

Industrial Hemp Consultation Agenda



VIRTUAL

Tuesday, September 24, 2020 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm Eastern Time

12:00 – 12:25 PM Welcome, Introductions, and Opening Prayer

12:25 – 12:45 PM Overview of 2018 Farm Bill Hemp Regulations/Interim Final Rule

The reopening of the public comment period allows stakeholders to provide AMS with further insight gained from the 2020 hemp growing season. AMS is interested in this additional input for all aspects of the U.S. domestic hemp production program, and particularly interested in comments on the following topics:

- 1: Measurement of Uncertainty for Sampling
- 2: Liquid Chromatography Factor, 0.877
- 3: Disposal and Remediation of Non-Compliant Plants
- 4: Negligence
- 5: Interstate Commerce
- 6: 15-day Harvest Window
- 7: Hemp seedlings, microgreens, and clones
- 8: Hemp breeding and research
- 9: Sampling Methodology Flower vs. Whole Plant
- 10: Sampling Methodology Homogenous Composition, Frequency, and Volume
- 11: Sampling Agents
- 12. DEA Laboratory Registration

12:45 – 3:50 PM Discussion Topics, Questions and Feedback from Tribal Leaders

3:50 – 4:00 PM Next Steps, Close Out, and Closing Prayer

Resources:

Industrial Hemp Website

Office of Tribal Relations

 $\frac{www.ams.usda.gov/rules-regulations/hemp}{www.usda.gov/otr}$

Contacts:

Agricultural Marketing Service

Sonia Jimenez, Deputy Administrator
USDA Hemp Production Program Email
USDA Hemp Production Program Phone
USDA Hemp Production Program Phone

• Office of Tribal Relations

Diane Cullo, Director

Linda Cronin, Deputy Director

Dennis Kennedy, Outreach Specialist

Office of Tribal Relations Email

Office of Tribal Relations Phone

Diane.Cullo@usda.gov Linda.Cronin@usda.gov Dennis.Kennedy@usda.gov Tribal.Relations@usda.gov 202-205-2249