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The 53rd Annual Dairy Practices Council
Conference

November 2-4, 2022
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Welcome to Minnesota

Ag Commissioner Thom Petersen

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Keynote Speaker

Bill Marler

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Dairy Practices Council® Welcome & Introduction

Objectives of DPC

- Develop & distribute educational guidelines
- Guidelines are designed to improve sanitation & production practices in the production of milk & dairy products
- DPC cooperates with other organizations that have similar educational goals

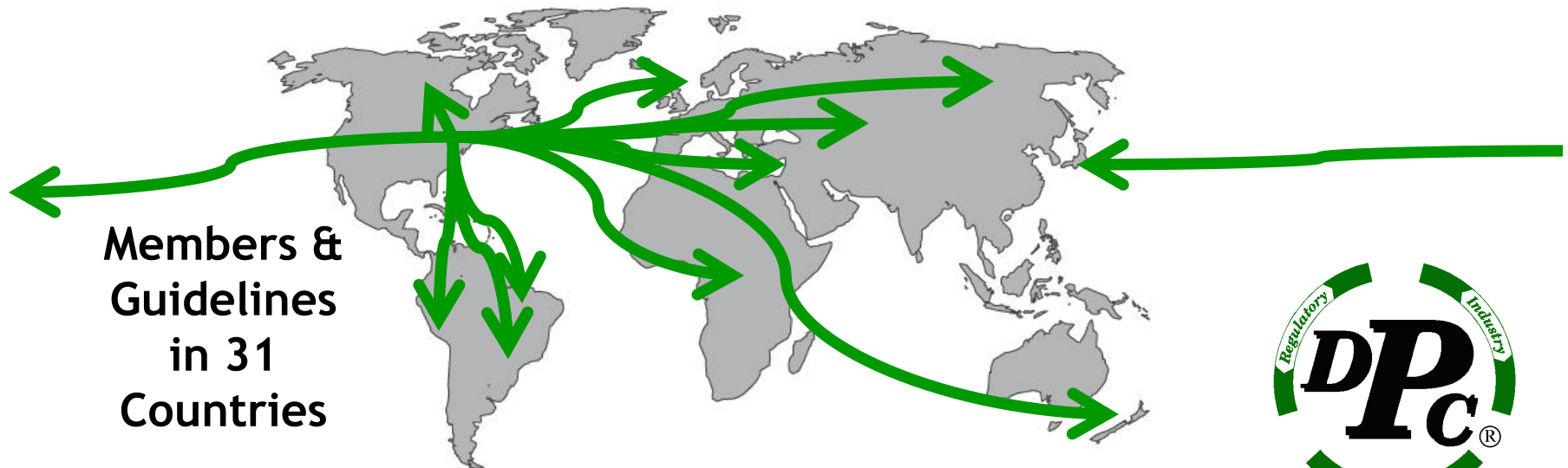


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Australia
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Germany
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Israel
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Malaysia
Mexico
New Zealand

Norway
Pakistan
Puerto Rico
Portugal
Romania
Russia
Spain
Sweden
Thailand
Turkey
Venezuela



DPC Annual Conference

- The 3-day conference takes place each Fall. Usually starts the day after election day in November
- Task Forces meet concurrently and provide a forum where topics of common interest can be shared with the members & other attendees



DPC Financing

- Financed by Membership Dues:
 - Sustaining
 - Educational / Cooperative Extension
 - Regulatory State Agriculture & Health
 - Regulatory Federal FDA & USDA
 - Individual Members
- Supports the distribution of DPC Guidelines to the Dairy Industry in the US & throughout the world.



DPC Organization

Governing body is the Executive Board.

- **State Departments of Health & Ag**
- **Federal Departments of Health & Ag**
- **Dairy Industry:** Representatives from Production, Processing, & Service areas of the industry
- **Education:** Representatives from Production, Processing, & Engineering areas of academia
- **Task Force Directors**



DPC Executive Board

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Keith Hay

Pennsylvania Milk Marketing
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Wendy Landry

*FSQ, Director of Supply Chain
Quality*
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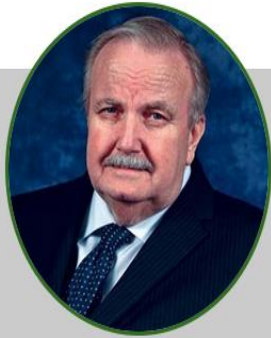


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DPC Executive Vice President

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Member at Large

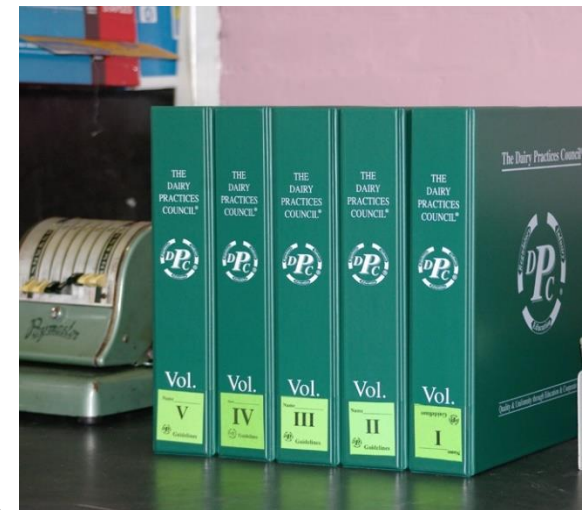
Guideline Development

- Developed in Task Forces by people who have an interest in the guideline topic.
- There are approximately 100 Guidelines currently online and more in the development process.
- Guidelines are periodically updated & revised, depending on changes in technology or procedures.



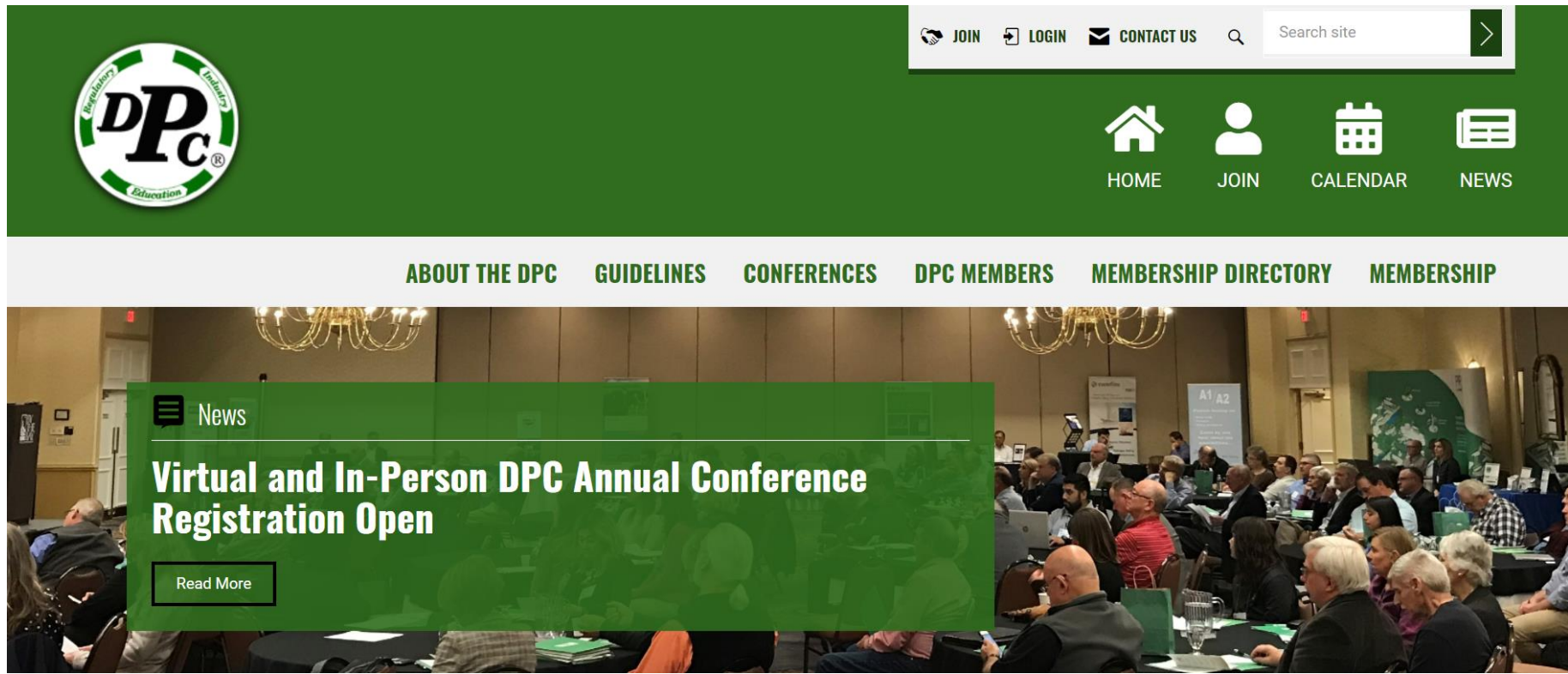
Guideline Development Peer Review

- Each Guideline goes through several levels of peer review.
- Peer Review ensures that Guidelines represent the state of knowledge at the time they are written.



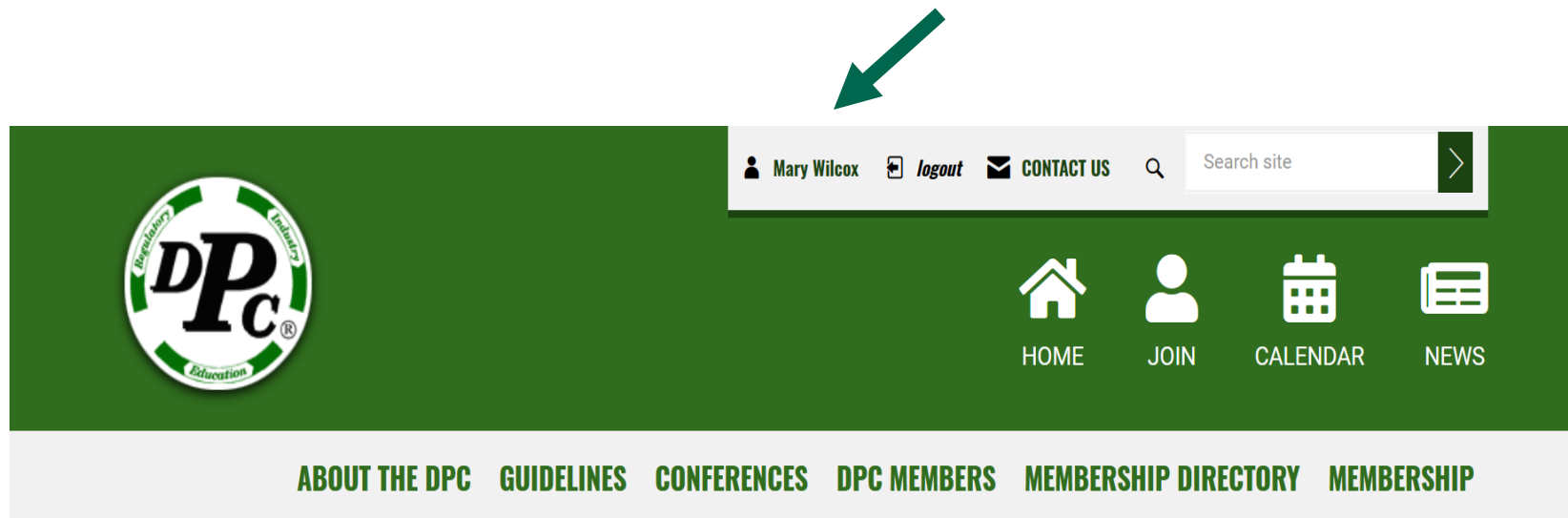
Guidelines

Join or Log-In



Contact evp@dairypc.org if you need a password reset

Member Compass Access



Click on your name to enter Member Compass

Guideline Access

Click on Guideline Directory and Click on GL to Access

Welcome to your Member Compass™

This is an area tailored to your membership and member engagement. You can access the following:

View, Print & Pay Invoices

Update Your Profile

Manage Events

Guideline Directory

News, Job Postings & Updates

Meeting Archives

Guideline Directory

Member-only Access

Guideline Working List

TASK FORCE I - Farm Buildings & Equipment:

DPC001_Planning Dairy Stall Barns

DPC006_Natural Ventilation for Dairy Tie Stall Barns - NRAES

DPC015_Milking Center Wastewater

DPC027_Dairy Manure Management from Barn to Storage

DPC037_Planning Dairy Freestall Barns

DPC041_Milkrooms and Bulk Tank Installations

DPC042_Stray Voltage on Dairy Farms

DPC Task Forces

- DPC Guidelines are started, developed, and completed in a Task Force.
- DPC Members may belong to any or all six of the following Task Forces:





Joseph Zulovich

University of Missouri



**TASK FORCE I FARM BUILDINGS &
EQUIPMENT**

Activities & Guidelines of
this Task Force involve
buildings & equipment for
dairy operations.

Systems include designs for
handling cows, feed, milk,
ventilation, & manure.





Carli Peskar

USDA-FMMA Cleveland



**TASK FORCE II PLANT EQUIPMENT
& PROCEDURES**

To develop meaningful
guidelines for procedures
and equipment involved in
dairy plant operations.

To promote uniformity
between the states.





Jessica Smith

USDA-FMMA Cleveland



**TASK FORCE III LAB & QUALITY
CONTROL PROCEDURES**

To cover topics related to
laboratory, quality control,
product evaluation &
trouble shooting
procedures.

To cover methods of
assuring quality
through good production &
manufacturing procedures.





Melinda Davis

HP Hood LLC



**TASK FORCE IV REGULATORY
ISSUES & HACCP**

To foster communications
& uniformity between the
states.

This TF has been assigned
guidelines concerning
inspections as well as
those relating to HACCP
and FSMA.





Neil Bendixen

Dairy Farmers of America



**TASK FORCE V MILKING SYSTEMS
& PROCEDURES**

To address guidelines
relating to milking
system design,
equipment and facility
function and cleaning.





Michelle Steinmetz

Wisconsin Department of Agric.
Trade & Consumer Protection



Task Force VI Small Ruminants

To develop guidelines
pertaining to all
aspects of production
and processing for
dairy goat, sheep and
other small ruminant
operations.



General & Task Force Sessions

Meeting Rooms

- Opening & all General Sessions will be in the MN Valley Ballrooms
- Task Force Sessions -
 - TF I Wood Duck Pond-2nd
 - TF II Woodlands/Riverside -1st
 - TF III Riverside/Woodlands-1st
 - TF IV Woodlands/Riverside-1st
 - TF V White Pelican-2nd
 - TF VI MN Valley Ballroom/Exec. Bd Rm-2nd

Welcome to Minnesota

How to tell if its above zero in Minnesota



MN Nicknames

North Star State

Gopher State

Land of 10,000 Lakes



Home to 6500 natural streams & rivers
Nearly 12,000 lakes larger than 10 acres
All water flows out of the state
Mississippi river is about 18-20 ft. wide at its
beginning in Lake Itasca



Networking Reception 5:30 - 7:30
First Time Attendees Meet-Up 5:00



Post Reception and Thursday Evening
Join Us In the Hospitality Rm 1100

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Alli Wilson, Dairy Team Manager

Henrik Elholm, Global Dairy Segment Manager