

Alaska Food Strategy Task Force Agenda

March 8, 2024

11am to 12:30pm

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Attendance:

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda/Minutes
 - a. November 10, 2023 and January 26, 2024
3. Public Testimony
4. Report on AFSTF Presentation to Legislature
5. Focus Area Updates
 - a. Brief Updates on 2023 Focus Area Committees
 - i. Growing the Ag Industry
Chair: Director Bryan Scoresby
 - ii. Growing Markets
Chairs: Representative Mears, Gavin Northey
 - iii. Improving Transportation
Chair: Deputy Commissioner Katherine Keith
 - b. Brief Updates on 2024 Focus Area Committees
 - i. Food Business Climate
Chairs: Alyssa Rodrigues, Rachael Miller
 - ii. Food Waste
Chair: Mike Jones
 - iii. State Programs
Chairs: Representative Mears
 - iv. Rural/Urban Community Food Security
Chair: Mike Jones, Rachael Miller
6. 2024 Report Process
 - a. 2023 Written Updates for 2024 report
 - b. 2024 Focus Area for 2024 report

- i. Committee Recommendation form: original, revised, or other
- ii. Timeline
 - 1. Suggested meeting frequency
 - 2. Forms submitted for report draft: proposed June 21, 2024
 - 3. Compilation and design/layout: proposed June 21 to July 31, 2024
 - 4. Report due and distributed: August 1, 2024

7. Presentation: Mike Jones

“Retail Food Supply Chain Frictions and Implications for Rural Food Security”

8. Next Meeting

9. Other Items and Announcements:

10. Adjourn: