

Welcome!
The Dairy Practices Council®
52nd Annual Conference

November 3 - 5, 2021

Pittsburgh, PA



Russell C. Redding

Secretary of Agriculture
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania



2021 DPC Business Meeting

Business Meeting Overview:

- Welcome
- Call to Order
- Recognitions and awards
- Nominations
- Approval of the Minutes of the 2020 Business Meeting
- Executive Vice President's Financial & Membership Report
- Presidential Address
- Sustainability Panel to Follow Business Meeting



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HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS PRESENT

In-Person:

Steve Murphy

Bob Graves

On-line:

Lynn Hinckley

Dan Scruton

Jeff Bloom

Phil Wolff

Bob Gilchrist



EUGENE T. WOLFF SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS PRESENT

In-Person:

Steve Murphy

Bob Graves

Rebecca Piston

On-line:

Lynn Hinckley

Dan Scruton

Jeff Bloom



PAST PRESIDENTS of DPC

In-Person:

Bebe Zabilansky

Rebecca Piston

On-line:

Lynn Hinckley

Jeff Bloom



RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBERS TO DPC

Sustaining Members-bioMerieux, Perkin Elmer Health Sciences

Regulatory Members-MA Department of Ag Resources, MN Department of Ag

Individual Members-Crystal Bay, Dan Rice, Michelle Schack, Charles Good, Muril Niebuhr



PRESENTATION OF GUIDELINE LEAD AUTHOR CERTIFICATES

**GL 71 - Farmers Guide to Somatic Cell Counts in Sheep
Dan Scruton**

**GL 72 - Farmers Guide to Somatic Cell Counts in Goats
Dan Scruton**

**GL 16 - Handling Dairy Products from Processing to
Consumption
Wendy Landry**

PRESENTATION OF GUIDELINE LEAD AUTHOR CERTIFICATES

**GL 32 - Component Test Variations in Raw Milk
Jessica Smith**

**GL 80 - Guideline for Food Allergen Awareness in Dairy
Plant Operations
Brooke Pepin**

**GL 105 - Guideline for Sealing Bulk Milk Truck Tanks
Carli Peskar**

RECOGNITION FOR RETIRING BOARD MEMBERS

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

- Frank Flores
- Robin Breeding
- Wendy Landry
- Keith Hay
- Chris Hylkema



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.

Presenter: Chris Hylkema





The Dairy Practices Council®

Presents

FRANK FLORES

with an

Honorary Life Membership

*in grateful appreciation of his many years of
dedicated service to The Council.*

President

August 11, 2021

Executive Vice President



EUGENE T. 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 member-in-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: Amanda Rife





NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

Call for Honorary Life Membership
nominations from the floor to be presented
at 2022 Annual Conference



On-line participants can put nominations
into the CHAT

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT



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DPC President - Keith Hay, Pennsylvania Milk Marketing Board

V.P. - Wendy Landry, HP Hood

Federal FDA-Steven Sims

Industry Processor - Roger Hooi, DFA

Industry Production - Brandon Meiwes, DFA

Task Force VI - OPEN

Federal Agriculture - Patrick Clark, USDA, eligible for renewal ACCEPTED

TF III - Jessica Smith, USDA-FMMA, eligible for renewal, ACCEPTED

Board Member at Large - Amanda Rife, Land O' Lakes , eligible for renewal, ACCEPTED



Virtual Nominations
can be made in CHAT


APPROVAL OF BUSINESS MEETING MINUTES

DPC Annual Conference
Virtual Platform
November 6, 2020
(minutes in folder and sent ahead)



DPC BUSINESS REPORT



A person with long brown hair, wearing a green headband, is holding a large, unfolded map in front of a silver car. The map is held up to their face, obscuring it. The background shows a clear blue sky with some clouds and a distant horizon. A solid blue horizontal bar is positioned at the bottom of the image.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
SUPPORT AND PATIENCE AS
WE HAVE NAVIGATED 2021**



State of the Organization


- Strong Conference (119) and Workshop Attendance (8) and Sponsors (16) are helping us remain in a good financial position
- Guideline sales are still slow at less than 1% of revenue, but have started promoting them in the DPC Perspectives E-Newsletter.
- Board Involvement is higher than ever
- Focus: Creating a Sustainable Future

Our Mission

Our mission is to develop and disseminate educational guidelines directed to proper and improved sanitation practices in the production/processing of milk, and the manufacture of dairy products. Facilitate the adoption of sound, uniform, and improved procedures related to the production, processing, and distribution of high quality fluid milk and dairy products. The intent of these objectives is a cooperative effort of Industry, Education, and Regulatory. The further interest is not to duplicate, but to cooperate with other organizations which have similar goals.


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SILVER SUSTAINING MEMBERSHIP

News

The latest news from The Dairy Practices Council

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Topic/Category



Message From The President

Posted In: **Member News**

OCT 5



Welcome To The New DPC Website

JUL 23



Job Posts

Job Posts

LinkedIn: QA Manager - HP Hood (New York)

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Job Posts



2021 Our Year of Resilience

Continued to Implement GL Format
Changes

Created DPC Perspectives E-
Newsletter

Held First Hybrid Conference

First Hands-On AMS Workshop

Now What?

- Continue Updating and Promoting Guidelines
- Evaluating DPC Perspectives E-Newsletter
- Finding New Ways To Use Our Digital Home to Enhance Member Education and Communications
- Grow the Membership



See You In Bloomington, MN



Nov. 2-4, 2022

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



Special Thanks

Carli
Peskar
Michelle
Steinmetz
Wendy
Landry



Thank You to the Speakers for the AMS Workshop

Dr. Rick Watters

Dr. Joe Zulovich

Chris Hylkema

Pleasant Lane Farms

For Hosting Us

Chris Horton



Most Importantly...

Thank You

We had **119** Registered
Attendees for our 2021
Annual Conference



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- **ADJOURN until 2022**



**SAVE the
DATE:
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**Bloomington, MN
November 2-4,
2022**



Speaker Panel

- Chuck Turner, Turner Dairy Farms, Inc.
- Joe Zulovich, University of Missouri
- Jamie Jonker, National Milk Producers Federation
- Moderator: Robin Breeding, DFA



Thank You!

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Please Enjoy!



Speaker Panel

- Erin Taylor, USDA-AMS
- Sam Schwoeppe, Feeding America
- Jennifer Trodden, NY Dept. of Ag & Mkts
- Chris Hylkema, NY Dept. of Ag & Mkts
- Chris Noble, Noblehurst Farms
- Moderator: Pat Clark, USDA-AMS



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Thank You for your
attendance at the Dairy
Practices Council 52nd Annual
Conference!

See you next year!

