

AGENDA

Agriculture Equity Commission

September 19, 2024

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

Illinois Department of Agriculture
John R. Block Building
801 E. Sangamon Ave.
Springfield, IL 62702

Webex Video Conference Service

Join by phone: +1-312-535-8110

Meeting number (access code): 2631 347 3313

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- I. Call to order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of 1/16 and 7/15 meeting minutes
- IV. Socially Disadvantaged Farm Loan Program | Historically Underserved Producers | DEIA Accomplishments in Illinois, Scott Halpin, Executive Director, FSA USDA
- V. Specialty Crop Block Grant Update, Hannah McGee, IDOA
- VI. Local Food Infrastructure Grant, Kristi Jones, IDOA Deputy Director
- VII. Farmer Kickoff and Grow Gatherings, Makala Bach, University of Illinois Extension
- VIII. Quarter 4 date (tentative)
Monday, December 9
- IX. Member updates/upcoming events
- X. Public Comment
- XI. Adjournment