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Agriculture TWG Teleconference Meeting #3

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Today's Agenda

- Roll call
- Review and approval of TWG Call #2 Summary
- Report on June 5 CAT Meeting
- Identification of priority options for analysis
 - Process
 - Compiled balloting results
 - Discussion/agreement on priority options
- GHG mitigation option template
- Development of straw design proposals
- Draft GHG emissions inventory & projections
- Next Steps for TWGs
- Agenda, Time and Date for Next Meeting

Report on June 5 CAT Meeting

- Agriculture Catalog approved by CAT with
 - A few added comments and elaborations (highlighted in the catalog)
 - Revised Ethanol and Biodiesel Option (AW 1.2)
 - Added “Feedstocks” to the title
 - Divided into two separate options, one for ethanol and another for biodiesel

Identifying Priorities for Analysis

- Voting based on CAT approved catalog
- Ballots submitted by June 15, indicating priorities and adding comments as needed, ballots compiled by CCS
 - Voting results will be distributed by email prior to the call
- On today's call, TWG discusses ballot results as starting point to:
 - Further modify or consolidate (or split up) catalog items
 - Agree on priority options for further analysis
 - Retain catalog as source for additional options if/as needed later during the process
- CAT reviews/approves priorities at Aug 7 CAT meeting

GHG Mitigation Option Template

- See handout
 - Provides consistent format for all TWGs to present information on priority policy options
 - Used in stepwise format to develop “straw proposals” for priority options

Developing straw proposals

- TWGs develop “straw proposal” text for policy description and design
 - for discussion at 4th TWG meeting for some (or all) of the identified priority options
 - for approval of some, if complete, at Aug 7 CAT
- TWG members volunteer to assist in developing specific straw proposals
 - working via email/phone over next 2-3 weeks
- (Time permitting) Begin discussion of policy description and design on today’s call

Update and comments on draft GHG emissions inventory & forecast

- Update on status of Waste Sector Emissions

Next TWG Call

- Agenda:
 - Review/develop initial straw proposals for priority options
 - Further review of the emissions inventory and projection if/as needed
- Date/time for Call #4:
 - Tuesday, July 18, 10:00 – 11:30 AM

