to present the award.

Presenter: Joe MacPhee

## NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

Call for Honorary Life Membership nominations from the floor to be presented at 2023 Annual Conference



## NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

Open State Regulatory- Sofia Stifflemire, Texas Department of State Health Services

Open Education Producer-University of Maine

Open Task Force I-Dan MacFarland, Penn State University

Open Task Force V-Alex Beard, Dairy Farmers of America

Task Force II-Carli Peskar, USDA FMMA Cleveland, eligible for renewal ACCEPTED

Task Force IV-Melinda Davis, HP Hood LLC, eligible for renewal ACCEPTED



# APPROVAL OF BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES



### DPC BUSINESS REPORT





- Strong Conference (163) and Workshop Attendance (71) and Sponsors (17) are helping us remain in a good financial position
- Guideline sales still represent less than 1% of revenue.
- DPC Perspectives E-Newsletter on Labelling
- Board is Focused on Creating a Sustainable Future

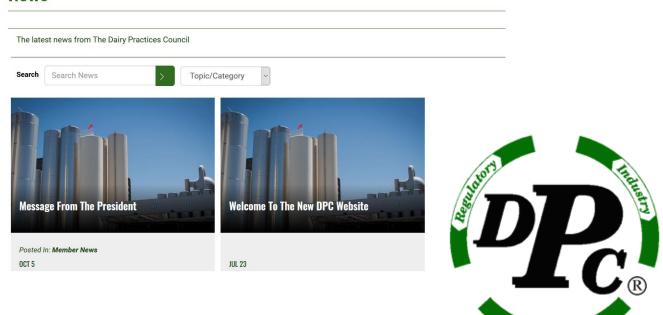








#### News



#### **Job Posts**



Education

# 2022 Challenges and Accomplishments

Rising costs due to inflation continue to impact EVERY service that we use to run DPC.

#### New Offerings:

- Multiple Pre-Conference Workshops
- Gold Sponsor Introductions
- Task Force Video on What to Expect
- Young Professionals Event

### SAVE the DATE: 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference Nashville, TN November 7-9, 2023





### PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS



### **Executive Board**

**Thank You** 



Thank you to our Opening Session Speakers and Task Force Session Speakers



## Special Thanks

Carli Peskar Michelle Steinmetz



#### Thank You to the Speakers for the Workshops

Dr. Rick Watters
Joe Zulovich
Chris Hylkema
Grant Hedblom
Kyle Willfahrt
Shane Kreiger



### Most Importantly...

### Thank You

We had **163** Registered Attendees for our 2022 Annual Conference



- OTHER BUSINESS
- ADJOURN until 2023



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