

NERA

Northeastern Regional Association
of
State Agricultural Experiment Station Directors Meeting
2022 NEED/NERA Joint Summer Session
June 7, 2022
8:00 AM–12:00 PM ET
Agenda (v3)

Tuesday, June 7, Regency Room, Portland Regency Hotel and Spa

8:00 am	Gathering of attendees/Call to order – Eric Wommack, NERA Chair
8:05 am – 8:20 am	<i>Meeting administration</i> – Eric Wommack <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introductions• Announcements• Agenda Modification (Additions/Deletions) and Approval• Approval of March 15, 2022, Minutes
8:20 am – 8:50 am	<i>Reporting that requires NERA decisions:</i> Multistate Activities Committee – Jan Nyrop <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Final approval of peer reviewed, multistate proposals• Informational: MAC updates (AA assignments, requests to write, etc.)
8:50 am – 9:30 am	<i>Work session: Evaluation of the NERA Executive Director, Rick Rhodes</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Contract renewal• Budget discussion including OED salaries
9:30 am – 10:00 am	<i>Work session: Station Research Profile</i> Viral Ecology and Our Natural Ecosystems – Eric Wommack, Deputy Dean, College of Agriculture and Natural Resources, University of Delaware
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Break
10:30 am – 11:30 am	<i>Best Practices Session</i> Attracting and retaining new faculty – John Kirby, Dean, College of the Environment and Life Sciences, University of Rhode Island, and Director, RIAES
11:30 am – 11:50 am	<i>Work session: Meeting with CARET</i> A guided discussion with the NE CARET Chair, Jim Shirk and CARET Executive Director, Caron Gala

11:50 am – 12:00 pm	<i>Summary Comments and Adjournment</i> – Eric Wommack
	<i>Future Face-to-Face Meetings</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ESS/CES Joint Annual Meeting – September 25-28, 2022, Baltimore, MD

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